

Text: Various Passages
Topics: Christ, Rulers, Righteousness, Satan
Advent: He is Our King

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A King is Promised

I. To Adam and Eve (Genesis 3:15)

God will give a _____ to Satan through a descendant of yours.

II. To Abraham (Genesis 22:18)

God will _____ the _____ through a descendant of yours.

III. To David (2 Samuel 7:12-13)

God will raise up a descendant of yours to _____.

IV. To Micah (Micah 5:2-5)

God's ruler will shepherd His people and though having _____ in eternity past, be _____ in Bethlehem.

V. To Isaiah (Isaiah 9:6-7)

God is sending you a ruler who will be born from your people, yet be your _____ and _____ forever.

VI. To Jeremiah (Jeremiah 23:5)

God will send a king who will uphold _____ and _____.

People are available Sunday mornings at the conclusion of each service to pray confidentially for your concerns. Simply come to the front as others are leaving ~ look for those wearing name tags.
You can also email us your prayer request and we will gladly pray for you!

Application Questions - These questions are provided for your further study and application of the subject of today's message. Thoughtfully writing out answers to these questions will help drive home the point. They are designed to be discussed in your home, with other believers, and in a Life Group, for even more benefit.

1. Why might we, as Americans, have a harder time understanding and appreciating the concept of having a king?
2. Read Genesis 3:15. Why do we now identify Jesus as that "seed of the woman"? In what way is the "crushing blow" good news and helpful to you?
3. In Genesis 22:18 God promised Abraham that He would bless the world through his seed. The work of Jesus in and through His followers has blessed the world for generations. How has Jesus helped you be a blessing to others?
4. In 2 Samuel 7:12-13 God promised David He would establish the kingdom of his descendant, and that he would have a descendant on the throne forever. In what way do you find living in His kingdom challenging today? (See John 18:36)
5. God promises through Micah (Micah 5:2-5) that He will send a King (ruler) from Bethlehem, but who is really "from the days of eternity," who will shepherd His flock. In what ways do you find it good news that Jesus will shepherd you?
6. In Isaiah 9:1-7 we see several descriptions of what Jesus will be to His people. Which one or two mean the most to you, and why?
7. In Jeremiah 23:1-7 God condemns Judah's bad shepherds and promises to send a wise king. What is the contrast between His rule and the world we live in? How does His "rule" in your life help you live in this world?
8. How will you ask your group to pray for you this week?