

This Week's Fighter Verse: Feed Your Soul by Memorizing

Scripture! Each week's '*Fighter Verse*' is meant to help you "fight the good fight" of faith. This year's fighter verses are drawn from our weekly catechism (See "The New City Catechism")

1 Peter 3:18

For Christ also suffered once for sins, the righteous for the unrighteous, that he might bring us to God. . . .

This week's Catechism # 47

Does the Lord's Supper add anything to Christ's atoning work?

No, Christ died once for all. The Lord's Supper is a covenant meal celebrating Christ's atoning work; as it is also a means of strengthening our faith as we look to him, and a foretaste of the future feast. But those who take part with unrepentant hearts eat and drink judgment on themselves.

Next week's Catechism # 48

What is the church?

God chooses and preserves for himself a community elected for eternal life and united by faith, who love, follow, learn from, and worship God together. God sends out this community to proclaim the gospel and prefigure Christ's kingdom by the quality of their life together and their love for one another.

"Not that Kind of King"

(John 6:1-10)

"After this" (v1) - As much as 6 months later in Galilee Mk 6:30-34

I. Many are interested in following Jesus, but ultimately for the

_____ vv1-4

II. Jesus is more than able to _____ the needs of all who come to Him vv5-13

- This is humanly _____! (See also Num 11:13)
- A little boy's lunch v9
- The significance of the green grass v10 ; Mk 6:39
(It demonstrates that these are _____ accounts)
- Jesus is enough and _____
Ps 63:5 , 107:9 , 23:5 ; 2 Kg 4:43-44 ; Eph 3:20
- The parable seen in the left-overs
- 12 baskets, 12 _____, 12 Tribes of Israel
- "Let nothing be lost" - Jn 6:39 , 10:28 - same words

III. Jesus will not be the kind of King the crowds _____
vv14-15

What prophet? Dt 18:15 - Another like _____

They do want a King

- One that will provide them with _____ here and now
- A _____ leader to crush their enemies

Jesus is not that kind of King!

- He tells Pilate "My kingdom is not of this _____"
- You take Him on His terms, or you can't _____

Mk 6:45-46

THIS WEEK AT ROCKPORT

SUNDAY - November 22

Worship 9:00 AM
(Please enter/leave w mask & strict social distancing)
Worship (less strict social distancing) 10:45 AM

Prayerfully consider Rockport's Budget Needs

Rockport Weekly Budget Goal.....\$4,284.00
October Weekly Average.....\$4,385.55

Announcements

- **D-group Study of 2 Peter Schedule** for those meeting
Wednesdays - 12/2; 12/9; 12/16
- **The nursery** rooms are currently available for parents for diaper changing or for use as a cry room or nursing room. There is a speaker in the room that will allow you to listen in on the service. In the near future we hope to have the nursery staffed again. If you are interested in serving, please contact Mayci Loving smilinbabyblue65@aol.com
- During the 10:45 service there is an overflow area in the fellowship hall that displays a video feed of the worship service. This is also available for those with squirmy little ones who may need room to move around, or for anyone else who may need to go there.

A Word from Pastor Scott:

Sunday, November 22, 2019

*“ . . . in everything give thanks;
for this is God's will for you in Christ Jesus.”*

1Thessalonians 5:18

Praise the Lord for His faithfulness every day! As Christians, every day should be a “thanksgiving day.” Yet still, it is good that we set aside a special day each year (and especially this year) to give thanks to God. And yet the tragedy for so many in our culture is that we have forgotten what it means to be truly thankful (and to Whom!) For many, Thursday will simply be a “*Turkey Day*” – an excuse to eat and drink too much while watching TV and looking for Black Friday sales (this year on computer). But what is missing in such a “holiday” is any sense of joy or gratitude toward Him to whom all praise is due!

Romans 1:21 says this lack of gratitude is at the heart of much of our sin! For, although people knew about God, “*they neither glorified him as God nor gave thanks to Him.*” In our sin we find our hearts filled, not with thankfulness toward God, but with pride, selfishness, bitterness and complaining toward others. In taking God’s blessings for granted, we assume we deserve to be treated better than we have been and thus complain when we don’t receive what we thought we were entitled to have. But the Gospel frees us from such self-centered delusions. It re-orientes our lives to God and puts Him at the center instead of us! When that happens we are finally free to do the one thing we were created to do – *enjoy making much of Him who gives us life and all good things!*

This morning, I pray that you know this freedom and are ready to express it joyfully in words and feelings of heartfelt gratitude offered to the One who is worthy of all praise through Christ! For it is Christ who has given us Himself so freely, to rescue us from our sin and lavish us with an abundance of grace so that we might be free to glorify and enjoy Him forever! So come, let us adore Him and give Him thanks for all he has done and given, and continues to give.
Give thanks to the Lord, for He is good!

Pastor Scott Lee

November 22, 2020

■ **Welcome / Call to Worship**

■ **“You Are My King” (Amazing Love)**

Billy James Foote, ©1999 WorshipTogether.com Songs/ASCAP CCLI#801260

I'm forgiven, because You were forsaken, I'm accepted; You were condemned. I'm alive and well, Your Spirit is within me, Because You died and rose again.

Amazing love, how can it be That You my King would die for me? Amazing love, I know it's true And it's my joy to honor You In all I do I honor You.

You are my King

Jesus, You are my King

My chains are gone, I've been set free. My God, my Savior, has ransomed me. And like a flood, His mercy reigns, Unending love, amazing grace.

■ **"Give Thanks"**

Words & Music by Henry Smith-arr. Ken Barker © 1992, Integrity's Hosanna! Music CCLI #801260

Give thanks with a grateful heart, Give thanks to the Holy One, give thanks because He's given Jesus Christ, His Son.

And now let the weak say, "I am strong." Let the poor say, "I am rich Because of what the Lord has done for us."

Give thanks!

■ **"Doxology"**Hymn 625

Praise God from whom all blessings flow;

Praise him, all creatures here below;

Praise Him above ye heavenly host;

Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen

■ **Catechism**

■ **“Not In Me”** by Eric Schumacher & David L Ward © 2012 Thousand Tongues.org CCLI#801260

No list of sins I have not done, No list of virtues I pursue,
No list of those I am not like Can earn myself a place with You.
O God, be merciful to me I am a sinner through and through!
My only hope of righteousness Is not in me, but only You.

No humble dress, no fervent prayer, No lifted hands, no tearful song,
No recitation of the truth Can justify a single wrong.

My righteousness is Jesus' life, My debt was paid by Jesus' death, My weary load was borne by Him And He alone can give me rest.

No separation from the world, No work I do, no gift I give
Can cleanse my conscience, cleanse my hands; I cannot cause my soul to live.
But Jesus died and rose again The power of death is overthrown!
My God is merciful to me And merciful in Christ alone.

■ **“My Heart is Filled With Thankfulness”**

Words and Music by Keith Getty & Stuart Townend © 2003 THANKYOU MUSIC CCLI #801260

My heart is filled with thankfulness To Him who bore my pain;
Who plumbed the depths of my disgrace And gave me life again;
Who crushed my curse of sinfulness And clothed me in His light And wrote His law of righteousness With pow'r upon my heart.

My heart is filled with thankfulness To Him who walks beside;
Who floods my weaknesses with strength And causes fears to fly;
Whose ev'ry promise is enough For ev'ry step I take,
Sustaining me with arms of love And crowning me with grace.

My heart is filled with thankfulness To him who reigns above,
Whose wisdom is my perfect peace, Whose ev'ry thought is love.
For ev'ry day I have on earth Is given by the King; So I will give my life, my all, To love and follow him.”

■ **Confession / Pastoral Prayer**

■ **“All Glory Be To Christ”** CCLI #801260

Should nothing of our efforts stand, no legacy survive
Unless the Lord does raise the house, in vain its builders strive
To you who boast tomorrow's gain, tell me what is your life
A mist that vanishes at dawn, all glory be to Christ!

**All glory be to Christ our King! All glory be to Christ!
His rule and reign we'll ever sing, All glory be to Christ!**

His will be done, His kingdom come, on earth as is above
Who is Himself our daily bread, praise Him the Lord of love
Let living water satisfy the thirsty without price
We'll take a cup of kindness yet, all glory be to Christ!

When on the day the great I Am, the faithful and the true
The Lamb who was for sinners slain, is making all things new.
Behold our God shall live with us and be our steadfast light
And we shall ere his people be, all glory be to Christ!

■ **Message - “Not that Kind of King”** John 6:1-10 - Scott

■ **Closing Song / Benediction**

Kids' Listening Sheet (11/22/20)

Message Title: "Not that Kind of _____?"

Bible Passages: John 6: _____



Key Words: Circle each word every time you hear it.

Crowd	Christmas	Moses	Hungry
Boy	Fish	Bread	Grass
Green	Full	King	Basket
Romans	Gospel	Savior	Boat

What are three important things you heard during the sermon?

1.

2.

3.

Draw two pictures that show what you heard today:

1.

2.