

THE SERMON

“Re-Imagining Christ”

Dr. Michael Cheuk

THE INVITATION

** THE HYMN 497 – *The Master Hath Come*.....ASH GROVE
(Stanzas 1, 2)

THE PRAYER OF DEDICATION

THE GIVING OF OFFERINGS

THE OFFERTORY

Grace and Thanksgiving Page
Sanctuary Bells

THE CARES AND CONCERNS OF THE CHURCH

THE BENEDICTION

** THE GREETING

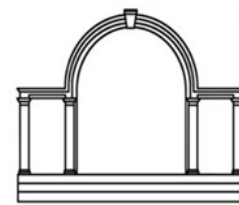
**THE POSTLUDE – *Now Thank We All Our God* Manz

** THOSE WHO ARE PHYSICALLY ABLE ARE INVITED TO STAND AT THESE POINTS IN THE SERVICE

WORSHIP LEADERS TODAY

Michael Cheuk, Senior Minister
Alba Beasley, Associate Minister for Music and Worship
Phil Woodson, Youth Ministry Coordinator
Barbara Moore, Organist
Sanctuary Choir
Sanctuary Bells
Charles Michaelis, Worship Leader
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UNIVERSITY

BAPTIST CHURCH
CHARLOTTESVILLE, VIRGINIA

WORSHIP OF GOD IN CHRIST

Christ the King Sunday

November 24, 2013

11:00 a.m.

THE GATHERING

THE PRELUDE – *Now Thank We All Our God*..... Pethel

THE LIGHTING OF THE CANDLES

The two candles on the communion table are lit to remind us of the oneness of Christ with God and the oneness of Christ with humankind.

THE OPENING OF THE BIBLE

We open the Bible to remind us that God speaks to the people through the Holy Word.

THE CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: God has raised up a mighty savior!

People: Prepare the way! Serve God without fear!

Leader: Thrones, dominions, rulers, powers — these are all as dust before our God.

People: Prepare the way! Serve God without fear!

Leader: Praise be to God and the day of God’s favor.

People: Prepare the way! Serve God without fear!

** THE HYMN 587 – *Jesus Shall Reign*.....PROCLAMATION

** THE INVOCATION

THE WELCOME

At this time, please sign and pass the fellowship book located at the left end of the pew. When everyone has signed, return the book. Take this opportunity to note the names of the members and visitors seated on the same pew with you. Speak to them after the service.

THE HYMN OF THE MONTH 641

Sing to the Lord of Harvest (Stanza 1)..... JEWELL

THE CHILDREN'S SERMON

(At the conclusion of the Children's Sermon, all children, kindergarten through grade two, are invited to attend Children's Church)

THE NEW TESTAMENT LITANYLuke 1:68-79

Leader: "Praise be to the Lord, the God of Israel, because he has come to his people and redeemed them.

People: He has raised up a horn of salvation for us in the house of his servant David (as he said through his holy prophets of long ago), salvation from our enemies and from the hand of all who hate us.

Leader: To show mercy to our ancestors and to remember his holy covenant, the oath he swore to our father Abraham:

People: To rescue us from the hand of our enemies, and to enable us to serve him without fear in holiness and righteousness before him all our days.

Leader: And you, my child, will be called a prophet of the Most High; for you will go on before the Lord to prepare the way for him,

People: To give his people the knowledge of salvation through the forgiveness of their sins, because of the tender mercy of our God, by which the

rising sun will come to us from heaven to shine on those living in darkness and in the shadow of death, to guide our feet into the path of peace."

** THE HYMN 79 – *Blest Be the God of Israel*..... FOREST GREEN
(Stanzas 1, 3, 4, 5)

THE NEW TESTAMENT LESSON..... Colossians 1:9-20

⁹ For this reason, since the day we heard about you, we have not stopped praying for you. We continually ask God to fill you with the knowledge of his will through all the wisdom and understanding that the Spirit gives, ¹⁰ so that you may live a life worthy of the Lord and please him in every way: bearing fruit in every good work, growing in the knowledge of God, ¹¹ being strengthened with all power according to his glorious might so that you may have great endurance and patience, ¹² and giving joyful thanks to the Father, who has qualified you to share in the inheritance of his holy people in the kingdom of light. ¹³ For he has rescued us from the dominion of darkness and brought us into the kingdom of the Son he loves, ¹⁴ in whom we have redemption, the forgiveness of sins.

¹⁵ The Son is the image of the invisible God, the firstborn over all creation. ¹⁶ For in him all things were created: things in heaven and on earth, visible and invisible, whether thrones or powers or rulers or authorities; all things have been created through him and for him. ¹⁷ He is before all things, and in him all things hold together. ¹⁸ And he is the head of the body, the church; he is the beginning and the firstborn from among the dead, so that in everything he might have the supremacy. ¹⁹ For God was pleased to have all his fullness dwell in him, ²⁰ and through him to reconcile to himself all things, whether things on earth or things in heaven, by making peace through his blood, shed on the cross.

Leader: This is the Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

THE MORNING PRAYER

THE ANTHEM – *Lauda Anima*Andrews
(At the appropriate time, the congregation is invited to stand and join the choir in singing Hymn 32, stanza 4)

WELCOME TO UNIVERSITY BAPTIST CHURCH

We are blessed by your presence with us in worship, and trust that this hour will help to deepen your spiritual life. We look forward to meeting you personally at the close of the service.

BROADCAST SYSTEM FOR HEARING IMPAIRED

Our sanctuary is equipped with a broadcast system for the hearing impaired. Please contact one of the ushers to borrow a personal receiver.

LIVE RADIO BROADCAST

The worship service of our church is broadcast live every Sunday on WINA, 1070 AM.

WORSHIP HOUR CHILDCARE

Childcare is available during the worship service for birth through preschool on the ground level. See the ushers for information and directions. The Childcare workers today are Karen Minor, Michelle Proffitt, Suzanne Smith, Ellen Woodson and Anna Dean.

CHILDREN'S CHURCH

We offer a "Children's Church" for K-2nd graders. Children start worship in the adult service with their parents and then, after the children's sermon, follow their leaders to Room 210. For parents who wish to have their children stay with them during worship, activity bulletins and crayons are available from the ushers. The Children's Church leaders today are Laura and Emily Morris.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Sunday, November 24

2:00 pm "The Magnificat" – Sanctuary Choir, Orchestra with Jubilate
6:00 pm Real Life

Wednesday, November 27

No Supper or Activities

Sunday, December 1

11:00 am Worship – Hanging of the Green Service
6:00 pm Real Life
6:00 pm Jubilate Rehearsal

Wednesday, December 4

5:00 pm Wednesday Night Supper
(Reservations/cancellations required by Monday, 10 am)
6:10 pm Service of Remembrance
7:10 pm Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal
DVD Series – "Exploring the Roots of Religion" – Room 117

Sanctuary Choir and Orchestra with Jubilate

present

Magnificat

Settings by Jonathan Wilcocks and Mark Hayes

Today, Sunday, November 24

2:00 pm in the Sanctuary

Nursery Provided

Medicare Drug Benefits Seminar – December 1

Chris Owens is making himself available to provide information to Medicare eligible persons regarding the Drug benefits in Medicare. He will meet with all interested persons on Sunday, December 1 in Room 117 immediately following the morning worship service. At that time he will describe changes to the drug benefits portion of Medicare and answer your questions. A light lunch will be provided.

Poinsettias

If you would like a poinsettia placed in the church in memory or in honor of a loved one, please place your order by submitting a check payable to UBC for \$8.00 per plant by Monday, December 2.

Service of Remembrance

Wednesday, December 4

6:15 pm in Fellowship Hall

This will be a service to remember our loved ones. Candles will be lit to remember family and friends who are especially in our hearts and minds during this holiday season.

Children's Christmas Shop – December 11

We are collecting small gift items that our children can "purchase" as Christmas gifts for their family members. Bring donations to the Preschool Department by December 8.

A Quiet Place to Study – December 8-16

Volunteers are needed to host students in Fellowship Hall December 8-16 from 1:00 pm to 11:00 pm each day as they prepare for exams. If you can be there for **a couple of hours** or prepare snacks and goodies for the students, check the sign-up board or contact Alba Beasley.