



KINGDOM & COVENANT

The King & the Prophet

1 Kings 16:29 – 17:7 • Message #16

1. Ahab the King – _____

2. Elijah the Prophet – _____

TAKE HOME TRUTH

*Living in an evil day we must remind ourselves
our God _____ and _____.*

So, what can we do in light of living in an evil day?

Let's learn from Elijah. Three actions.

- *Be* _____.
- *We can* _____.
- *We can* _____.



Coming Up

February 8 – 1 Kings 17:8-24

February 15 – 1 Kings 18:1-46

February 22 – 1 Kings 19:1-21

Growing Deeper

Small Group Discussion Question

1. We've talked a lot about idolatry in our series. We've connected such idols to our hearts, Eze 14:2. What idols of the heart do you struggle with? What Scriptures can help?
2. Where and how does the NT refer to Elijah?
3. How have you experienced God's provisions in unexpected ways?
4. What can we learn from Elijah's prayer?
5. How did God use this text to speak to you?

Just a Moment

with Pastor Fred

Jim Lenze is a dear friend, former deacon when I served at Farmington. Jim now lives in Punxsutawney, PA. That's right, the famous groundhog town. He wrote the following a year ago. I share it with you today.

I have a friend, His name is Phil. He lives just down the lane and in Punxsutawney and all the world. No groundhog has more fame. This morning as I woke from bed and let our dear dog out. I jumped back in our snug warm house and gave a frigid shout. Oh my! It's cold! My app does read it feels like minus nine. I dream of sun and warm bike paths. And a ride 'neath oak and pine. For now, I fear I must stay in and snuggle with my wife. To go out now and take a ride would threaten my dear life.

I know that Phil has no real power to end these snowy bands. And winter will abate or go at God's alone command. Still, maybe Phil like a robin's tune is just another sign that our dear Father's gentle hand will soon command springtime.

Today I'll hunker in my house and know this Groundhog Day will be a sign to our cold feet. That spring is on its way. I hear a woof. My dog wants in like me she's had enough. We'll settle in for morning prayer and other warmer stuff. One final thought and I'll retire and end my little rhyme. I wish you joy this February 2 day. Have a lovely groundhog time!



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Magnify

*the LORD with me,
and let us exalt his
name together!*

PSALM 34:3

Prelude

Call to Worship

*All Creatures of Our God And King
Rise With the Sun*

Missions Moment

Scripture Reading & Pastoral Prayer

Jesus Thank You

The King & the Prophet
Pastor Fred

He Will Hold Me Fast

Benediction
Prayer Team

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THE LORD'S DAY February 1, 2026

Worship has been misunderstood as something that arises from a feeling which "comes upon you," but it is vital that we understand that it is rooted in a conscious act of the will, to serve and obey the Lord Jesus Christ.

Philosophy of Worship

We follow the model of Psalm 150, where varied instruments are used to praise the Lord.

Nursery Schedule

Sunday School

Cindy Bettenhausen & Julie Rizzardi

Worship Service

Nursery: Gina Froman & Jocelyn Carter

Toddler: Barb Bush, Sarah Winnie & Michelle Clark

Small groups meet this week.

Today

- 9:00am Coffee & Fellowship
- 9:30am Sunday School & Adult Bible Fellowship
- 10:30am Worship
- 11:45am Potluck & Annual Business Meeting

Wednesday, February 4

- 10:30am Senior Saints Bible Study
- 7:00pm Praise Team

Saturday, February 7

- 7:30am Men's Breakfast
- 5:30pm Rescue Mission

Announcements

Potluck & Annual Business Meeting will be held immediately after the Morning Service. Guests, please stay and have dinner on us. Copies of the 2026 proposed Budget are on the kiosk, along with an agenda for our meeting. Members are urged to attend.

Sympathy to Joan Allen on the death of her sister, Beccy Bush on January 18. A memorial service will be held this spring.

Men's Breakfast at Bob's Big Boy on Pennsylvania – this Saturday from 7:30-8:30am. Come and enjoy the fellowship.

The Rescue Mission needs helpers to serve the evening meal this Saturday. Meet there at 5:30pm. Sign up on the table next to the kiosk. See Matthew Price for more information.

A Biblical Foundation for Evangelism is an adult class taught by Pastor Anthony in the auditorium at 9:30am. Come an hour early to hear how you can be encouraged in gospel witnessing.

Ladies Caring Crew! Saturday, Feb 21 at 10am. Join us as we prepare gifts for our shut-ins and visit with them. We will enjoy lunch back at the church at noon. Please sign up to help us plan. More information at the kiosk.

Offering envelopes are now available in the church office. Mark your name off the list and mark your number on the box.

Camp Barakel's Connection Day meeting will be held February 28. RSVP by February 14 by calling 989.848.2279 Ext. 1215.

Communion will be observed on Sunday, March 1.

Beat the Winter Blues – Friday, March 13 at Don and Sue Depoorters. Family fun. More details coming soon.

"There is a prideful rising up in self-vindication, which no matter who is right or wrong, is in itself sinful."
- Elisabeth Elliot

MID-MICHIGAN BIBLICAL COUNSELING CONFERENCE

Holt Baptist Church
April 10 - 11

"Equipping Counselors in
Soul Care"



Special Speaker
Dr. Garrett Higbee
Soul Care Consulting

Today's Greeters
Donna Kimmel
Jan & Colleen Peck

Prayer Requests

Devote yourselves to prayer, being watchful and thankful.
Colossians 4:2

General Requests

- Camp Barakel Staff on sabbatical - Tim & Alyssa Elliott
- Josh & Carissa Bell - Senegal
- The Clark family
- Counseling Ministry - certification & weekly appointments
- For HBC to grow deeper spiritually / to reach out to others
- Mid-Michigan Biblical Counseling Conference, April 10-11

Physical Needs

- Bill Gillam - continued strength
- Chris Stolk (Lois Martin's nephew) - cancer
- Frank Bragg (Killian Loveall's grandfather) - mental health, diabetes
- Gina Golden - diabetic issues
- Jason Rowntree - lymph node swelling in chest
- Josh Golden (Gina's son) - healing & strength
- Kara deRoos (Ryan's mother) - Praise! No radiation
- Kathy Lange (Anthony's mother) - lung cancer
- Richard Handziak (friend of Chaney's) - cancer

Praying biblically - Colossians 3:15-17

"And let the peace of Christ rule in your hearts, to which indeed you were called in one body. And be thankful. Let the word of Christ dwell in you richly, teaching and admonishing one another in all wisdom, singing psalms and hymns and spiritual songs, with thankfulness in your hearts to God. And whatever you do, in word or deed, do everything in the name of the Lord Jesus, giving thanks to God the Father through him."

Prayer For Our Government Officials

Speaker of the House, Mike Johnson

Missions Moment

Dave & Jan Santos, Sao Paulo, Brazil

Prayer Individual of the Week

Bill & Carol Gillam

Shut in of the Week

Dave Murray

We don't have to perform our way into God's favor. We can come to Him again and again just as we are. He will never turn away; in grace He will always forgive.