



## MARCH 2, 2025

### INTRODUCTION TO THE TEXT

*The final events for this universe are set in motion.*

### THE UNFOLDING OF THE SEVENTH TRUMPET

#### THE LORD IS SOVEREIGN [15-17]

- THE KINGDOM OF THE WORLD HAS BECOME THE KINGDOM OF OUR LORD AND OF HIS CHRIST,
- HE WILL REIGN FOREVER AND EVER.
- 24 ELDERS GIVE PRAISE.....
  - TO HIM WHO IS ALMIGHTY.
  - TO HIM WHO IS AND WHO WAS. (ETERNAL)
  - TO HIM WHO HAS BEGUN TO REIGN.

#### RAGE! [18A]

- THE NATIONS WERE ANGRY.

#### PLAN FOR JUDGMENT [18B]

- YOUR WRATH HAS COME.
- THE TIME HAS COME FOR THE DEAD TO BE JUDGED.
- REWARDS WILL BE GIVEN TO GOD'S SERVANTS.
- THE TIME HAS COME TO DESTROY THOSE WHO DESTROY THE EARTH.

#### COMMUNION [19]

- THE ARK OF HIS COVENANT

### WHAT DO WE LEARN FOR TODAY?

- We have access to God by His grace.
- The followers of Jesus will be rewarded.
- We are called to advance God's spiritual kingdom on earth until Jesus returns.



### FIRST KIDS

#### Sundays

**0-3yrs:** Nursery is available on the 2nd floor. **3yrs-5th Grade:** The kids begin their experience in 'big church' and then go to Kids Quest on the lower & upper level.

**Wednesday Nights 6:15-7:45 PM**

**Children may be dropped off anytime after 6:10 PM.**

**Squires:** 3yrs-Kindergarten - Children's Chapel

**GEMS:** 1st-6th Grade Girls - Sanctuary

**Cadets:** 1st-6th Grade Boys - The Lodge

### MOSAIC YOUTH

**Wednesday Nights** - Coffee House

**Middle School Ministry (6th-8th):** 6-7:30 PM

**High School Ministry (9th-12th):** 7:30-9 PM

**Sundays**

**D-Groups (6th-12th)** meet at 11 AM.

### OUTREACH

**Kadens Kloset** is always accepting gently loved children's clothing in all sizes for foster/adopted children. **Volunteers are welcome to help in the closet.**

**Food Shelf** - We collect donations on the 1st Sunday of the month.

### FIRST ADULTS



**Iron Man Groups** are small groups of men that meet weekly. If you are interested please contact *Ward Van Dyke*.

**Women of the Word** are small groups of women that meet

weekly. If you are interested please contact *Bekah Seuferer*.

**Life Groups** are small loving communities committed to loving each other, growing deeper in Christ, praying and caring for each other all in the warmth of a home and are open to anyone. If you are interested please contact *Bryant Seuferer*.

**Morning Connect** is on **Tuesdays, 6:30 AM** in the DeJong Coffee House. Helping men/women become disciples of Jesus Christ. *Led by Pastor Bob.*

**Systematic Theology II** is on **Sundays, 11 AM** in Fellowship Hall. Systematic Theology is an approach to finding answers every Christian needs to know: Doctrine of God, Doctrine of Man, and Doctrine of Christ. *Led by Pastor Bob.*

**How to Study the Bible** is on **Sundays, 11 AM** in the Dwelling Place. This class will help you to learn to read and interpret scripture carefully & faithfully. *Led by Bryant Seuferer.*

**Bible Blueprint II** is on **Sundays, 11 AM** in Forge Hall. Come take a journey through the New Testament! *Led by Alex Foley.*

## PRAYER CARE

If you are wanting to be prayed for after the worship service, there is someone at the front of the Sanctuary in the Prayer Cove that would love to pray for you.

People at First Church desire to hear from you when you are ill, facing surgery, hospitalized or with the death of a loved one. Please let us know so we can cover you in prayer and uphold you during the difficult times by **filling out the welcome card in the pews or emailing Shalene at [frc.pce@frcpella.org](mailto:frc.pce@frcpella.org)**.

**Pray for:**

- Bob & Amy Abel who are missionaries with Remember Nhu in Hideaway, TX. Pray for the spiritual, emotional, and physical health of the Remember Nhu mission staff, including the Abel family.
- God's nearness to Jo Owens-Lovett who will be having foot surgery on March 4.
- Julie Brillhart who will be having a biopsy of her pancreas on March 5.
- Lori Clark who is dealing with some health concerns.

**Rejoice:**

- God's Blessings to Bryant & Bekah Seuferer as they publicly claim to raise Joanna Elizabeth to know the Lord.
- Lyle Brillhart has returned home. Pray for continued healing and strength.
- Happy Birthday & God's Blessings to Rich Savery celebrating his 86th birthday today.
- Happy Birthday & God's Blessings to Jack Brockway celebrating his 84th birthday March 5.

## HAPPENINGS

### Piecemakers

Meet Tuesdays, March 18 & 25, 9 AM in the Fellowship Hall. Join us for fun & fellowship. Snacks & beverages are provided.

### EPICS Ministry

Join us for the first EPICS event of 2025 on **March 10, 1:30 PM** in the Fellowship Hall. Pastor Bob will talk about his recent trip to Greece. Snacks & beverages are provided.

### Adult Easter Choir

Some great songs have been selected and you will be inspired & blessed to sing and worship on Easter Sunday, April 20! **Rehearsals: Sundays, March 23 & 30, April 6 & 13 at 11 AM.** If you are able, willing and excited to be a part of this Easter Choir join us in the Sanctuary for rehearsals.

### Tulip Time Parking Passes

Passes are available for purchase in the church office. The 3 day pass is \$55 and will support missions.



**SAVE THE DATE**

July 14-18  
(6-8 PM)



**VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL**

MORE DETAILS TO FOLLOW



## CURRENT SERMON SERIES



## THIS WEEK @ FIRST

Please join us or pray for .....

- Today:** 9:30 AM Worship / Kids Quest  
11 AM D-Groups  
11 AM KQ Discipleship  
11 AM Systematic Theology II  
11 AM How to Study the Bible  
11 AM Bible Blueprint II
- Tuesday:** 6:30 AM Morning Connect
- Wednesday:** 8:30 AM MidWeek Meal Prep  
11:30 AM Ash Wednesday Service  
5:30 PM MidWeek Meal  
6 PM MSM Mosaic  
6:15 PM GEMS/Cadets/Squires  
6:30 PM Ezekiel  
7:30 PM HSM Mosaic
- Thursday:** 6 PM Praise Team
- Sunday:** 9:30 AM Worship / Kids Quest  
11 AM D-Groups  
11 AM KQ Discipleship  
11 AM Systematic Theology II  
11 AM Bible Blueprint II

