

**St. Paul-Calvary United Methodist Church,  
Christ The King Sunday  
Celebration of Word – The Reign of Jesus Christ  
The Last Sunday after Pentecost in Kingdomtide  
November 25th, 2018 at 10:15 AM**

Meaning of Signs:

- ◆ Important announcements/notices
- \*\* Please stand if you are able
- ◆ Unless indicated otherwise, all hymns and psalters are from the UMH

**The Prelude**

The Lighting of the Candles

- ◆ Welcome and Announcements

\*\*Opening Hymn                      “Awesome Power”    Gray BK #10

**\*\*Call to Worship:** (responsively)

L: Behold, the King comes. Alleluia!

**P: O come, let us worship and bow down. Alleluia! Alleluia!**

L: Rejoice greatly, for Christ is your King.

**P: O come, let us worship and bow down. Alleluia! Alleluia!**

**Prayer of Invocation (people sitting - responsively):**

L: Most sweet Jesus, Redeemer of the human race, look down upon us humbly prostrating before you.

**Women: We are yours, and yours we wish to be; but to be more surely united with you, behold each one of us freely consecrates himself today to your Most Sacred Heart.**

**Men: Many indeed have never known you; many, too, despising your precepts, have rejected you.**

L: Have mercy on them all, most merciful Jesus, and draw them to your Sacred Heart.

**Women: Be King, O Lord, not only of the faithful who have never forsaken you, but also of the prodigal children who have abandoned you;**

**Men: grant that they may quickly return to their Father's house, lest they die of wretchedness and hunger.**

L: Be King of those who are deceived by erroneous opinions, or whom discord keeps aloof, and call them back to the harbor of truth and the unity of faith, that soon there may be but one flock and one Shepherd.

**Women: Grant, O Lord, to your Church assurance of freedom and immunity from harm; give tranquility of order to all nations.**

**Men: Make the earth resound from pole to pole with one cry:**

**All: Praise to the divine Heart that wrought our salvation; to it be glory and honor for and ever. Amen.**

**Special Music:**                      “Royalty”    Children’s Choir

**\*\* Passing of The Peace**                      *(Let us exchange signs of God's Peace (SHALOM).)*  
◆ **SHARING of JOYS, CONCERNS & PRAYER REQUESTS**

**Prayer Hymn**                      “It is Well With My Soul”    Organist

**Pastoral Prayer - Lord's Prayer**

**Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be they name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.**

**Special Music:**                      “Count Your Blessings”    *Chimes*

**Ministry of God's Written Word**

\*\* Gospel:                      John 18:33-40    Page 1683

**Response to God’s Written Word**

\*\*Preparatory Hymn:                      “All Hail the Power of Jesus’ Name”    #154

Message                      “Who Is King of Your Life?”    Rev. Anthony Brima

Offering of Our Pledges, Tithes & Gifts  
**(United Methodist Student Day offering donated today)**

\*\* Doxology                      “Now Thank We All Our God”    #102

**Prayer of Dedication**

\*\*Hymn of Commitment                      “Jesus Shall Reign”    #157

\*\*Benediction  
Postlude    Extinguishing of the Candles

**Thank you for worshipping with us this morning. Please come again!**

◆ **Today’s Participants in Worship**

Preacher: Pastor Anthony Brima

Liturgist: James Haag

Acolyte: Addisyn Wolfe

Ushers: Sandy Stanton, Mary Szuhaj      Greeters: Yvonne Dockey & Debbie DeMarte

## Prayer List

Christine Butt	Jeff Campbell	Ann & Bob Gehrig	Erma Carson	Christian Houghtaling
John D. Miller	Doris Smith	Sharon Wimmer	Carol Steele	Janet Foresman Family
Betty Maroni	Sue Garczynski	Beatti Family	Marcus Wenger	Merle Hively Jr
Jim Steele	Jeannine Cohick	Chrissy Williams	Bill Rahr	Rev. David & Nedra Schmuck
Eleanor Uckele	Barb Guinter	Our Children	Our Shut-ins	

### TODAY

8:45 AM – Coffee Fellowship  
9:00 AM – Sunday School  
10:15 AM – Worship  
10:15 AM – Nursery (Newborn to 3 yrs.)  
10:15 AM – “Little Church” (4 yrs. to 3<sup>rd</sup> gr.)

### This Week

Wed (28) 1:00 PM – Praying Grandmothers  
6:00 PM – Chime Practice  
7:30 PM – Choir Practice

Welcome to  
**ST. PAUL-CALVARY  
UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**



**Nursery** for ages 0-3 yrs is available during worship.  
**Cry Room** is available at the back of the sanctuary for infant care.  
“**Little Church**” is for ages 4 yrs-3<sup>rd</sup> grade and meets during worship.  
The children are dismissed after the Children’s Chat.  
“**Kids 4 Christ**” is for ages 4 yrs-5<sup>th</sup> grade and meets on the  
3rd Sunday during worship.

“**Little Church**” and “**Kids 4 Christ**” meet in the Kindergarten Class Room.

### *BELONGING AND GROWING IN GOD—TOGETHER*

Thank you for worshiping with us today.  
Please consider growing with us as we  
connect with God, love others, and serve willingly.  
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**District Superintendent Rev. Troy Howell**  
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- ◆ Please be advised, if the Williamsport School District is closed or delayed the church office will be likewise. This is to ensure safety for all.
- ◆ If weather is bad Sunday mornings please listen/watch WJSA & WNEP radio stations to hear whether church is cancelled.
- ◆ Re-Use it Sale in Fellowship Hall. Sale starts—Nov. 25 and runs Dec. 2 & 9. Monies collected will be used for our mission projects.
- ◆ **ST. PAUL-CALVARY ANNUAL CHRISTMAS PARTY** will be held on Thursday, DECEMBER 6, at 6:30 PM in the Fellowship Hall. Tickets must be purchased in advance from Kay Rhinehart or Ressie Harding, if paying by check please make payable to St. Paul-Calvary UMW. Reservation deadline is **TODAY** (Adult \$12, Youth, Ages 6-11 \$6, Age 5 and under free). The Menu is a turkey dinner with all the trimmings it will be catered by Crouse's Catering. The entertainer following the meal will be Ryan Workman, back by popular request.
- ◆ Please contact any Long Sunday school class member for your Rada order
- ◆ 2019 Directory—Please check the current directory and contact the office with any updates by the end of November.
- ◆ The Angel Tree is up for you to take an angel. Your unwrapped gifts are to be returned by December 9th to be wrapped and delivered to the families before Christmas. We thank Charlene Carson for coordinating this tree.
- ◆ The tree in the Fellowship Hall will be our Mission Tree for Family Promise. This year we are asking you to donate Shampoo, Conditioner, and Body Wash in full size bottles. The tree will be decorated with ornaments that are made during the Advent Workshop and will be there for you to take one when you bring your items to be donated to Family Promise.
- ◆ The Adult Sunday School room will have a Children's Tree to be decorated with Hats, Mittens, Scarfs, and Socks that will be delivered to Stevens and Jackson Elementary Schools.
- ◆ Praying Grammas is now open to everyone whether you are a gramma or not. Please join us for this time of learning and fellowship every Wednesday at 1:00 PM.