

TABLE TALK



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Sunday Message.

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Order of Worship
2 January 2022

The Second Sunday of Christmas

We Gather to Worship God

Welcome
Worship in Song
Call to Worship
Worship in Song

Baptism Liturgy

Baptism of Aaron McLean
Worship in Song

We Listen to the Scriptures

Prayer
Sermon Series: Start Dreaming Again
Sermon: Part One - "King-Sized Dream"

We Come to the Table

Prayer of Confession and Consecration
The Lord's Prayer
We Eat and Drink Together
We Celebrate the Eucharist in Song

We Go to Live in the Reign of God

Community Life
Doxology
Blessing and Sending

Are you called to belong to Table Life Church? Do you desire to be intentional about growing in your relationship with Christ in 2022? Join us for a 3 week class on Sunday nights where we will explore who we are, what we believe, and what belonging looks like at



ALL IN MEMBERSHIP CLASS

SUNDAYS
January 9, 16 & 23
6-8pm

Sign up today by emailing
office@tablelifechurch.org

STARTING IN JANUARY 2022

GAME NIGHT

Second & fourth Fridays of EVERY month
Gathering Place 7-10pm

CONTACT THE CHURCH OFFICE FOR MORE INFO
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January 2022

COMMON MEAL



January 16th

In the Gathering Place after Worship
bring a dish and/or a dessert to share

Our mission is to learn the way of Jesus together as we invite others to join us at His Table.

Our Common Practices

We Gather

- We gather for worship more often than not.
- We gather in smaller groups to connect, learn, and grow.
- We create hospitable space for one another.

We Grow

- We attend the means of grace daily. (i.e. We attend to the presence of God through Scripture reading and meditation, prayer on behalf of others and myself, breath prayer, spiritual reading and study...).
- We nurture our faith.
- We attend to relationships that promote growth.
- We develop and learn as human beings made in the image of God.

We Give

- We are a generous people who give our time and resources to the mission of God and the world.
- We tithe as the means through which our community enjoys fiscal health so as to minister generously.

We Go

- We follow Jesus into the world as His healing presence.
- We help the vulnerable among us.
- We go into the world offering Jesus' invitation to gather at His Table.

Start Dreaming Again Part One- "King-Sized Dream" Pastor Kris Beckert

Is there a gap between where you are now and where you imagine you want to be?

I. Epiphany

- One of the 3 original Christian holy days (the other 2 are _____ and _____)
- Celebrated January 6
- Meaning of "Epiphany"—
- Significance—

II. Herod's Dream:

Matthew 2:1-3 After Jesus was born in Bethlehem in Judea, during the time of King Herod, Magi from the east came to Jerusalem and asked, "Where is the one who has been born king of the Jews? We saw his star when it rose and have come to worship him." When King Herod heard this he was disturbed, and all Jerusalem with him.

- Magi—
- Herod's response to Jesus--
- Two secret meetings—

Matthew 2:4-8 When he had called together all the people's chief priests and teachers of the law, he

asked them where the Messiah was to be born. "In Bethlehem in Judea," they replied, "for this is what the prophet has written: "'But you, Bethlehem, in the land of Judah, are by no means least among the rulers of Judah, for out of you will come a ruler who will shepherd my people Israel.'" Then Herod called the Magi secretly and found out from them the exact time the star had appeared. He sent them to Bethlehem and said, "Go and search carefully for the child. As soon as you find him, report to me, so that I too may go and worship him."

III. The Magi's Dream:

Matthew 2:10-12 After they had heard the king, they went on their way, and the star they had seen when it rose went ahead of them until it stopped over the place where the child was. When they saw the star, they were overjoyed. On coming to the house, they saw the child with his mother Mary, and they bowed down and worshiped him. Then they opened their treasures and presented him with gifts of gold, frankincense and myrrh. And having been warned in a dream not to go back to Herod, they returned to their country by another route.

- The Magi's response to Jesus—
- God warns the Magi and Joseph through

Big Idea: _____

Doggy Bag: Something to take home and chew on!



1. Would How have the past few years impacted your dreams? Have you stopped dreaming? Why?
2. In what ways are we tempted to focus on building our own kingdom instead of participating in God's kingdom? Has there ever been a time in your life when your dream was to build your own kingdom?
3. "A dream headed in the wrong direction will cause destruction." Do you agree? When has pursuit of something good turned harmful for you or someone you know?
4. What does it look like to join Christ in building His Kingdom? How has Christ changed the direction of your dreams?
5. Has God ever warned you through a dream?
6. What have you been clinging to that you need to surrender to Christ?

If you'd like to talk personally and confidentially w/ Pastor Kris about your relationship with Christ, please email pastorkris@tablelifechurch.org or call 717-774-6444 to set up an appointment.

New Here? Need Prayer?

Please fill out a connection card located in the seats in front of you or online

