



THE HEIGHTS FELLOWSHIP

THIS WEEK AT THF

▶ TUESDAY

THF COLLEGE - Worship & Small Groups

7:00pm-9:00pm ~ Call Doug @ (806) 790-8732 for details

▶ WEDNESDAY

THF STUDENTS - Worship & Small Groups

7:00pm-8:30pm ~ Doors open at 6:30

▶ THURSDAY

THF Men's Ministry - Bible Study & Fellowship

6:30am-7:30am

UPCOMING AT THF

MAY 15-17 - Men's Ministry Retreat

MAY 16 - Women's Ministry Brunch

Accessing your 2025 Giving Statement

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Please continue to check all of our social media outlets and our website for updates to weekly activities and Sunday Services.

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FINANCIAL STEWARDSHIP

March 29, 2026

BUDGET GIVING: \$12,898.26

BUDGET NEEDS: \$19,902.00

YEAR TO DATE

BUDGET GIVING: \$222,848.97

BUDGET NEEDS: \$247,354.00

April 5, 2026



Risen Above All Kings

Christians do not worship a well-meaning martyr, or a dead heroic religious leader. The Living Christ indwells His church to lead and empower it!

- Steven Lennertz

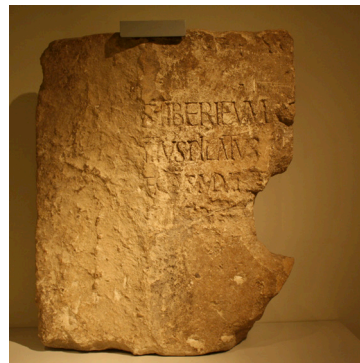
He is Risen King above All POLITICAL POWER

³³ So Pilate entered his headquarters again and called Jesus and said to him, "Are you the King of the Jews?" ³⁴ Jesus answered, "Do you say this of your own accord, or did others say it to you about me?" ³⁵ Pilate answered, "Am I a Jew? Your own nation and the chief priests have delivered you over to me. What have you done?" ³⁶ Jesus answered, "My kingdom is not of this world. If my kingdom were of this world, my servants would have been fighting, that I might not be delivered over to the Jews. But my kingdom is not from the world.

³⁷ Then Pilate said to him, "So you are a king?" Jesus answered, "You say that I am a king. For this purpose I was born and for this purpose I have come into the world—to bear witness to the truth. Everyone who is of the truth listens to my voice."

³⁸ Pilate said to him, "What is truth?"

After he had said this, he went back outside to the Jews and told them, "I find no guilt in him. John 18:33-38 esv



The Pilate Stone

He is Risen King above All RELIGIOUS POWER

^{18:39} But you have a custom that I should release one man for you at the Passover. So do you want me to release to you the King of the Jews?" ⁴⁰ They cried out again, "Not this man, but Barabbas!" Now Barabbas was a robber.

^{19:1} Then Pilate took Jesus and flogged him. ² And the soldiers twisted together a crown of thorns and put it on his head and arrayed him in a purple robe. ³ They came up to him, saying, "Hail, King of the Jews!" and struck him with their hands. ⁴ Pilate went out again and said to them, "See, I am bringing him out to you that you may know that I find no guilt in him." ⁵ So Jesus came out, wearing the crown of thorns and the purple robe. Pilate said to them, "Behold the man!" ⁶ When the chief priests and the officers saw him, they cried out, "Crucify him, crucify him!" Pilate said to them, "Take him yourselves and crucify him, for I find no guilt in him." ⁷ The Jews answered him, "We have a law, and according to that law he ought to die because he has made himself the Son of God." (esv)

He is Risen King above All PERSONAL ALLEGIANCES

¹² From then on Pilate sought to release him, but the Jews cried out, "If you release this man, you are not Caesar's friend. Everyone who makes himself a king opposes Caesar."

¹³ So when Pilate heard these words, he brought Jesus out and sat down on the judgment seat at a place called The Stone Pavement, and in Aramaic Gabbatha. ¹⁴ Now it was the day of Preparation of the Passover. It was about the sixth hour. He said to the Jews, "Behold your King!" ¹⁵ They cried out, "Away with him, away with him, crucify him!" Pilate said to them, "Shall I crucify your King?" The chief priests answered, "We have no king but Caesar." ¹⁶ So he delivered him over to them to be crucified. John 19:12-16 esv

Insights and Applications

A God who can create *everything* from *nothing*...
and sustain it all *indefinitely*...

Who can live as one of us *perfectly*...

Who can die our death *completely*

and *overcome* the death and the grave that hold us *tightly*...

Is a God worth to give your life and energy!

There is only ONE of those...

He is Risen Above All Kings!

THF LIFENotes

4-5-26

Easter

1. Pilate wrestled with truth, authority, and pressure from the crowd. Where do you see political or cultural pressures today influencing how people respond to Jesus? How can we live with confidence that Christ's kingdom is truly above all earthly authority?
2. The religious leaders rejected Jesus to preserve their own influence and system. In what ways can religious tradition, reputation, or "doing things the right way" keep people from fully surrendering to Jesus today? How do we guard our hearts from that?
3. The crowd ultimately chose Caesar over Christ. What are some modern-day "Caesars" (priorities, loyalties, or fears) that compete for our allegiance to Jesus? What does it practically look like to choose Jesus as King above all in your daily life?