

Jesus RESTORER OF HOPE Lord of Lords
THE WORD Holy One
Bread of Life Master BRANCH
ALPHA & OMEGA Teacher
Dayspring Prince of Peace
Son of Man COMFORTER
everLASTING SHILOH Anchor
FATHER The Almighty Light
Counselor TRUE VINE of the
MESSIAH THE LIFE HIGH World
Giver of Life PRIEST
& Blessings THE BELOVED
FAITHFUL & TRUE WITNESS Shield ROCK
Mediator Wonderful Counselor
The Resurrection King of Kings
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Advocate Redeemer
The Way, the Truth & the Life

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Sunday, November 20, 2022

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Limitless Love | Courageous Action | Spirited Inquiry

Purpose Statement

Parkway United Church of Christ strives to be an inclusive community embracing: spiritual nourishment, open-minded inquiry, courageous action, and interfaith partnerships to fulfill God's calling to create a just world for all.

Congregational Statement

Parkway United Church of Christ, with God's grace, seeks to be a congregation that includes all persons, regardless of race, ethnic, or socio-economic background while respecting differences of gender, marital status, age, sexual orientation, and mental and physical ability. We aspire to act justly, to love mercy, and to walk humbly with our God. We invite all to share in the life and leadership, ministry, fellowship, worship, sacraments, responsibilities and blessings of participation in our open and affirming congregation.

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Welcome to Parkway

Thank you for joining us this morning. If you are with us virtually, please let us know you are here by commenting in the chat.

Welcome Children. We invite children to full participation in worship.

Today's flowers donated by Karen Nolte

Today's Scripture Reader: Sally Dischinger

Bell Rung During Lord's Prayer. A tradition begun when farmers working in surrounding fields would stop work and join in prayer.

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Mental Health Support

988 (new nationwide 3-digit number similar to 911... call or text)
24/7 Crisis Hotline 800-273-8255 (TALK) | 800-SUICIDE: 800-784-2433
24/7 Missouri Department of Mental Health 800-811-4760
Text 741741 and someone will text right back...www.crisistextline.org
Behavioral Health Network of Greater St Louis 314-449-6713

Anniversaries

- 11/21 HERBERG, Dan & Mona (11)
- 11/21 OSBORNE, John & Brandi (24)
- 11/21 ROGERS, Mike & Gerry (46)

Birthdays

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|-------|----------------|-------|------------------|
| 11/20 | LIVENGOOD, Kim | 11/22 | BIONDO, Lana |
| 11/21 | PENICO, Ella | 11/22 | MUCHNICK, Alaina |
| 11/21 | WILBOIS, Carol | 11/24 | CRAWFORD, Sean |

Reign of Christ Sunday

Sunday, November 20, 2022 | 10:00am | Sanctuary & Facebook Live

Meditation *I no longer pray for God to be present, or God to give me guidance. What I pray for is openness to God...God is always present. We build the walls that separate us from God. It is our responsibility to tear them down and open ourselves to God. ~Mary Kay Sauter*

Welcome Let us know you are here!

Passing the Peace of Christ

“May the peace of Christ be with you.”

(We are intentional about bringing more peace into the world.)

Prelude *Wake, Awake (Wachet Auf)*—Philipp Nicolai, arr. Albert Beck

Lighting of the Candles & Ringing of the Bell

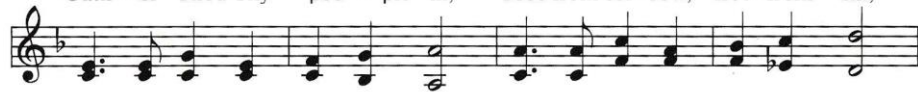
Welcome Song *Come, Ye Thankful People, Come* #551, v1



1. Come, ye thank-ful peo - ple, come, Raise the song of har - vest home;
2. All the world is God's own field, Fruit un - to God's praise to yield;
3. For the Lord our God shall come, And shall take the har - vest home;
4. E - ven so, Lord, quick - ly come To Thy fi - nal har - vest home;



All is safe - ly gath - ered in, Ere the win - ter storms be - gin;
Wheat and tares to - geth - er sown, Un - to joy or sor - row grown;
From each field shall in that day All of - fens - es purge a - way;
Gath - er Thou Thy peo - ple in, Free from sor - row, free from sin;



God, our Mak - er, doth pro - vide For our wants to be sup - plied:
First the blade, and then the ear, Then the full corn shall ap - pear:
Give the an - gels charge at last In the fire the tares to cast,
There for - ev - er pu - ri - fied, In Thy pres - ence to a - bide:



Come to God's own tem - ple, come, Raise the song of har - vest home.
Lord of har - vest, grant that we Whole - some grain and pure may be.
But the fruit - ful ears to store In God's gar - ner ev - er - more.
Come, with all Thine an - gels, come, Raise the glo - rious har - vest home.

Scripture Luke 1:68-79 (CEB – Common English Bible)

Bless the Lord God of Israel because God has come to help and has delivered the people. God has raised up a mighty savior for us in servant David's house, just as God said through the mouths of holy prophets long ago. God has brought salvation from our enemies and from the power of all those who hate us. God has shown the mercy promised to our ancestors, and remembered this holy covenant, the solemn pledge God made to our ancestor Abraham. God has granted that we would be rescued from the power of our enemies so that we could serve without fear, in holiness and righteousness in God's eyes, for as long as we live. You, child, will be called a prophet of the Most High, for you will go before the Lord to prepare the way. You will tell God's people how to be saved through the forgiveness of their sins. Because of our God's deep compassion, the dawn from heaven will break upon us, to give light to those who are sitting in darkness and in the shadow of death, to guide us on the path of peace.

*Call to Worship

*Song *Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise* #263



1. Im - mor - tal, in - vis - i - ble, God on - ly wise,
2. Un - rest - ing, un - hast - ing, and si - lent as light,
3. To all, life Thou giv - est, to both great and small;
4. Thou reign - est in glo - ry, Thou rul - est in light,



In light in - ac - ces - si - ble hid from our eyes,
Nor want - ing, nor wast - ing, Thou rul - est in might;
In all life Thou liv - est, the true life of all;
Thine an - gels a - dore Thee, all veil - ing their sight;



Most bless - ed, most glo - rious, the An - cient of Days,
Thy jus - tice like moun - tains high soar - ing a - bove
We blos - som and flour - ish like leaves on the tree,
All praise we would ren - der; O help us to see



Al - might - y, vic - to - rious, Thy great name we praise.
Thy clouds, which are foun - tains of good - ness and love.
Then with - er and per - ish; but naught chang - eth Thee.
'Tis on - ly the splen - dor of light hid - eth Thee!

***Opening Prayer** Bill Staines

All things bright and beautiful, all creatures great and small, all things wise and wonderful, we thank you, God, for making them all. We are grateful for each flower that opens, each bird that sings, all their glowing colors and their tiny wings. We are in awe of purple headed mountains, rivers running by, the sunset and the morning that brightens up the sky. The cold wind in the winter, the pleasant summer sun, the ripe fruits in the garden, God, you made them every one. Thank you for the eyes to see them and the lips that we might tell how great you are, O God, and how you have made all things well. Help us not to take these gifts for granted, but to cherish them, care for them and share them. Amen.

***Response** *Spirit of the Living God*

**Spirit of the living God fall afresh on me;
Spirit of the living God fall afresh on me.
Melt me, mold me, fill me, use me!
Spirit of the living God fall afresh on me.**

Children's Time Children are invited to Room 12 (Lower Level) and Youth to Room 15 (Lower Level) following this Children's Time. Please meet your child/youth in the Gathering Space just outside the Sanctuary after worship—as the teachers will bring them there after class.

Children's Anthem *Awesome God*—Rich Mullins

Sung & signed by the All New Children's Choir

Our God is an awesome God who reigns from heaven above
with wisdom, pow'r and love. Our God is an awesome God!

Blessing the Children *Jesus Loves Me*

**Jesus loves the little children, All the children of the world.
Every child in every land, Jesus holds them by the hand.
Jesus loves the little children of the world.**

Scripture Colossians 1:11-20a (CEB – Common English Bible)

We pray that you are strengthened through God's glorious might so that you endure everything and have patience; and by giving thanks with joy. God made it so you could take part in the inheritance, in light granted to God's holy people. God rescued us from the control of darkness and transferred us into the kingdom of the Son God loves. God set us free through the Son and forgave our sins.

The Son is the image of the invisible God, the one who is first over all creation, because all things were created by God: both in the heavens and on the earth, the things that are visible and the things that are invisible. Whether they are thrones or powers, or rulers or authorities, all things were created through God and for God. God existed before all things, and all things are held together in God.

Jesus is the head of the body, the church, who is the beginning, the one who is firstborn from among the dead so that he might occupy the first place in everything.

Because all the fullness of God was pleased to live in Jesus, and God reconciled all things to God's self through Jesus—whether things on earth or in the heavens.

Moment of Silent Reflection

Sermon

A Time of Prayer *Cares Chorus #2215*



I cast all my cares up-on you, I
lay all of my bur-dens down at your feet, and
an-y-time that I don't know what to do, I will
cast all my cares up-on you.

Pastoral Prayer & Prayers of the People

Lord's Prayer

 sung to the tune by Nate Stout

Our [Creator/Mother/Father/Holy One] who art in Heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done on Earth as it is in Heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our debts as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For thine is the Kingdom and the power and the glory forever. Amen.

[A variety of names for God are welcome here – including in the Lord's Prayer.]

Mission Moment

 Every Child's Hope <https://everychildshope.org/>

Offering Our Gifts to God

If you have an offering today, please place it in the plate on the communion table before the end of the closing hymn. There are also offering plates in the Gathering Space just outside the sanctuary. Thank you for your generosity.

Offering Interlude *For the Beauty of the Earth*—John Purifoy

Based on *Dix* by Conrad Kocher, 1838

*Response *We Plow the Fields and Scatter* #560, v3



1. We plow the fields and scat - ter The good seed on the land,
2. You on - ly are the Mak - er Of all things near and far;
3. We thank You, then, Cre - a - tor, For all things bright and good,



But it is fed and wa - tered By God's al - might - y hand;
You paint the way - side flow - er, You light the eve - ning star;
The seed-time and the har - vest, Our life, our health, our food;



God sends the snow in win - ter, The warmth to swell the grain,
The winds and waves o - bey You, By You the birds are fed;
Ac - cept the gifts we of - fer, For all Your love im - parts,



The breez - es and the sun - shine, And soft, re - fresh - ing rain.
Much more to us, Your chil - dren, You give our dai - ly bread.
And what You most would wel - come, Our hum - ble, thank - ful hearts.

*Prayer of Dedication Fred Pratt Green

Holy One, we sing a song of harvest, of thanks for daily food!

To offer you the first-fruits is as old as gratitude. Shall we, sometimes forgetful, of where creation starts, with science in our pockets, lose wonder from our hearts?

God, great Creator, to whom all life belongs, accept these gifts we offer, our service and our songs. And lest the world go hungry, while we ourselves are fed, make each of us more ready to share our daily bread. Amen.

*Song of Parting *For the Fruit of All Creation* #553



1. For the fruit of all cre - a - tion, Thanks be to God.
2. In the just re - ward of la - bor, God's will be done.
3. For the har - vests of the Spir - it, Thanks be to God.



For the gifts to ev - ery na - tion, Thanks be to God.
 In the help we give our neigh - bor, God's will be done.
 For the good we all in - her - it, Thanks be to God.



For the plow - ing, sow - ing, reap - ing, Si - lent growth while we are sleep - ing,
 In our world - wide task of car - ing For the hun - gry and de - pair - ing,
 For the won - ders that as - tound us, For the truths that still con - found us,



Fu - ture needs in earth's safe - keep - ing, Thanks be to God.
 In the har - vests we are shar - ing, God's will be done.
 Most of all that love has found us, Thanks be to God.

*Benediction

*God's Light Goes Forth

*Postlude Organ Improvisations on *Nunn Danke Alle Gott* Original tune by Johann Crüger, 1648

TODAY Speaker Series: *Ways to look at the Supreme Court—guidance to help lay people understand Supreme Court decisions and trends by Mark Sableman*

Sunday, November 20 | 11:15am | Heritage Room & Zoom

Mark will discuss these issues: Why we really can't expect the Court to be a "balls and strikes" umpire. Is it all about views of presidential power? What are originalism and literalism theories? What is the progressive alternative to originalism and literalism?

In addition, Mark will analyze First Amendment trends in which we have increasingly seen the court turn away from precedents, which gave speech rights to protect minorities and dissidents, to new doctrines that grant free speech rights to the wealthy, even allowing them to be used to beat down minorities and dissidents. There is a similar trend in freedom of religion, away from interpretations of the establishment clause, which protect minorities, to interpretations of the free exercise clause, which exempts adherents to majority religions from basic social rules like non-discrimination.

Finally, who is Samuel Alito and can he and others of his persuasion be neutralized by "court packing?"

Zoom:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/84691476997?pwd=aEM2ZURYWURLNmkwD0EzV0VHV1lyQT09>

Meeting ID: 8469147 6997 | **Passcode:** 181565 | **Dial** (312) 626-6799

Announcements

Please use the form at www.parkwayucc.org/communications for all announcements for our media. Bulletin and eNews deadline: noon Monday.

Christmas Gifts for Children—Every Child's Hope

Parkway UCC Adopting two families for Christmas

The Parkway UCC Outreach Christmas Team picked two foster families to assist with Christmas wishes. There is a total of 12 children of various ages. Each child has three wishes, and the foster mother has added suggestions for clothes. You may choose to adopt one child, and the expectation is that three items would cost about \$75. You may choose just one gift. If you would rather not shop, you can donate money, but please let Laura Waite or Carol Cobb know that you wish to do that. We will be collecting unwrapped items every Sunday. We also appreciate donations of wrapping paper. All gifts must be brought to PUCC by December 4 and placed in the CE Office. They will be delivered that week. We have posted the children's wishes on SignUpGenius – <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/30e0e49a9a722a2f58-echchristmas> You may choose a child or more to support.

Carol Cobb: ccjobb@aol.com | (314) 640-8166

Laura Waite: (314) 583-0696 | (314) 583-0696

TED Thanksgiving – Tuesday, November 22

2nd & 4th Tuesday | 6:00pm Potluck | 7:00pm Stories & Readings | Heritage Rm
Please join us for a TED evening with a Thanksgiving theme. We will be sharing family stories, poems and other readings related to the holiday. All are welcome! More info? Contact Helen Race: raceh@att.net

Communications Team Reboot Tue, Dec 6 | 7:00pm | Zoom

Our first meeting was an energizing time of vision casting. As we are still building the team, we welcome people with a background or expertise in editing, marketing, journalism, graphic design, photography, videography, blogging, social media and website creation/maintenance. There will be opportunities for involvement in specific projects and/or a longer term commitment. Please rsvp to Mona: mona@parkwayucc.org | 314-872-9330

Zoom: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/84691476997?pwd=aEM2ZURyWURLNmkw0EzV0VHV1IyQT09>

Meeting ID: 8469147 6997 | **Passcode:** 181565 | **Dial** (312) 626-6799

Creches on Display

Share a nativity scene with the congregation anytime after worship on Sunday, December 18 through Monday morning. Tables will be set up around the sanctuary for you to display any number of creches. No one will touch them as they enjoy them with their eyes and spirits. There will be note cards and tape for you to affix to the table in front of your nativity set with your name and anything else you might want to share about that particular creche. Please retrieve your creche(s) anytime after noon on Friday, December 23.

Questions? Speak with kevin@parkwayucc.org; 314-330-0629

Navajo Mountain Norla Chee

If you close your eyes
and take a deep breath
you can hear the green sage sing

The gray stones beneath you
feel young again
The breeze watches
it all with her Mona Lisa smile

Naatsis'áán takes it all in

The thunder of a hundred hooves,
whoops and hollers of the crowd,
the intensity of the riders
as in the day of wild warriors
on the warpath.

There are chicken pulls, children's foot races,
Navajo cake, kneel-down bread, drum songs

K'é shakes the roots of the mountain,
which gives the people her blessing

as does Sun God
with gentle warm breath.

The story I heard
was that the people
returned from Hwéeldi
and found strangers in their home.

Ashiih Litso just a boy, risked everything
on one horse race
and was blessed by the Holy People.

Another story goes that the mountain protected the people,
keeping soldiers away
and they never had to make the Long Walk.

Whichever story you live by,
the mountain remembers.
Eehaniih celebrates her,
head of the earth.

Norla Chee is a Navajo and Oneida poet. The author of *Cedar Smoke on Abalone Mountain* (UCLA American Indian Studies Center, 2001), she lives in White Rock, New Mexico.

A Thanksgiving Prayer A to Z

Thanks For the aardvark and the ant and all other creatures whose names begin with "A;" for the songs of birds, and honey from bees; for furry cats and swimming crayfish; for dingoes, and dolphins that swim in the sea; for elephants, and eagles who soar above the earth, let us say: we give you thanks, O God.

For frogs which keep us awake at night with their voices; for giraffes whose necks reach to the sky; for hamsters to pet and hogs who give us food; for insects who inhabit our world, let us say: we give you thanks, O God.

For jackrabbits racing across the desert; for kangaroos and katydids; for lions, lemmings, and lizards; for the mongoose, and monkeys who often remind us of ourselves, let the people say: we give you thanks, O God.

For nectarines which nourish us; for the octopus and oyster, gifts of the sea; for people, Lord, because we too are part of your creation, let us say: we give you thanks, O God.

For quartz which runs our watches; for rabbits, rats, and rainstorms; for snakes which slither in the grass; for trees that give us food and shelter; for the power of uranium, may we use it wisely and safely; let the people say: we give you thanks, O God.

For vipers and violets; for whales who swim the ocean and worms tunneling beneath the earth; for xerophytes; for yaks, and for yeast which leavens our bread; for the zebras, whose stripes are one place where black and white live peacefully together, we say: we give you thanks, O God.

Lord, all things in your creation are good. Bless all those parts of the earth which we have not mentioned. Make us faithful stewards of the gifts you have given. It is in Jesus' name we pray. Amen.

Thanksgiving Word Scramble

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Happy Thanksgiving

WORD SEARCH



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THANKFUL
FAMILY
PUMPKIN
FUN
TURKEY
PIE
INVITE
EAT
AUTUMN
LOVE
TRADITIONS
YAMS
JOY
KINDNESS
DESSERT
BLESSING
BREAD
CORN
DISH

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Prayer List

as of Wednesday, November 16, 2022

Celebrations

All the acts of kindness, justice and equity near and far.

Pastor Margaret Diz Philip Retirement Party today at 3pm
at St Thomas UCC - 17842 Wild Horse Creek Rd, Chesterfield, MO 63005

Concerns

Family and friends of Bart Coleman - grieving and giving thanks...

Visitation 10:30am, Memorial Svc 11:30am here on Monday, Nov 21.

<https://www.schrader.com/obituary/bart-coleman-jr>

Brussee/Dario/Race Family as Skyler & Justin welcomed **Jace** 11/2;
strengthening well in NICU - no longer on oxygen; oral feedings this wk!

Tom, Kris, Lucia, Laura McKenzie - grieving/giving thanks for Tom's
sister Mary Kay.

All impacted by Covid-19.

Continuing

Ross Livengood and Doris McCarter - healing after hip surgery.

Dusty & Lin - baby born with heart defect... major surgery soon (Yakel).

Edwin & Maria - his cancer returned; thought he was cured (Runtz).

Gail, Bill and Christopher Haack - chronic health challenges.

Patty and mom Estelle - as Patty receives hospice care (Pleis/Eiffert).

Jackie - special needs adult battling Parkinson's, cancer, dementia.

Josh - receiving chemo; needs a bone marrow transplant (Tarr).

Sharon - variety of health challenges (Rogers).

Sue Linson - recently diagnosed with leukemia (McKenzie).

Mary Beth Anderson - health challenges; apt break-in (Brueggemann)

Brooke - that she would find love and start a family of her own.

Val - strength and patience (Jim Winkelmann's 101 year-old mother).

Cherie & Mike Stolze - her health; her father's kidney disease.

Bill Darland - ongoing health issues.

Lizzie - awaiting liver transplant (niece of Barb Kuhlmann).

Anthony - multiple challenges as he lives his post-incarceration life.

Gary - risky behaviors; seeking balance and stability.

St Louis Association UCC Covenant Partner

Week ending November 20 - **Trinity UCC**, St. Louis; trinityuccstl.org

Week ending November 27 - **Zion UCC**, Florissant; zionuccstl.org

Home-Centered/Care Facility/Rehab Center

Marv Herpel - *Brookdale West County*; 785 Henry Ave, #217; Ballwin, MO 63021; 636-227-5838 [birthdate: March 3]

Sue Houser - *Bethany Ctr for Rehab & Healing*; 421 Ocala Dr - #209B; Nashville, TN 37211; 615-577-2049. [birthdate: July 8]

Pat Klein - *Anthology Senior Living of Wildwood*; 251 Plaza Dr, #325; Wildwood, MO 63040 [birthdate: September 21]

Bill Klein - *Anthology Senior Living of Wildwood*; 251 Plaza Dr, #104; Wildwood, MO 63040 [birthdate: March 8]

John Nourse *The Village at Cape Albeon*; 3300 Lake Bend Dr, #166; Valley Park, MO 63088 [birthdate: October 26]

Ruth Peace - 10379-D Forest Brooke Ln; StL MO 63146; 314-983-0253; meadletter222@gmail.com [birthdate: August 8]

Naomi Runtz - 272 N Lindbergh Blvd; StL MO 63141; 34-993-0469 naomiruntz@sbcglobal.net [birthdate: August 30]

Gladys Sims - *Friendship Village - 15200 Village View Dr, #2418*; Chesterfield, MO 63017; 636-898-8873 [birthdate: July 4]

David Smith - *Anthology of Town & Country*; 1020 Woods Mill Rd; #310; St Louis, MO 63017; 636-200-5076 [birthdate: July 24] (Father of Deb Carter).

Pinky Wilcoxon - 10379-D Forest Brooke Ln; StL MO 63146; 314-983-0253; meadletter222@gmail.com [birthdate: April 7]

Dick Witte - *Meramec Bluffs Assisted Living*; 40 Meramec Trails Dr; Apt #104; Ballwin, MO 63021; 636-368-7324 [birthdate: March 25]

Other

Pres Biden, VP Harris, Congress, all local, national, world leaders.

The “me too” Movement - shining a light on sexual abuse.

All people who live with mental illness.

Caregivers of all shapes and sizes.

PUCC Family struggling with employment; healthcare costs and limits.

Our Missouri Mid-South Conference and St Louis Assn UCC

Gun violence and other violence across the US and other lands.

Conversations about the Death Penalty in the United States.

Victims of Natural and Created Disasters around the world.

Healing of relationships between the public and the police.

Peace and Justice near and far

US Military around the globe.

Reign of Christ Sunday

Sunday, November 20, 2022

Colossians 1:11-20 **Together in Christ** *Thanksgiving Sunday*

On Reign of Christ Sunday, we celebrate the many names of Jesus. Here are some of them. Which ones speak to you? Which ones are the most important? Which ones do you think we could do without?

ADVOCATE
(1 John 2:1)

HEAD OF THE
CHURCH
(Ephesians 1:22)

WORD
(John 1:1)

PIONEER AND
PERFECTER
(Hebrews 12:2)

BRANCH
(Isaiah 4:2)

LORD OF ALL
(Acts 10:36)

BELOVED
(Matthew 12:18)

ONLY BEGOTTEN
(John 1:18)

MAN OF
SORROWS
(Isaiah 53:3)

PRINCE OF PEACE
(Isaiah 9:6)

HOLY CHILD
(Acts 4:27)

BREAD OF LIFE
(John 6:32)

MESSIAH
(Luke 9:20)

LIGHT OF THE
WORLD
(John 8:12)

PROPHET
(Luke 24:19)

CORNERSTONE
(Psalm 118:22)

HOLY ONE OF
GOD
(Mark 1:24)

ROCK
(1 Corinthians 10:4)

DAYSPRING
(Luke 1:78)

I AM
(John 8:58)

DELIVERER
(Romans 11:26)

JEHOVAH
(Isaiah 26:4)

IMMANUEL
(Isaiah 7:14)

COUNSELLOR
(Isaiah 9:6)

DOOR
(John 10:7)

ROOT OF DAVID
(Revelation 22:16)

SAVIOR
(Luke 2:11)

ALPHA AND
OMEGA
(Revelation 1:8)

KING
(Matthew 2:2)

VINE
(John 15:1)

GOOD SHEPHERD
(John 10:11)

TRUTH
(John 1:14)