COKER NEWS & GATHERINGS



GriefShare: Surviving the Holidays
November 19 | 1–3 PM | Wesley 703–704

Grieving a loved one this season? This one-time workshop offers comfort and practical tools for facing the holidays. Workbook $10. English only. To sign up: gail.hatcher@coker.org or 210-494-3455



Christmas Family Craft Night | Dec. 2 & 9
5:30–7:30 PM | Kids' Ministry Area

Families with kids of all ages, join us for crafts, snacks, and fellowship as we celebrate the hope and joy of Christmas together.
Contact: megan.rosales@coker.org.
Details at Coker.org/Events



Christmas Eve at Coker | December 24

- 3 PM | Children's Play Service | Sanctuary
- 5 & 7 PM | Candlelight | Sanctuary
- 6 PM | Contemporary Bilingual Family Life Center
- 10 & 11 PM | Candlelight | Chapel (in person only)

Watch online at Coker.org/Livestream.
Details at Coker.org/Christmas

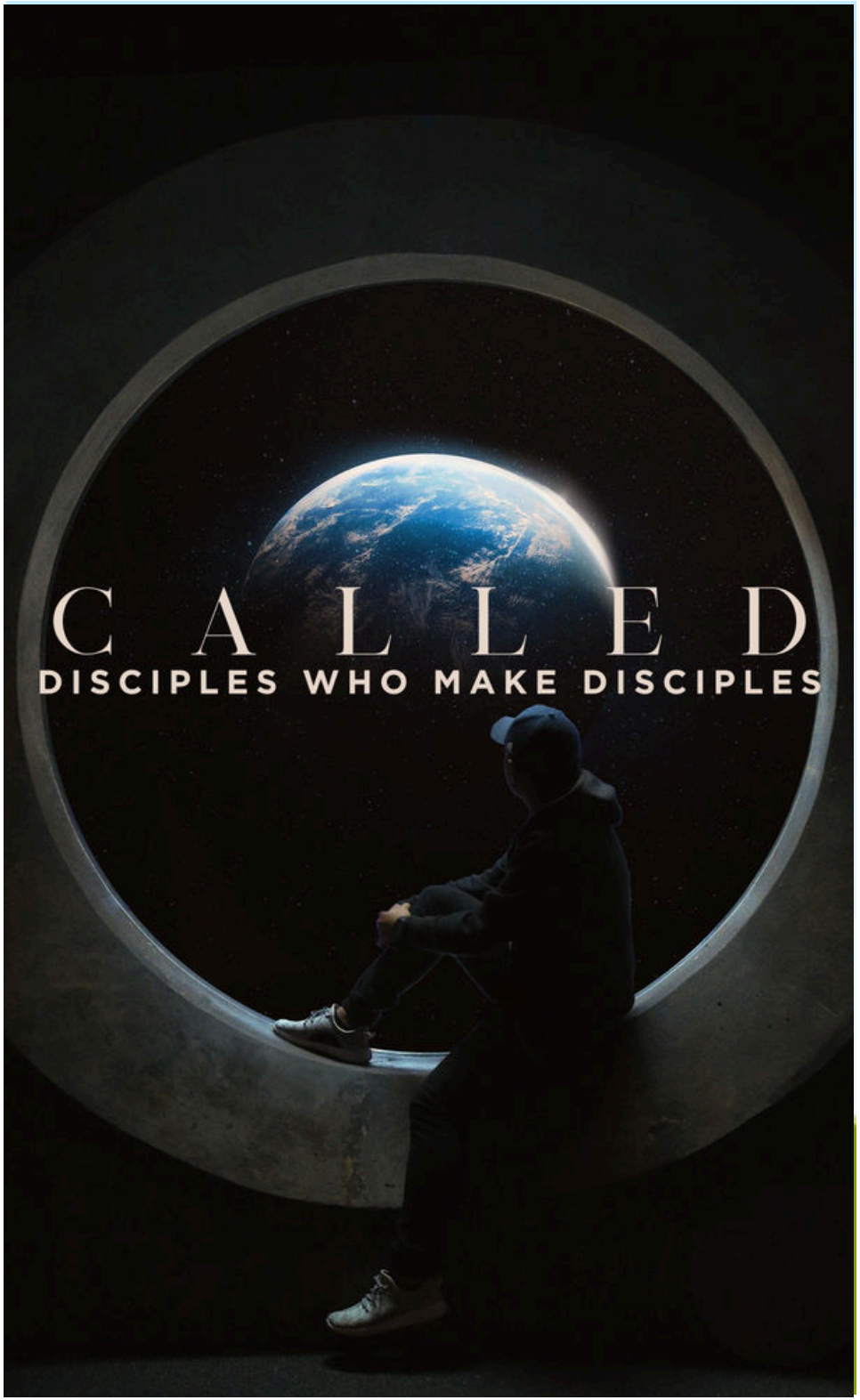


More Christmas at Coker

- Simply Still (Women)
  December 4 | 6:30–7:30 PM
- Women's Merry Little Christmas
  December 6 | 9 AM–12:30 PM
- Service of Remembrance & Hope
  December 6 | 3 PM
- Student Progressive Dinner
  December 6 | 4–8 PM
- Men's Football Watch Party
  December 12 | 1:30 PM
- Christmas Cantata | December 13 | 11 AM
- Christmas at Coker Concert
  December 15, 7 PM
- Las Posadas | December 20 | 6–9 PM

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For more upcoming events visit us at
www.coker.org/events



TODAY'S WORSHIP at 11 AM

25th Sunday after Pentecost - November 15, 2026

PRELUDE - Shall We Gather at the River (arr. Douglas Wagner)
Festival Bells

***CALL TO WORSHIP**

***HYMN OF PRAISE** - Rejoice, The Lord is King #277

***AFFIRMATION OF FAITH** #691

***GLORIA PATRI** #33

***WELCOME and PASSING OF THE PEACE**

STEPHEN MINISTRY RECOGNITION

CALL TO PRAYER - Open My Eyes, That I May See - vs. 1 #311

UNISON PRAYER AND PASTORAL PRAYER

THE LORD'S PRAYER

SPECIAL MUSIC - Pavane (Gabriel Faure, arr. Douglas Wagner)
Festival Bells

OFFERING OUR TITHES, GIFTS AND PRESENCE

OFFERTORY - Savior, Like a Shepherd Lead Us Festival Bells
(arr. Arnold Sherman)

***DOXOLOGY**

***PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION**

***SCRIPTURE LESSON** Matthew 28:16-20 NRSV Lynn Hurt

SERMON "What is a Disciple Maker?" Rev. Dr. Adam Knight

INVITATION TO CHRISTIAN DISCIPLESHIP

***HYMN OF COMMITMENT** - Lord, You Give the Great Commission vs.1-3 #463

***DISMISSAL WITH BLESSING**

***SENDING FORTH** - Lord, You Give the Great Commission-vs. 4 #463

POSTLUDE - Today We Are All Called to be Disciples
(hymn tune "King's Lynn") (arr. Lani Smith)

*Please stand, as able

FIRST-TIME GUEST?

Welcome! Thank you for worshiping with us today! At Coker, we have a place for you to belong and a plan to grow in Jesus. Please stop by the Welcome Desk to visit with Rich Holt or a Connections Team member after the service.



NOTES

"What is a Disciple Maker?" - Matthew 28:16-20 NRSV

Clergy

Rev. Dr. Adam Knight, Senior Pastor
Rev. Damon Relder, Senior Associate Pastor
Rev. Clay Smallwood, Pastor of NextGen Ministries
Rev. José Mercado, Pastor of Coker Español

Music and Worship

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