

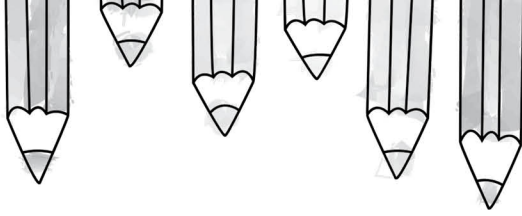
The Children's Worship Bulletin

Trinity Presbyterian Church

September 29, 2019



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Just a word from Mr. Mac

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Dear Children,

God has really given us some wonderful examples in David to follow today!!

For example, there comes a man in David's life who starts throwing rocks and stones and dirt on David. He's using very bad language and calling David a murderer.

Have you ever heard that jingle: Sticks and stones may break my bones, but words will never hurt me. Well, as you probably know, that is not true. Words DO hurt. Sometimes they hurt so bad we never forget they were said. People can be mean with their words. Don't ever do that – learn to say things that build other people up.

This man's name was Shimei. And he hated David. But what I want you to know is that David did not fight the man; he did not tell his soldiers to kill him (even though one of them really wanted to do so). David is patient. David walks away. And most importantly, David trusts God.

David trusts God in two ways: (1) He trusts God that perhaps what the man was saying was true!! David is humble here. He is willing to think that maybe God had sent this man to remind David of his sins. God loved David, and when God loves you He will show you your sin. His desire is that you then see His grace and mercy and forgiveness. (2) David trusts God by leaving this man in God's hands. Like I said, he didn't take it on himself to punish the man, beat him up, or worse – kill him. He trusted God.

There are other wonderful examples in David's life this morning – listen for a man named Ziba; and another man named Ahithophel. And in the end, see how David trusts God to provide for him in the same way YOU trust God to provide for you in His Son Jesus Christ Who came to provide for you salvation! Forgiveness! He came to meet your greatest need – to be forgiven for your sin. He loves you so much.

And I love you,

Mr. Mac

Suggested Questions for Mom and Dad to Use This Week

- 1. Like last week: read Psalms 3 and 4 this week as a family. You might try reading it in different versions of the Bible. Try to tie in when David wrote these Psalms while on the run from Absalom. (We know that is true of Psalm 3; we think it's true of Psalm 4.)**
- 2. Talk to your children about lying; consequences of lying; and telling the truth.**
- 3. Talk to your children about being kind; always using words that encourage and build up; to never develop a bad habit of language that doesn't please God.**
- 4. Point them to Jesus. Give thanks to God for His provision of Jesus. Thank Him for forgiveness of all our sin. Thank Him for protection.**



Do you have a:
Prayer Request? Is there something you need prayer for?
Praise Report? Has God answered a prayer?

Is there anything else you would like Mr. Mac to know?

Mr. Mac wants to know!!
Please write to him here and place your message in his box.

Dear Mr. Mac,

Name: _____ Age: _____

A Guide to Family Worship
September 30 - October 5, 2019

THE SIMPLEST OUTLINE FOR FAMILY TIME EVER!!!

10 EASY STEPS

- #1** Just make sure you gather once a day as a family.
- #2** Try really hard to make the same time every day.
- #3** It does not have to be long; it does not have to be perfect.
- #4** Read a Bible verse. Maybe a devotional.
- #5** Sing a song or two together.
- #6** Take prayer requests.
- #7** Pray. (Daddy, your children NEED to hear you pray.) Pray for the children; pray for missionaries; pray for Trinity Church; give thanks.
- #8** Everyone tell one thing they are thankful for.
- #9** Have a Leader of the Day: they get to read and/or pray and/or tell everyone to come gather and/or put out the Bibles/hymnals and/or tell something that happened to them that day.
- #10** Dad, pray this over your children: Numbers 6:24–26
The LORD bless you and keep you; the LORD make His face to shine upon you and be gracious to you; the LORD lift up His countenance upon you and give you peace.

Sermon Art

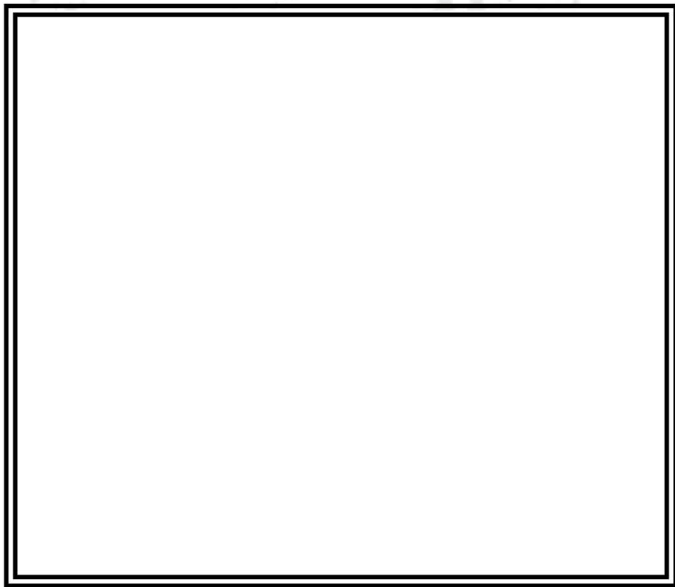
Use this page to illustrate something that Mr. Mac preaches on during the sermon this morning!

This week's lesson is on

II Samuel 16

Want to see your artwork on
the FRONT PAGE?

Put your artwork in the Sermon Art mailbox in the church office (bottom left hand side).



Name: _____

Age: _____

“And He said to them,
‘Go into all the world
and proclaim the gospel
to the whole creation.’”
Mark 16:15

Meet Our Missionaries!



Common Ground Montgomery

Started in 2006 by Bryan Kelly, CGM is a non-denominational Christian ministry that focuses on youth development and leadership, after school programs and camps, mentoring, community initiatives, and cross-cultural relationships and racial reconciliation. Their vision is to see a renovated, thriving community in Washington Park that has strong, godly leadership, intact two-parent families, cares for the underprivileged, poor, and marginalized, and becomes an incubator for gospel-created, cross-cultural relationships that transform Montgomery and beyond. Their Mission is to revitalize the Washington Park community and transform the city of Montgomery and beyond, to the glory of God, through:

1. Building leaders from urban youth through long-term mentorship, biblical discipleship, and developmental programs.
2. Creating an umbrella of Christian community development partners that focus on neighborhood transformation.
3. Teaching principles of unity and change through the Common Ground Institute.

Music and Hymns

#53 "Praise to the Lord, the Almighty"

**This hymn is so encouraging!
The Lord blesses us with so many things.
He is our health and salvation, He shelters us,
He grants our desires, He prospers our work, He defends us,
He made us, He guides us, He gives us relief.
Thank Him with praise and adoration!**

#246 "Man of Sorrows! What a Name"

**Isaiah 53:3 says "He was despised and rejected by men, a man of sorrows, and familiar with suffering." Can you imagine being hated by those you love? Can you imagine being beaten, spit on, laughed at, and tortured? Can you imagine then forgiving the people who did that to you? Jesus did all of this and He did it for you! He went through so much pain, yet He never sinned. He never yelled back or mocked back. He never hit back and ran away. He endured this suffering because He chose to.
"Hallelujah! What a Savior!"**

**"May the grace of the Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of God, and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with you all."
2 Corinthians 13:14**



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