

Crossway Multinational Church

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My mouth will speak in praise of the Lord.
Let every creature praise his holy name
for ever and ever.

Psalm 145:21

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Our greeting time will begin shortly,
thank you for coming early!

February 7, 2021

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Welcome to
Crossway Multinational Church!

We **strive** to be a **church** that is
for, of and by
the peoples of many nations

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

Sign up for church e-mails
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	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
FEBRUARY	7			10	11	12	13
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The Lord's Supper

Prayer Gathering, 4:30pm

"Family Room Zoom" 7pm

You are invited to come in-person!
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<https://crosswaymchurch.org/in-person-signup/>

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Life Groups

The 4 strands of a Life Group

- Community: get to know and care for each other
- Scripture: studying God's Word together
- Culture: growing in intercultural awareness and ability
- Serving beyond ourselves

Starting a new women's group

- Contact Jean Eddy jeddy57@gmail.com

Other options available

- Contact Pastor John johnbell@crosswaymchurch.org

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Serving Beyond Ourselves

Love Clothing Center

- At Judson Memorial Church
- Periodic volunteering to help with clothing distribution
- Contact John Tilden tildenjr@gmail.com

Donating for small household items

- At Mount Hope United Methodist Church
- Receiving donations and funds to give small household items to those in need (see the bulletin)

Special Offering for Myanmar Church

- More later in the service

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GREETINGS

Take a moment to turn on video and “look around”

- Feel free to use the chat function to greet others too

Waving poll: Give a big wave if...

- You are going to watch the Super Bowl
- You are going to watch advertisements that are periodically interrupted by “sport”
- You think, “the super WHAT???”
- You are dreaming of life in a warmer climate
- You thank God for the His Spirit among His people

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GREETINGS

Pastor Mark & Amy Burks

Our Redeemer Evangelical Free Church
Midland, MI

Eastern Michigan Area Superintendent
Evangelical Free Church of America

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English

Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing

→ Come, Thou Fount of every blessing,
 全能真神，萬福源頭，
Quánnéng zhēnshén, wànfú yuántóu,
tune my heart to sing Thy grace;
 懇求使我常歌頌；
kěngqiú shǐ wǒ cháng gēsòng

Fount = source of good
 tune = adjust
 grace = love and forgiveness

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streams of mercy, never ceasing,
 恩澤無窮，不息湧流，
Ēnzé wúqióng, bù xī yǒngliú,
call for songs of loudest praise.
 應當頌讚主恩寵；
yīngdāng sòng zàn zhǔ ēnchǒng

streams = continuous flow
 call for = make necessary

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Teach me some melodious sonnet,
 願主教我，優美音樂，
yuànzhǔjiào wǒ, yōuměi yīnyuè,
 sung by flaming tongues above;
 天使天軍常誦唱；
tiānshǐ tiān jūn cháng sòng chàng;

melodious sonnet = beautiful song
 flaming tongues = the voices of angels

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Praise the mount! I'm fixed upon it,
 讚美我主，救恩穩妥，
zànměi wǒ zhǔ, jiù ēn wěntuǒ,
mount of Thy redeeming love.
 永遠堅定愛深長。
yǒngyuǎn jiāndìng ài shēncháng

mount = Mount Zion, a sign of God's love
 fixed = staying forever

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Chinese

This my glad commemoration
 我要立石，以便以謝，
 → Wǒ yào lìshí, yǐbiàn yǐ xiè,
that 'til now I've safely come;
 蒙主幫助到如今；
 méng zhǔ bāngzhù dào rújīn;

commemoration = remembrance
'til = until

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And I hope, by Thy good pleasure
 尚望恩主，一生導引，
 shàng wàng ēn zhǔ, yīshēng dǎo yǐn,
safely to arrive at home.
 安抵天家蒙福蔭；
 ān dǐ tiān jiā méng fú yīn;

at home = be with God

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Jesus sought me when a stranger,
 我本失喪，遠離父家，
 wǒ běn shī sàng, yuǎnlí fù jiā,
wandering from the fold of God;
 耶穌親自來引路；
 yēsū qīnzì lái yǐnlù;

sought = searched for
fold of God = within God's protection

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He, to rescue me from danger,
 恩主救我，免於危險，
 ēn zhǔ jiù wǒ, miǎn yú wéixiǎn,
interposed His precious blood.
 流出寶血洗罪污。
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interposed = inserted for protection
His precious blood = Jesus' death on the cross

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Oh, to grace how great a debtor
 浩大恩典，每日加添，
Hàodà ēndiǎn, měi rì jiā tiān,
 daily I'm constrained to be!
 主恩難報永虧欠；
zhǔ ēn nán bào yǒng kuīqiàn;

grace = God's great love and forgiveness
debtor = one who owes
constrained = forced (because I daily do wrong)

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Let Thy goodness, like a fetter
 願主恩惠，如鏈相牽，
yuàn zhǔ ēnhuì, rú liàn xiāng qiān,
bind my wandering heart to Thee:
 繫我心與主相連；
xì wǒ xīn yǔ zhǔ xiānglián;

fetter = chain, restraint
bind = fasten

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Prone to wander, Lord, I feel it,
 主我深知，內心軟弱，
zhǔ wǒ shēn zhī, nèixīn ruǎnrào,
prone to leave the God I love:
 總是偏行走己路；
zǒng shì piān xíngzǒu jǐ lù;

Prone = likely to

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Here's my heart, oh, take and seal it,
 獻我身心，求加烙印，
xiàn wǒ shēnxīn, qiú jiā làoyìn,
seal it for Thy courts above.
 與主同在蒙祝福。
yǔ zhǔ tóng zài méng zhùfú.

seal it = fasten it securely
courts above = heaven

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PSALM 145:1-13

I will exalt you, my God the King;

I will praise your name for ever and ever.

Every day I will praise you

and extol your name for ever and ever.

exalt = praise, speak highly of
extol = praise enthusiastically

26

Great is the Lord and most worthy of praise;
his greatness no one can fathom.

One generation commends your works to another;
they tell of your mighty acts.

They speak of the glorious splendor of your majesty—
and I will meditate on your wonderful works.

They tell of the power of your awesome works—
and I will proclaim your great deeds.

They celebrate your abundant goodness
and joyfully sing of your righteousness.

fathom = fully understand
splendor = splendid appearance, grandeur

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The Lord is gracious and compassionate,
slow to anger and rich in love.

The Lord is good to all;

he has compassion on all he has made.

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All your works praise you, Lord;
 your faithful people extol you.
 They tell of the glory of your kingdom
 and speak of your might,
 so that all people may know of your mighty acts
 and the glorious splendor of your kingdom.
 Your kingdom is an everlasting kingdom,
 and your dominion endures through all generations.

extol = praise enthusiastically
 splendor = splendid appearance, grandeur
 dominion = God's authority

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Creation Sings the Father's Song

Creation sings the Father's song;
 He calls the sun to wake the dawn
 and run the course of day
 till evening falls in crimson rays.

Father's song = praise to God
wake the dawn = cause the sunrise
run the course = sun's movement across the sky
crimson rays = deep red of sunset

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His fingerprints in flakes of snow,
 His breath upon this spinning globe,
 He charts the eagle's flight;
commands the newborn baby's cry.

charts = determines
 commands the newborn baby's cry = gives life to babies

31

Hallelujah!
 Let all creation stand and sing,
 "Hallelujah!"
 Fill the earth with songs of worship;
 tell the wonders of creation's King.

Hallelujah! = Praise God!

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Creation gazed upon His face;
 the ageless One in time's embrace
unveiled the Father's plan
 of reconciling God and man.

Creation gazed = angels and people amazed at Jesus' birth
ageless One in time's embrace = God became man as Jesus
unveiled = revealed
reconciling = restoring friendship

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A second Adam walked the earth,
 whose blameless life would break the curse,
 whose death would set us free
 to live with Him eternally.

second Adam = Jesus Christ
break the curse = rescue from judgment and death

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Creation longs for His return,
 when Christ shall reign upon the earth;
 the bitter wars that rage
 are birth pains of a coming age.

longs for = strong desire for
reign = rule over
rage = be uncontrollably violent
birth pains = difficult time before the joy of birth

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When He renews the land and sky,
 all heav'n will sing and earth reply
 with one resplendent theme:
 the glories of our God and King!

resplendent = shining brilliantly, attractive

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Oh, the Depth and the Height

Oh, the depth and the height of the riches of God,
 all the wisdom, love, power,
 and the treasures to own,
 all are found in the King, who once laid down his crown,
 giving his life for ours to save us.

treasures to own = goodness that can be ours
laid down his crown = gave up his rights and honor

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All my fountains are found in the heart of my God,
 from the river that flowed
 when the Lamb shed his blood.
 He can wash every sin
 that has tarnished my soul,
robe me in righteousness forever.

fountains = sources of good
river that flowed = abundant blessing
Lamb = Jesus Christ
shed his blood = died on the cross
tarnished = made less valuable
robe me = clothe me

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All the treasures of earth could not outshine this Son,
 for his kingdom is glorious.
 He is all that I need in this life and beyond,
 and his kingdom is glorious.

outshine = be better or longer lasting
Son = Jesus Christ

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One day heaven and earth will resound with his praise,
 with archangels and men,
 falling down on their knees.
 For the King of all heaven,
 who has won victory, comes in glory and power
 forever.

resound = be filled with
archangels = highest ranking angels

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When I stand on that day, in that glorious place,
 there beholding his glory,
beholding his face.
 All the suffering and pain in this life will have ceased,
 in the presence of Christ
 my Savior.

that day = when Jesus Christ visibly rules over all
that glorious place = in God's presence
beholding = see clearly

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outshine = be better or longer lasting

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His kingdom lasts forever,
His kingdom knows no measure.
His kingdom lasts forever,
His kingdom is glorious.

knows no measure = so big it cannot be measured

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Santo, Santo, Santo, mi Corazón

Spanish

¡Santo, santo, santo
Holy, holy, holy,
mi corazón te adora!
my heart, my heart adores you!
Mi corazón te sabe decir
My heart pours out my praise to you;
¡Santo eres Señor!
You are holy, Lord!

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English

Holy, holy, holy,
 my heart, my heart adores you!
 My heart pours out my praise to you;
 You are holy, Lord!

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Chinese

聖哉、聖哉、聖哉 *Holy, holy, holy*
 Sheng zai, sheng zai, sheng zai
 我心、我心 敬拜你 *my heart, my heart adores you!*
 Wo xin, wo xin jing bai ni
 我心 喜樂地來歌頌 *My heart pours out my praise to you;*
 Wo xin xi le de lai ge song
 你是聖潔神 *You are holy, Lord!*
 Ni shi sheng jie shen

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Korean

거룩, 거룩, 거룩 *Holy, holy, holy*
 Gawrohk, Gawrohk, Gawrohk,
 나를 주님께 드립니다 *my heart, my heart adores you!*
 Nahruhl Juneemke drimneedah.
 내가 주님 찬양합니다 *My heart pours out my praise to you;*
 Nayga Juneem chan yahng hopneedah,
 거룩 하신, 주님 *You are holy, Lord!*
 Gawrohk hashin, Juneem.

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Japanese

聖なる方 *Holy, holy, holy*
 Sei naru kata
 御名をたたえます *my heart, my heart adores you!*
 Mina wo tatae masu
 賛美を捧げます *My heart pours out my praise to you;*
 Sanbi wo sasage masu
 聖なる主よ *You are holy, Lord!*
 Sei naru Shu yo

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sing language of choice

(Spanish) ¡Santo, santo, santo
(Chinese) Sheng zai, sheng zai, sheng zai
(Korean) Gawrohk, Gawrohk, Gawrohk,
(Japanese) Sei naru kata
(English) Holy, holy, holy,

(Spanish) mi corazón te adora!
(Chinese) Wo xin, wo xin jing bai ni
(Korean) Nahruhl Juneemke drimneedah.
(Japanese) Mina wo tatae masu
(English) my heart, my heart adores you!

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(Chinese) Ni shi sheng jie shen
(Korean) Gawrohk hashin, Juneem.
(Japanese) Sei naru Shu yo
(English) You are holy, Lord!

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PRAYER OF INTERCESSION

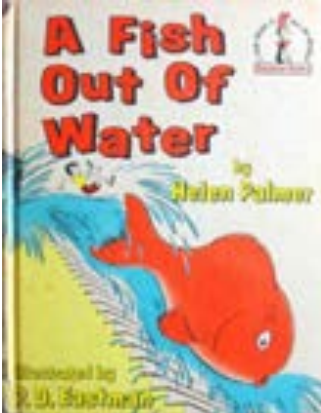
Myanmar
 Military coup d'état
 on February 1



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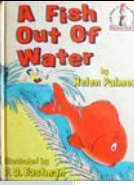
Human Stories

- **Beginning**
 - Often we see a hint of where the trouble will be (warning)
- **Middle**
 - The crisis: well–deserved trouble
- **End**
 - The crisis is resolved
 - The lesson is learned



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A Fish Out of Water, by Helen Palmer



Beginning	A boy got a pet fish Warning: "Never feed him a lot. Just so much, and no more! Never more than a spot! Or something may happen. You never know what."
Middle	The boy fed the fish too much The fish grew and grew, until it outgrew the fishbowl, the bathtub, and even the community swimming pool!
End	Finally the boy called the pet store for help The pet store owner dove into the pool with a bag of tools Mysteriously he made the fish small again He said: "Now you know never to feed your fish too much!"

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The Story of the People of Israel

Beginning	God called the people of Israel to be His people Warning: "If you do not obey the Lord your God and do not carefully follow all his commands and decrees I am giving you today, all these curses will come on you and overtake you... You will plant a vineyard, but you will not even begin to enjoy its fruit... A people that you do not know will eat what your land and labor produce. " <i>Deuteronomy 28:15, 30, 33</i>
Middle	They disobeyed God called Assyria and Babylon to conquer Israel and take them into exile and consume their harvests
End	?

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The Ongoing Story of God's People in Jesus

Beginning	The call: "Follow me!" The warning: "Whoever wants to be my disciple must deny themselves and take up their cross daily and follow me." <i>Luke 9:23</i> "And whoever does not carry their cross and follow me cannot be my disciple. " <i>Luke 14:27</i>
Middle	You, and I, and we all fail to follow even for those with the Spirit of God living within us!! The crisis
End	?

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The Effectual Love of God

Isaiah 62:1-12



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Isaiah 62:1-3

For Zion's sake I will not keep silent,
 for Jerusalem's sake I will not remain quiet,
 till her vindication shines out like the dawn,
 her salvation like a blazing torch.
 The nations will see your vindication,
 and all kings your glory;
 you will be called by a new name
 that the mouth of the Lord will bestow.
 You will be a crown of splendor in the Lord's hand,
 a royal diadem in the hand of your God.

Zion, Jerusalem = places that represent God's people
vindication = righteousness (status and character)
royal diadem = symbol of honor and power

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Isaiah 62:4-5

No longer will they call you Deserted,
 or name your land Desolate.
 But you will be called Hephzibah [my delight is in her],
 and your land Beulah [married];
 for the Lord will take delight in you,
 and your land will be married.
 As a young man marries a young woman,
 so will your Builder marry you;
 as a bridegroom rejoices over his bride,
 so will your God rejoice over you.

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Isaiah 62:6-7

I have posted watchmen on your walls, Jerusalem;
 they will never be silent day or night.
 You who call on the Lord,
 give yourselves no rest,
 and give him no rest
 till he establishes Jerusalem
 and makes her the praise of the earth.

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Isaiah 62:8-9

The Lord has sworn by his right hand
 and by his mighty arm:
 "Never again will I give your grain
 as food for your enemies,
 and never again will foreigners drink the new wine
 for which you have toiled;
 but those who harvest it will eat it
 and praise the Lord,
 and those who gather the grapes will drink it
 in the courts of my sanctuary."

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Isaiah 62:10

Pass through,
 pass through the gates!
 Prepare the way for the people.
 Build up,
 build up the highway!
 Remove the stones.
 Raise a banner for the nations.

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Isaiah 62:11-12

The Lord has made proclamation
 to the ends of the earth:
 “Say to Daughter Zion,
 ‘See, your Savior comes!
 See, his reward is with him,
 and his recompense accompanies him.’”
 They will be called the Holy People,
 the Redeemed of the Lord;
 and you will be called Sought After,
 the City No Longer Deserted.
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 recompense = perhaps people he has rescued

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*Isaiah 62:1-12***1-5: Desolation will be replaced by the delight of God**

- “I will not keep silent”: perhaps Jesus’ ministry of intercession for His people
 - We are invited into that ministry
- Vindication/righteousness: status and character
 - Both from God, and both really become ours
- A new name=a pledge by God to make it true
 - The “effectual voice” of God: what He declares becomes true by Him saying it
- 6-9: • “My delight is in You” and “Married”
- 10-12: • Symbol of blessed life: head, heart, hands

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Isaiah 62:1-12

1-5: Desolation will be replaced by the delight of God

6-9: God and people worked toward His promised blessing

- Watchmen: prophets, or angels, or God’s people
 - Persevering **prayer**
 - “give **him** no rest”: crying out for God’s ongoing work
 - Persevering **proclamation**
 - “give **yourselves** no rest”: join in God’s ongoing work
- God vows to bring blessing to His people
- God’s people pursue what God has vowed to bring
- God’s blessings lead to praise
 - Knowing that the blessings we enjoy come from God’s love doubles the enJOYment

10-12:

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10-12: All people are called to become God's delight

- Emphatic call to enter God's blessing
 - For God's people
 - For the peoples of all nations to join God's people
- The names for “the people” and “the peoples”
 - Holy People
 - “A kingdom of priests and a holy nation” *Exodus 19:6*
 - Redeemed / rescued
 - Sought after (like the Good Shepherd and lost lamb)
 - No longer deserted (delight)
- **A people loved by God's transforming love**

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Isaiah 62:1-12

1-5: Desolation replaced by the delight of God

6-9: God and people worked toward His promised blessing

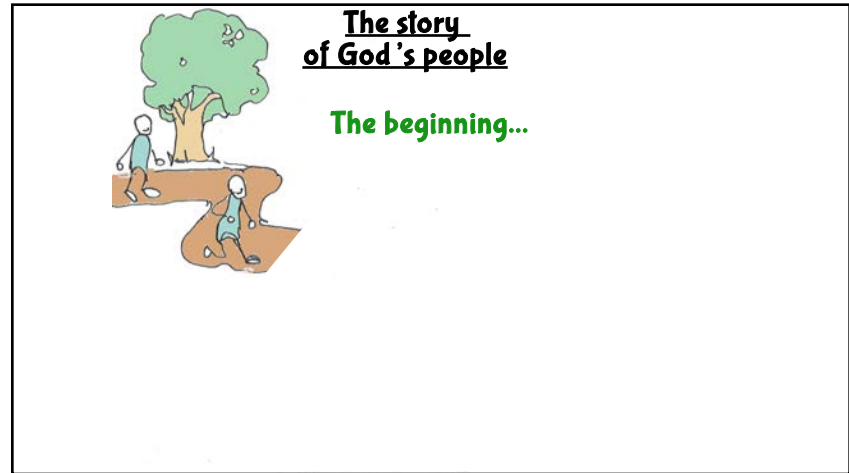
10-12: All people are called to become God's delight

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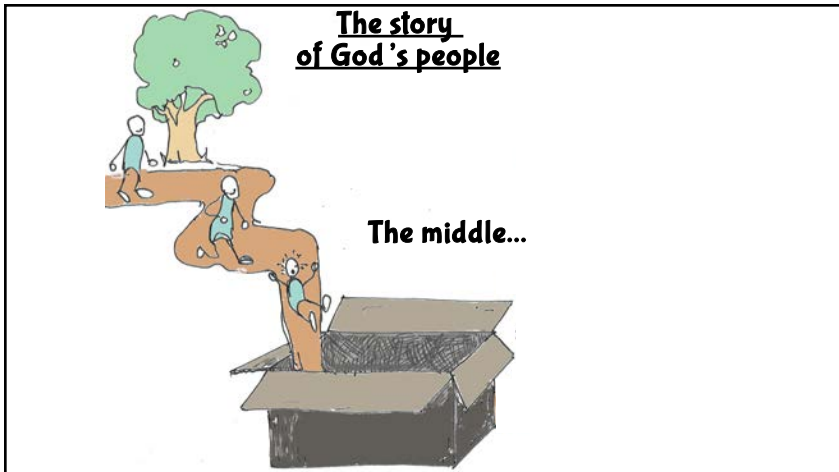
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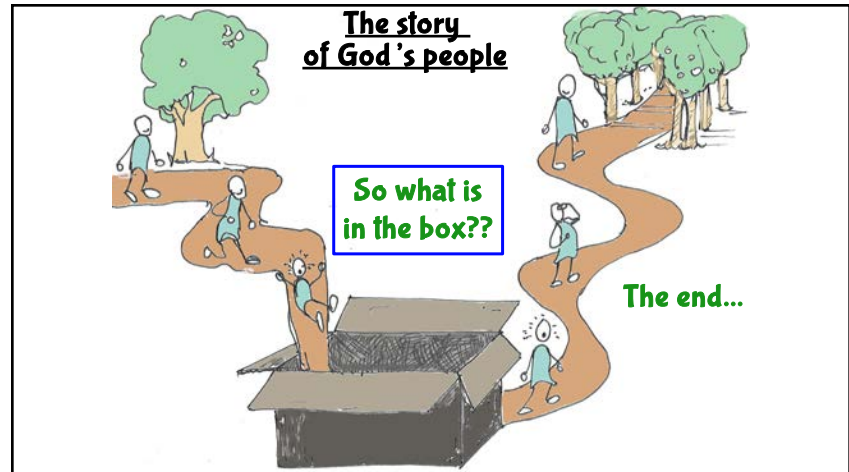
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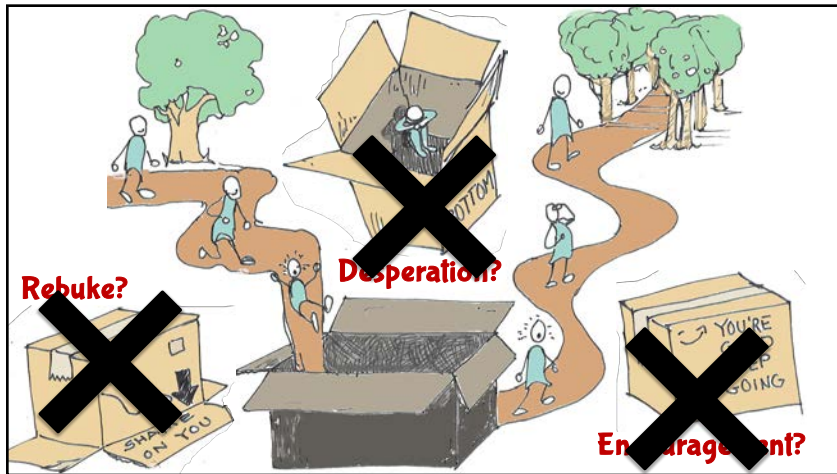
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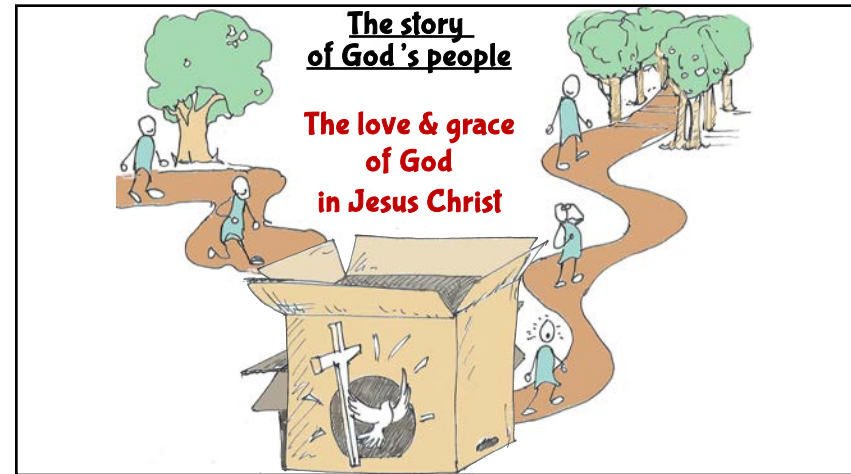
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God's love makes the objects of His love worthy of His love

The Big Idea

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But we ought always to thank God for you, brothers and sisters **loved by the Lord**, because **God chose you** as firstfruits to be **saved** through the **sanctifying work** of the Spirit and through **belief in the truth**. He called you to this through our gospel, **that you might share in the glory of our Lord Jesus Christ.**

2 Thessalonians 2:13-14

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Application

Know that God delights in each person in Christ

- We were Deserted and Desolate
- We were judged and worthy of judgment
- We have a Savior: Jesus Christ
 - This is a gift of God, received by faith in God the giver
 - The **gift must be received**
- Our new names:
 - Redeemed & Sought After
 - "My delight is in you"!
 - Like a bridegroom delights in his bride
 - A shocking description of God's feelings about broken people!

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Application

Know that God delights in each person in Christ

Rejoice in such great love!

- Sometimes we resist this love because “I don’t deserve it”
 - Of course we don’t deserve it!
 - That’s what makes His love so glorious!
 - Resisting His love is responding in **self-centeredness**
- “My beloved is mine and I am his” *Song of Solomon 2:16*
- God says: “My delight is in you”
 - Our reply: “And my delight is in you”
 - When we delight in this love of God, it brings joy together with God!

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Application

Know that God delights in each person in Christ

Rejoice in such great love!

Joyfully and passionately live into God’s promised transformation

- We pray and work because our prayer and our work are guaranteed to be fruitful
 - “Give yourselves no rest” and “Give Him no rest” until it is complete
- The effectual love of God calls us into the joyful journey of sharing His glory → being like Him

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Application

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In the Church as well

- The Church, and our church, is not worthy of God’s love
 - So we bring harm rather than good to the world
- Yet He delights in the bride of Christ (the Church)
 - Because of the love of Christ
- **“Give yourselves no rest” and “Give Him no rest” until it is complete**

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Application

Know that God delights in each person in Christ

Rejoice in such great love!

Joyfully and passionately live into God’s promised transformation

In the Church as well

- Joyfully and passionately, we desire to live into God’s promised transformation
 - By the power of the Spirit and the love of God
 - **God’s love makes the objects of His love worthy of His love**
- That we would be a blessing, not a curse, to all peoples!

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What is your story?

Beginning	Created and loved by God He calls us to Himself
Middle	We have each chosen to go our own way
End	We have a choice: → Live in denial: "I'm doing fine on my own..." → Try harder: "This time will be different!" → Live in despair: "I have tried and tried..." → Accept and grow in the love of God in Christ

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What is the Church's story?

Beginning	Jesus has formed the Church He calls the Church to be His presence on earth
Middle	We so often fall so far short of God's glory!
End	We have a choice: → Live in denial: "This is just normal..." → Try harder: "This time will be different!" → Live in despair: "We have tried and tried..." → Accept and grow in the love of God in Christ

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The Big Idea

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If you have put your faith in Christ alone,
God has given you a new name:

"My delight is in you!"

And we respond together:

"And our delight is in You!"

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Prayer of Confession

"The most important commandment," answered Jesus, "is this: 'Hear, O Israel: The Lord our God, the Lord is one. Love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your mind and with all your strength.'"

Mark 12:29-30

Yet I hold this against you: You have forsaken the love you had at first. Consider how far you have fallen!

Repent and do the things you did at first. *Revelation 2:4-5*

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Words of Assurance

The Lord says: "I have swept away your offenses like a cloud, your sins like the morning mist. Return to me, for I have redeemed you."

Isaiah 44:22

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Living Hope

How great the chasm that lay between us
How high the mountain I could not climb
In desperation I turned to heaven
And spoke Your name into the night

chasm = giant separation
desperation = having lost almost all hope

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Then through the darkness Your loving kindness
Tore through the shadows of my soul
The work is finished, the end is written
Jesus Christ, my living hope

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Who could imagine so great a mercy?
What heart could fathom such boundless grace?
The God of ages stepped down from glory
To wear my sin and bear my shame

fathom = fully understand
grace = forgiveness and love
wear = take as His own
bear = take responsibility for

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The cross has spoken, I am forgiven
 The King of kings calls me His own
 Beautiful Savior, I'm Yours forever
 Jesus Christ, my living hope

spoken = declared my forgiveness

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Hallelujah, praise the One who set me free!
Hallelujah, death has lost its grip on me!
 You have broken every chain,
 there's salvation in Your name
 Jesus Christ, my living hope

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 Your buried body began to breathe
 Out of silence, the Roaring Lion
 Declared the grave has no claim on me

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Jesus Christ, my living hope
 O God, You are my living hope

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The Lord's Supper

A celebration for Christians

- All who genuinely trust in Christ for forgiveness and life

First the bread

– reminder of the price Jesus paid to rescue us

Then the “cup” (the juice)

– reminder of the promise of Jesus' return
and our full experience of His grace and love

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Because of Jesus' death and resurrection,
all who have put their trust in Jesus
are the delight of God!

When Jesus returns, we will experience
the delight of Christ for His bride
and the joy of the Father for His beloved children

We remember His death as the price fully paid

We remember His resurrection as His full victory

We proclaim this great love until we see Him face to face!

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For I received from the Lord what I also passed on to you:
The Lord Jesus, on the night he was betrayed, took bread,
and when he had given thanks, he broke it and said, “This
is my body, which is for you; do this in remembrance of me.

In the same way, after supper he took the cup, saying,
“This cup is the new covenant in my blood; do this,
whenever you drink it, in remembrance of me.” For
whenever you eat this bread and drink this cup, you
proclaim the Lord's death until he comes.

1 Corinthians 11:23-26

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There is a Higher Throne

There is a higher throne
than all this world has known,
where faithful ones from every tongue
will one day come.

**throne = supreme ruler
every tongue = all peoples**

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Before the Son we'll stand,
 made faultless through the Lamb;
 Believing hearts find promised grace;
 salvation comes.

Son, Lamb = Jesus Christ

109

Hear heaven's voices sing;
 their thunderous anthem rings
 through emerald courts and sapphire skies
 their praises rise.

thunderous anthem rings = loud, triumphant songs of praise
emerald = bright green
courts = where judge gives verdicts
sapphire = bright blue and highly valuable

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All glory, wisdom, power,
 strength, thanks, and honor are
 to God our King, Who reigns on high
 forevermore.

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And there we'll find our home;
 our life before the throne.
 We'll honor Him in perfect song
 where we belong.

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He'll wipe each tear-stained eye
 as thirst and hunger die.
 The Lamb becomes our Shepherd King;
 we'll reign with Him.

tear-stained eye = each person who has suffered
die = no longer exist
Lamb = Jesus Christ in humility
Shepherd King = Jesus Christ in glory

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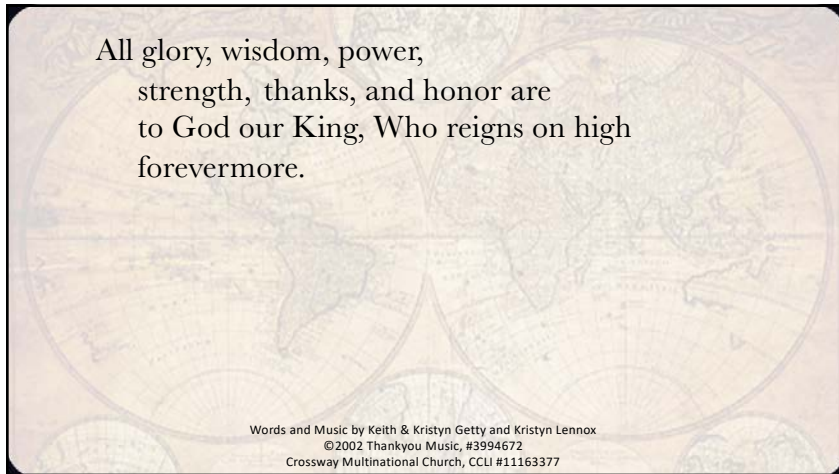
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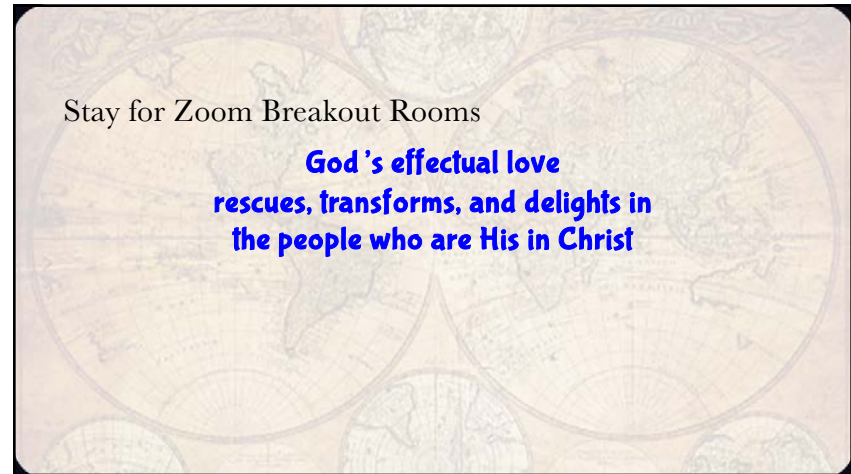
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