



“King of Kings”

Communion Sunday

January 12, 2025

INTRODUCTION:

1. Jesus Christ is the _____ of the kings of the earth.

5 and from Jesus Christ, the faithful witness, the firstborn of the dead, and **the ruler of the kings of the earth**. To Him who loves us and released us from our sins by His blood-- [Rev 1:5 NASB95]

9 I, John, your brother and **fellow partaker in the tribulation and kingdom and perseverance [which are] in Jesus**, was on the island called Patmos because of the word of God and the testimony of Jesus. [Rev 1:9]

1) Jesus Christ is coming, _____ tense.

7 **BEHOLD, HE IS COMING WITH THE CLOUDS**, and every eye will see Him, even those who pierced Him; and all the tribes of the earth will mourn over Him. So it is to be. Amen. [Rev 1:7]

1) ...His kingdom is in the _____ realm.

36 Jesus answered, "My kingdom is not of this world. If My kingdom were of this world, then My servants would be fighting so that I would not be handed over to the Jews; but as it is, **My kingdom is not of this realm**." [Jhn 18:36 NASB95]

2) ...in the _____.

9 And after He had said these things, He was lifted up while they were looking on, and a cloud received Him out of their sight. ... 11 They also said, "Men of Galilee, why do you stand looking into the sky? This Jesus, who has been taken up from you into heaven, **will come in just the same way as you have watched Him go into heaven**." [Act 1:9, 11 NASB95]

2) Jesus Christ is coming to do _____.

28 God blessed them; and God said to them, "Be fruitful and multiply, and fill the earth, and subdue it; and rule over the fish of the sea and over the birds of the sky and over every living thing that moves on the earth." [Gen 1:28 NASB95]

1) He is coming to make dead men _____.

22 For as in Adam all die, so also in Christ all will be made alive. [1Co 15:22 NASB95]

2) He is coming to put all things in _____ under His feet.

22 For as in Adam all die, so also in Christ all will be made alive. ... 24 then [comes] the end, when He hands over the kingdom to the God and Father, when He has abolished all rule and all authority and power. 25 For He must reign until He has put all His enemies under His feet. 26 The last enemy that will be abolished is death. 27 For **HE HAS PUT ALL THINGS IN SUBJECTION UNDER HIS FEET**. But when He says, "All things are put in subjection," it is evident that He is excepted who put all things in subjection to Him. [1Co 15:22, 24-27 NASB95]

2. Christ will soon come and reign on _____ for a thousand years.

4 Then I saw thrones, and they sat on them, and judgment was given to them. And I [saw] the souls of those who had been beheaded **because of their testimony of Jesus and because of the word of God**, and those who had not worshiped the beast or his image, and had not received the mark on their forehead and on their hand; and they came to life and reigned with Christ for a thousand years. 5 The rest of the dead did not come to life until the thousand years were completed. This is the first resurrection. 6 Blessed and holy is the one who has a part in the first resurrection; over these the second death has no power, but they will be priests of God and of Christ and will reign with Him for a thousand years. [Rev 20:4-6 NASB95]

1) Do we represent Christ as the ruler of _____ kings or _____ kings?

16 And on His robe and on His thigh He has a name written, "KING OF KINGS, AND LORD OF LORDS." [Rev 19:16 NASB95]

✳ Is Christ's authority over the present _____ rulers?

- 18 And Jesus came up and spoke to them, saying, "**All authority has been given to Me in heaven and on earth.** 19 "Go therefore and make disciples of all the nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and the Son and the Holy Spirit, 20 teaching them to observe all that I commanded you; and lo, I am with you always, even to the end of the age." [Mat 28:18-20 NASB95]
- 19 For the report of your obedience has reached to all; therefore I am rejoicing over you, but I want you to be wise in what is good and innocent in what is evil. 20 **The God of peace will soon crush Satan under your feet.** The grace of our Lord Jesus be with you. [Rom 16:19-20]

2) The nations are Jesus future and present _____.

1 Why are the nations in an uproar And the peoples devising a vain thing? 2 The kings of the earth take their stand And the rulers take counsel together Against the LORD and against His Anointed, saying, 3 "Let us tear their fetters apart And cast away their cords from us!" 4 He who sits in the heavens laughs, The Lord scoffs at them. 5 Then He will speak to them in His anger And terrify them in His fury, saying, 6 "But as for Me, I have installed My King Upon Zion, My holy mountain." 7 "I will surely tell of the decree of the LORD: He said to Me, 'You are My Son, Today I have begotten You. 8 **'Ask of Me, and I will surely give the nations as Your inheritance,** And the [very] ends of the earth as Your possession. 9 'You shall break them with a rod of iron, You shall shatter them like earthenware.'" 10 Now therefore, O kings, show discernment; Take warning, O judges of the earth. 11 Worship the LORD with reverence And rejoice with trembling. 12 Do homage to the Son, that He not become angry, and you perish [in] the way, For His wrath may soon be kindled. How blessed are all who take refuge in Him! [Psa 2:1-12 NASB95]

3. Christ is seated on His throne in heaven awaiting His _____ throne.

1) Seated because His work is completed.

11 Every priest stands daily ministering and offering time after time the same sacrifices, which can never take away sins; 12 but He, having offered one sacrifice for sins for all time, SAT DOWN AT THE RIGHT HAND OF GOD, [Heb 10:11-12 NASB95]

2) Seated to await a _____ period of time.

- 13 waiting from that time onward UNTIL HIS ENEMIES BE MADE A FOOTSTOOL FOR HIS FEET. [Heb 10:13 NASB95]
- 6 So when they had come together, they were asking Him, saying, "Lord, is it at this time You are restoring the kingdom to Israel?" 7 He said to them, "It is not for you to know times or epochs which the Father has fixed by His own authority; [Act 1:6-7 NASB95]

3) Seated and awaiting the judgment of the _____.

- 37 FOR YET IN A VERY LITTLE WHILE, HE WHO IS COMING WILL COME, AND WILL NOT DELAY. [Heb 10:37 NASB95]
- 31 "But when the Son of Man comes in His glory, and all the angels with Him, then He will sit on His glorious throne. 32 "All the nations will be gathered before Him; and He will separate them from one another, as the shepherd separates the sheep from the goats; [Mat 25:31-32 NASB95]