Peninsula Bible Church Cupertino
Sunday, November 8, 2026

"The King Under God's Word"
1 Samuel 9:18–27 (NIV)



Music: Chris Cuyle & Team
Host: Shea Charkowsky
Message: Eugene Kwon

We gather in worship to remind ourselves who God is, what he has done in Christ and what he is doing through his Spirit. Our desire is to praise God and receive afresh his Spirit in us, to affirm that we are family reconciled one to another and to be empowered to reach out to the world.

Family Life (see pbcc.org for more info)

November 1: ***How to Share Your Faith Class*** 10:30am
November 12: ***Young Singles Dinner & Bible Study*** 6:30pm
November 14: ***OCC Packing Party*** 10:00am – 3:00pm
November 15: ***IJM Romania Lunch*** 12:00pm
2nd & 4th Sunday: ***Church-wide Prayer Meeting*** 7:00am
Every Sunday: ***Sunday AM Prayer Meeting*** 8:30am
Every Sunday: ***Body Life in Mandarin*** 10:30am

Call to Worship: Psalm 2 (NIV)

Scripture Reading: Deuteronomy 17:18–20a (NIV)

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18 Saul approached Samuel in the gateway and asked, "Would
you please tell me where the seer's house is?"

19 "I am the seer," Samuel replied. "Go up ahead of me to the
high place, for today you are to eat with me, and in the
morning I will send you on your way and will tell you all that
is in your heart. 20 As for the donkeys you lost three days ago,
do not worry about them; they have been found. And to
whom is all the desire of Israel turned, if not to you and your
whole family line?"

21 Saul answered, "But am I not a Benjamite, from the
smallest tribe of Israel, and is not my clan the least of all the
clans of the tribe of Benjamin? Why do you say such a thing
to me?"

22 Then Samuel brought Saul and his servant into the hall and
seated them at the head of those who were invited—about
thirty in number. 23 Samuel said to the cook, "Bring the piece
of meat I gave you, the one I told you to lay aside."

24 So the cook took up the thigh with what was on it and set it
in front of Saul. Samuel said, "Here is what has been kept for
you. Eat, because it was set aside for you for this occasion
from the time I said, 'I have invited guests.'" And Saul dined
with Samuel that day.

25 After they came down from the high place to the town,
Samuel talked with Saul on the roof of his house. 26 They rose
about daybreak, and Samuel called to Saul on the roof, "Get
ready, and I will send you on your way." When Saul got
ready, he and Samuel went outside together. 27 As they were
going down to the edge of the town, Samuel said to Saul,
"Tell the servant to go on ahead of us"—and the servant did
so—"but you stay here for a while, so that I may give you a
message from God."

Praises & Prayer Requests

Please pray for…

- the winter coat distribution
- us not to worry - life is more than food, and the body more than clothes. Consider the ravens: They do not sow or reap, they have no storeroom or barn; yet God feeds them. And how much more valuable you are than birds!

Praise for …

- living in the moment watching squirrels play tag on redwood trees.