



Ominous Successions

Hurrying Down to Disaster #11

2nd Kings 8:16-29

When our leaders do evil, they can expect disaster for themselves & for their nation; however, God's people even then wisely look to God & expect His goodness & grace to prevail.

I. Two Kings, Two Kingdoms, Same Story

II. Wicked King, Faithful God

III. Next King, No Change.

Additional Notes:

The sins of Ahab now influence the southern kingdom of Judah in the accession of Jehoram ben Jehoshaphat, who married Athaliah, and Ahaziah ben Jehoram, the son born of that union. Both are influenced by their pedigree, and their nation suffers the consequences of their misdeeds.

Israelite and Judean power continues to be whittled away.

- T. R. Hobbs, 2 Kings, p.106



**Covenant Presbyterian Church
of
Reno, Nevada**

**October 6, 2024
World Communion Sunday**

Service for World Communion Sunday

October 6, 2024 – 10:00 a.m.

And he walked in the way of the kings of Israel, as the house of Ahab had done, for the daughter of Ahab was his wife. And he did what was evil in the sight of the Lord. Yet the Lord was not willing to destroy Judah, for the sake of David his servant, since he promised to give a lamp to him and to his sons forever. – 2 Kings 8:18-19

We Gather because of The Sovereign God's Plan of Redemption

Prelude Nancy Tedford, organ

Church Family News & Time of Greeting

***Call to Worship** Psalm 62 (hymnal p.806) Patrick McNeely

We Worship Our God Who Has Redeemed Us

***Opening Hymn of Praise** #168

I Greet Thee, Who My Sure Redeemer Art

Children's Prayer Time Katie Guerrero

Prayer of Confession, Assurance & Response

Songs of Praise Samuel Dueñas & the CPC Praise Team
"You Brought Me Back to Life"
"10,000 Reasons"
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Jehoram of Judah

Reception of Tithes and Offerings

Offertory Anthem Covenant Choir
"May the Peoples Praise You"
– Getty/Cash

***Doxology (#731)
& Prayer of Thanksgiving**

God's Word Inspires Our Worship & Directs Our Steps

Scripture Reading: 2 Kings 8:26-29 (p.314)

Message: "Ominous Successions" Jay Hull
*(Hurrying Down to Disaster within the
Sovereign God's Plan of Redemption #11)*

Redeemed in Christ, We Come to Communion

***Unison Affirmation** The Apostles' Creed (Hymnal p.845)

Words of Institution and Distribution of the Elements

Readers for World Communion Sunday:
Steve Marsh – Latin; John Hirvela – German;
Nancy Xiao – Chinese Mandarin

Prayer of Thanksgiving and the Lord's Prayer

*Our Father, 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 sins as we
forgive those who sin against us. And lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil, for Thine is the kingdom and the power
and the glory forever. Amen.*

We Go Forth to Serve our God & His Plan of Redemption

***Closing Hymn** *Blest Be the Tie That Binds* #359

***Charge & Benediction**

***Postlude**

*indicates to stand if you are able



Jehoram of Israel