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Welcome to Church

And what does the Lord require of you?
To act justly and to love mercy and to walk humbly with your God.

Micah 6:8

“Teacher, which is the great commandment in the Law?”
“And He said to him, ‘You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart,
And with all your soul, and with all your mind.’
This is the great and foremost commandment.

The second is like it,
‘You shall love your neighbor as yourself.’

On these commandments depend
The whole Law and the Prophets.”

THE GREAT COMMANDMENT
Matthew 22:36-40

And Jesus came up and spoke to them, saying,
“All authority has been given to Me in heaven and on earth.
Go, therefore and make disciples of all the nations, baptizing them
In the name of the Father and the Son, and the Holy Spirit,
Teaching them to observe all that I commanded you;

And lo, I am with you always, even to
The end of the age.”

THE GREAT COMMISSION
Matthew 28:18-20

You can use the tear off on the edge of the bulletin and drop it in the offering box or the box in the foyer. Alternatively, you can click [here](#) or use the contacts below if you would like to:

- Acknowledge your visit with us (physical or virtual) OR
- Contact us with prayer requests, questions, concerns, needs OR
- Request visitation prayer at your specific location (in your home, at the hospital, or nursing facility, etc.)

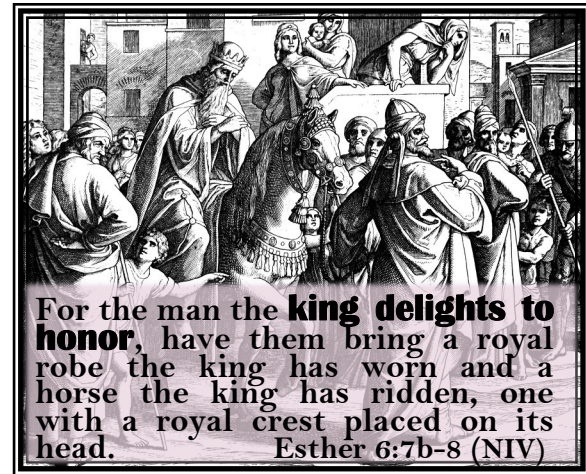
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May 22, 2022

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REFLECTING CHRIST'S LOVE

Sunday Service beginning at **9:30 AM**

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ORDER OF SUNDAY SERVICE

Special video opens the service

Old Testament Reading, [Exodus 2:1-10](#)

Worship

Offering

Announcements of upcoming events

Pastoral prayer for the children before Sunday School classes.

The Nursery is available for infants at any time.

Class of Graduation Celebration
2022

New Testament Reading, [Matthew 6:28-34](#)

“Whose Request Wins?,” [Esther 5-6](#),
by Rick Krebs

The Lord’s Supper is offered, along with prayer ministry
while worship continues.

Benediction & Closing Prayer

This Sunday Morning:

Children’s Church: Pre-school—1st grade class and 2nd—6th grade class.



MCC Vacation Bible School (VBS), “Spark Studio: Created in Christ, Designed for God’s purpose.” Monday-Friday, June 13-17, 2022.

Register at <https://vbspro.events/p/events/81201e>.

EVENTS THIS WEEK

05/24: Tuesday:

Memoirs Group, led by Ann Blaylock, at the *new time*, **4:00 PM** in the church sanctuary every Tuesday. Text Ann at [\(321\) 960-1946](tel:3219601946) for more information or just join us.

Prayer Meeting, Wanda Appledoorn will be hosting a [Zoom](#) meeting at **6:30 PM—7:30 PM**. See the book, [Prayer Revolution](#).

The Chosen Women’s Bible Study, at **6:15 PM**, for a journey group Bible Study based on Season One of “The Chosen” TV series. All ladies are welcome. Contact Kim Judd, [\(321\) 212-9839](tel:3212129839), or Laurie Wilson, [\(321\) 961-3658](tel:3219613658), with questions.

05/26: Thursday Afternoon:

Bible Art Journaling Group will be meeting in the church sanctuary, the morning group from **11:00 AM—1:00 PM**, and the afternoon group meets from **2:30 PM—4:00 PM**. For more information text Barbara Murgatroyd, [\(321\) 355-9705](tel:3213559705) or just join us.

Women’s Prayer Group, meeting at **1:30 PM—3:30 PM**, For weekly meeting location, please contact the leads, Jenny Reed or Laurie Wilson.

05/28: Saturday Morning:

Saturday morning Prayer Group, for ladies is open for new participants.. The group meets by Zoom @ **8:00 AM**, for an hour to worship and pray, and to take time with the Lord and each other. Contact leader Cindy

UPCOMING EVENTS

05/29: Sunday Morning: Sunday Service at 9:30 AM

For *Sunday’s Sermon*, continue reading ahead the book of [Esther chapters 7-8](#).

06/15: Wednesday Evening:



SALT, Students Actively Living Truth, youth group, For grades 7—12, from **6:00 PM—7:30 PM** for girls and boys grades 7-12 this month at **Get Fired Up Pottery** led by Davis and Denice Hemenway [\(303\) 961-0010](tel:3039610010) or davis.hemenway@gmail.com.

Date 05/22/2022 I have a Prayer Request Questions Need



Prayer Requests or Questions for the Pastoral Team?

If you have questions or a prayer request, write in the space below and place in the offering basket or the box in the foyer.

(Optional) Name _____ Phone _____

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Sermon Notes: “Whose Request Wins?,” [Esther 5-6](#), by Rick Krebs .

Old Testament Reading: [Exodus 2:1-10](#).

New Testament Reading: [Matthew 6:28-34](#).

What we will learned last week: ([Esther 3-4](#))

- A rise of hatred, power, and pride.
- The plot, the agreement, but within God’s providence.
- Mordecai and Esther collaborate, but work remains.

What we will learn this week: ([Esther 5-6](#))

- Esther’s cautious request — tomorrow
- Haman’s emotional tug-of-war
- King Xerxes’ sleepless night
- Haman’s evil plan explodes.

Why was it important that king Xerxes held out his scepter for Esther to touch? ([Esther 5:1-2](#); [Esther 4:11](#))

Instead of asking the king to reverse Haman plan of genocide, what did Esther ask of the king? ([Esther 5:3-5](#))

What was the king doing just as he asked Esther again what is her request? ([Esther 5:6](#))

Esther continues to show poise and obtain favor with king Xerxes in Haman’s presence. Instead of making her request known, what does Esther first ask of the king? ([Esther 5:8](#))

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Haman encountered Mordecai after leaving Esther’s feast with the king. What was his response? ([Esther 5:9-10](#))

When calling his friends and wife together, what character trait (s) does Haman exhibit? ([Esther 5:11-13](#))

Haman’s wife had an plan for Haman that she believed would make him happy. What was it and what does this suggest about her character as well? ([Esther 5:14](#))

What happened to the king Xerxes that again shows the providence of God? ([Esther 6:1-5](#))

How did Haman’s own words and pride turn to the good of Mordecai? ([Esther 6:6-11](#))

What was Haman’s response and what prophetic word did his wife say just before he left for Esther’s second banquet? ([Esther 6:12-14](#))

Additional Notes:

Internet Resources: [The Bible Project: Esther Overview](#); [Esther Overview Poster](#)