



COME TO BELIEVE † COME TO BELONG

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4TH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

July 7, 2019

PRELUDE

Robert Aaron

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Pastor Brian Pederson

INDEPENDENCE DAY LITANY

On July 4, 1776, our forefathers bravely advanced the cause of freedom and liberty by declaring this nation's independence and sovereignty and that all her citizens possessed the unalienable rights of life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness given by our Creator. It is appropriate therefore as we celebrate our nation's 243rd birthday that we give thanks to that Creator for our liberties and pray for continued blessings upon our country, our government and our fellow citizens.

The earth is the Lord's,
And all who dwell in it.

God is king over the nations:
God sits on his holy throne.

He rules by his might forever.
His eyes keep watch on the nations.

Let the nations be glad and sing for joy,
For God judges the peoples with equity and guides the nations upon earth.

O Lord, be gracious to us and bless us,
And make your face to shine upon us.

May your ways be known upon the earth,
Your saving power among all peoples.

Lord of the nations, guide our people by your Spirit to go forward in justice and freedom. Give us what outward prosperity may be your will, but above all things, give us faith in you, that our nation may bring glory to your name and blessings to all peoples; through your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen

PROCESSIONAL HYMN *My Country, 'Tis of Thee*



1 My coun - try, 'tis of thee, sweet land of lib - er - ty,
2 My na - tive coun - try, thee, land of the no - ble free,
3 Let mu - sic swell the breeze, and ring from all the trees
4 Our fa - thers' God, to thee, au - thor of lib - er - ty,



of thee I sing; land where my fa - thers died, land of the
thy name I love; I love thy rocks and rills, thy woods and
sweet free-dom's song; let mor - tal tongues a - wake; let all that
to thee we sing: long may our land be bright with free - dom's



pil - grims' pride, from ev - 'ry moun - tain - side let free - dom ring.
tem - pled hills; my heart with rap - ture thrills like that a - bove.
breathe par - take; let rocks their si - lence break, the sound pro - long.
ho - ly light. Pro - tect us by thy might, great God, our king.



Text: Samuel F. Smith, 1808-1895

Music: NATIONAL ANTHEM, *Thesaurus Musicus*, London, 1744

CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

In the name of the Father, and of the † Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

Amen.

Almighty God, to whom all hearts are open, all desires known, and from whom no secrets are hid: cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of Your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love You and worthily magnify Your holy name, through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen.

If we say we have no sin we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us. But if we confess our sins, God who is faithful and just, will forgive our sins, and cleanse us from all unrighteousness. Therefore, let us confess our sins in the presence of God and of one another.

Silence is kept for self reflection.

Most merciful God,
we confess that we are in bondage to sin and cannot free ourselves. We have sinned against You in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done and by what we have left undone. We have not loved You with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. For the sake of Your Son, Jesus Christ, have mercy on us. Forgive us, renew us, and lead us, so that we may delight in Your will and walk in Your ways, to the glory of Your holy name. Amen.

In the mercy of almighty God, Jesus Christ was given to die for us, and for His sake God forgives us all our sins. As a called and ordained minister of the church of Christ, and by his authority, I therefore declare to you the entire forgiveness of all your sins, in the name of the Father, and of the † Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

Amen.

GREETING

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

And also with you.

KYRIE

Kyrie Eleison (Lord Have Mercy)

Refrain

Ky-ri-e e-lei-son, on our world and on our way.

Ky-ri-e e-lei-son, ev-'ry day.



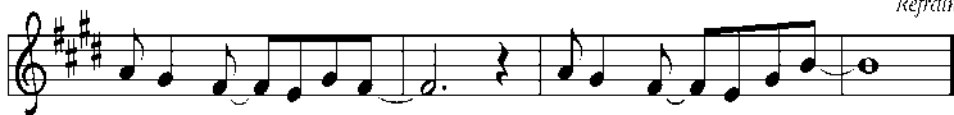
1 For peace in the world, for the health of the church, for the
 2 That we may live out your im - passioned re - sponse to the
 3 For peace in our hearts, . . . for peace in our homes, . . for
 4 For your Spir - it to guide; that you cen - ter our lives in the



u - ni - ty of all; for
 hun - gry and the poor; that
 friends and fam - i - ly; for
 wa - ter and the word; that you



this ho - ly house, for all who wor - ship and praise,
 we may live out truth and jus - tice and grace,
 life and for love, for our work and our play,
 nour - ish our souls . . . with your bod - y and blood,



let us pray to the Lord, let us pray to the Lord.

PRAYER OF THE DAY

The Lord be with you.

And also with you

Let us pray.

O God, you never undermine your purpose, as you perfectly provide for all that you create. Remove from our way all that is harmful and give us what will profit that we may share in your invincible grace; through Jesus Christ, your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

FIRST READING

Isaiah 66:10-14

¹⁰“Rejoice with Jerusalem, and be glad for her, all you who love her; rejoice with her in joy, all you who mourn over her; ¹¹that you may nurse and be satisfied from her consoling breast; that you may drink deeply with delight from her glorious abundance.” ¹²For thus says the Lord: “Behold, I will extend peace to her like a river, and the glory of the nations like an overflowing stream; and you shall nurse, you shall be carried upon her hip, and bounced upon her knees. ¹³As one whom his mother comforts, so I will comfort you; you shall be comforted in Jerusalem. ¹⁴You shall see, and your heart shall rejoice; your bones shall flourish like the grass; and the hand of the Lord shall be known to his servants, and he shall show his indignation against his enemies.”

The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

PSALM

Psalm 66:1-7

¹Be joyful in God, all you lands; sing the glory of his name; sing the glory of his praise.

²Say to God, “How awesome are your deeds!* because of your great strength your enemies cringe before you.

³All the earth bows down before you, sings to you, sings out your name.”

⁴Come now and see the works of God, how wonderful he is in his doing toward all people.

⁵He turned the sea into dry land, so that they went through the water on foot, and there we rejoiced in him.

⁶In his might he rules forever; his eyes keep watch over the nations; let no rebel rise up against him.

⁷Bless our God, you peoples; make the voice of his praise to be heard ...

SECOND READING

Galatians 6:1-10, 14-18

¹Brothers, if anyone is caught in any transgression, you who are spiritual should restore him in a spirit of gentleness. Keep watch on yourself, lest you too be tempted. ²Bear one another’s burdens, and so fulfill the law of Christ. ³For if anyone thinks he is something, when he is nothing, he deceives himself. ⁴But let each one test his own work, and then his reason to boast will be in himself alone and not in his neighbor. ⁵For each will have to bear his own load. ⁶Let the one who is taught the word share all good things with the one who teaches. ⁷Do not be deceived: God is not mocked, for whatever one sows, that will he also reap. ⁸For the one who sows to his own flesh will from the flesh reap corruption, but the one who sows to the Spirit will from the Spirit reap eternal life. ⁹And let us not grow weary of doing good, for in due season we will reap, if we do

not give up. ¹⁰So then, as we have opportunity, let us do good to everyone, and especially to those who are of the household of faith.

¹⁴But far be it from me to boast except in the cross of our Lord Jesus Christ, by which the world has been crucified to me, and I to the world.

¹⁵For neither circumcision counts for anything, nor uncircumcision, but a new creation. ¹⁶And as for all who walk by this rule, peace and mercy be upon them, and upon the Israel of God. ¹⁷From now on let no one cause me trouble, for I bear on my body the marks of Jesus. ¹⁸The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with your spirit, brothers. Amen.

The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Al - le - lu - ia, Lord, to whom shall we go? You have the
words of e - ter - nal life. Al - le - lu - ia.
Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia. Al - le - lu - ia.
Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.

GOSPEL

Luke 10:1-20

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

The holy gospel according to St Luke, the 10th chapter.

Glory to you, O Lord.

Following the reading

The gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you, O Christ.

SERMON

1 I love to tell the sto - ry of un - seen things a - bove,
 2 I love to tell the sto - ry; how pleas - ant to re - peat
 3 I love to tell the sto - ry, for those who know it best

of Je - sus and his glo - ry, of Je - sus and his love,
 what seems, each time I tell it, more won - der - ful - ly sweet!
 seem hun - ger - ing and thirst - ing to hear it like the rest.

I love to tell the sto - ry, be - cause I know it's true;
 I love to tell the sto - ry, for some have nev - er heard
 And when, in scenes of glo - ry, I sing the new, new song,

it sat - is - fies my long - ings as noth - ing else would do.
 the mes - sage of sal - va - tion from God's own ho - ly word.
 I'll sing the old, old sto - ry that I have loved so long.

Refrain

I love to tell the sto - ry; I'll sing this theme in glo-ry

and tell the old, old sto - ry of Je - sus and his love.

Text: Katherine Hankey, 1834-1911
 Music: HANKLEY, William G. Fischer, 1835-1912

APOSTLE'S CREED

**I believe in God, the Father almighty,
 creator of heaven and earth.**

I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord.

**He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit
 and born of the virgin Mary.**

**He suffered under Pontius Pilate,
 was crucified, died, and was buried.**

He descended into hell.

On the third day he rose again.

**He ascended into heaven,
 and is seated at the right hand of the Father.**

He will come again to judge the living and the dead.

**I believe in the Holy Spirit,
 the holy Christian church,
 the communion of saints,
 the forgiveness of sins,
 the resurrection of the body,
 and the life everlasting. Amen**

PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

Let us pray to the Lord on behalf of His Church, all the people of God,
 our nation, the cause of peace, the needs of the sick and others as they
 have need.

Brief silence

Extend Your peace, O Lord, like a river amid the troubles and trials of Your people, that nations may walk together in peace, the hearts of Your people may rejoice, and Your Kingdom may flourish through the Means of Grace. Lord, in Your mercy,
hear our prayer.

O Lord, give compassion to those who watch over our souls, that they may restore the lost and erring in gentleness, and give them wisdom and humility, lest they be tempted beyond their strength. Bless all pastors of Your Church, for the harvest is great and the laborers few. Bless those considering and those now training for church-work vocations, that all people may know that Your Kingdom has come near. Lord, in Your mercy,
hear our prayer.

Keep us, O Lord, from growing weary of doing good, and give us loving hearts to show kindness to all people. Be with those who suffer any need, especially the poor, unemployed and homeless. Grant Your mercy to them and to all the households of Your people, that we shall be steadfast of heart and kept safe in every trial. Lord, in Your mercy,
hear our prayer.

O Lord, be with those who govern in our nation, especially our president, our governor, and all those elected and appointed to serve us in Your name. Give to the nations an end to violence and terror, and guide us to work toward the common good for the sake of those most vulnerable. Lord, in Your mercy,
hear our prayer.

Sustain the sick, suffering, grieving and dying with Your word of peace and Your healing grace. Especially do we pray for those we name now, either out loud or silently in our hearts. (*Pause for spoken and silent prayers.....*) Give them patience in their afflictions and faith in Your sufficient grace, that they may be kept through the day of trouble and brought with us, at last, to everlasting life. Lord, in Your mercy,
hear our prayer.

You hate nothing You have made, O Lord, and You will that all would be saved and come to the knowledge of the truth. Bring us and all people to repentance, that we may know the hope of eternal life now and be delivered to everlasting life with all whose names are written in Your Book of Life. Lord, in Your mercy,
hear our prayer.

O Lord, keep our hearts from greed, that we may joyfully support Your Church and those who serve us in Your name. Keep us from pride of heart that delights more in what we do than in what You have done, that we might be Your people. Accept with our sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving the tithes and offerings we bring this day. Lord, in Your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

Grant to us all things needful, O Lord, and keep us from all things harmful, and hear the cries of Your people for the sake of Your Son, Jesus Christ, our Lord.

Amen.

PEACE

The peace of the LORD be with you always.

And also with you.

OFFERING *The offering is gathered for the mission of the church, including the care of those in need. If you are visiting with us, please feel free to pass the offering plate, you are our guest.*

SPECIAL MUSIC

OFFERTORY

Doxology

BH 253

**Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
praise him, all creatures here below;
praise him above, ye heav'nly host;
praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. A-men**

OFFERING PRAYER

Merciful Father,

we offer with joy and thanksgiving what you have first given us—our selves, our time, and our possessions, signs of your gracious love. Receive them for the sake of him who offered himself for us, Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

DIALOGUE

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give Him thanks and praise.

PREFACE

It is indeed right our duty and our joy... *(pastor continues, concluding with)*, we praise your name and join their unending hymn:

HOLY, HOLY, HOLY



Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of pow'r and might,



heav-en and earth are full of your glo - ry, full of your glo-ry. Ho-



san - na, ho - san - na, ho - san - na in the high -



est. Bless-ed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Ho-



san - na, ho - san - na, ho - san - na in the high - est.

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

LORD'S PRAYER (SUNG)

Our Father, which 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 debts, as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

INVITATION TO COMMUNION

THE SACRAMENT OF HOLY COMMUNION: *is open to all. We believe and teach that Christ is truly present in the bread and wine/juice, which are his body and blood. Young children whose parents do not wish for them to receive Communion yet are welcome to come forward and receive a blessing.*

COMMUNION SONG



Lamb of God, you take a-way the sin of the world; have

mer-cy on us. Lamb of God, you take a-way the sin of the
 world; have mer-cy on us. Lamb of God, you take a-way the sin of the
 world; grant us peace, grant us peace, Lamb of God.

CONG SONG

Come, Let Us Eat

ELW 491

1 Come, let us eat, for now the feast is spread,
 2 Come, let us drink, for now the wine is poured.
 3 In . . . his pres-ence now we meet and rest,
 4 Rise, then, to spread a-broad God's might-y word.

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Our Lord's bod-y let us take to-geth-er,
 Je-sus' blood poured let us drink to-geth-er,
 In the pres-ence of our Lord we gath-er,
 Je-sus ris-en will bring in the king-dom.

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Text: Billema Kwilla, b. c. 1925, sts. 1-3; Gilbert E. Doan, b. 1930, st. 4, alt.; tr. Margaret D. Miller, b. 1927, sts. 1-3, alt.
 Music: A VA DL, Billema Kwilla, b. c. 1925; adapt *Lutheran Book of Worship*, 1978

CONG SONG

O Beautiful for Spacious Skies

1 O beau-ti-ful for spa-cious skies, for am-ber waves of grain,
 2 O beau-ti-ful for pil-grim feet, whose stern, im-pas-sioned stress
 3 O beau-ti-ful for he-roes proved in lib-er-at-ing strife,
 4 O beau-ti-ful for pa-triot dream that sees be-yond the years

for pur-ple moun-tain maj-es-ties a-bove the fruit-ed plain:
 a thor-ough-fare for free-dom beat a-cross the wil-der-ness:
 who more than self their coun-try loved, and mer-cy more than life:
 thine al-a-bas-ter cit-ies gleam, un-dimmed by hu-man tears:

A - mer - i - ca! A - mer - i - ca! God shed his grace on thee.
 A - mer - i - ca! A - mer - i - ca! God mend thine ev-'ry flaw.
 A - mer - i - ca! A - mer - i - ca! May God thy gold re - fine,
 A - mer - i - ca! A - mer - i - ca! God shed his grace on thee,

and crown thy good with broth-er-hood from sea to shin-ing sea.
 con-firm thy soul in self-con-trol, thy lib-er-ty in law.
 till all suc-cess be no-ble-ness, and ev-'ry gain di-vine.
 and crown thy good with broth-er-hood from sea to shin-ing sea.

Text: Katherine L. Bates, 1859–1929
 Music: MATHERNA, Samuel A. Ward, 1848–1903

CONG SONG

Jesus, Name above All Names

Je - sus, name a - bove all names, beau - ti - ful
Sav - ior, glo - ri - ous Lord,
Em - man - u - el, God is with us,
bless - ed Re - deem - er, liv - ing Word.

The musical score is written on four staves in G major (one sharp) and 4/4 time. The melody is simple and hymn-like, with lyrics printed below each staff. The lyrics are: 'Je - sus, name a - bove all names, beau - ti - ful Sav - ior, glo - ri - ous Lord, Em - man - u - el, God is with us, bless - ed Re - deem - er, liv - ing Word.'

Text: Naida Hearn
Music: HEARN, Naida Hearn

POST COMMUNION BLESSING

The body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ, strengthen you, and keep you in his grace.

Amen.

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

Let us pray.

We give you thanks, almighty God, that you have refreshed us through the healing power of this gift of life. In your mercy, strengthen us through this gift, in faith toward you and in fervent love toward one another; for the sake of Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen.

BLESSING

The Lord bless you and keep you.

The Lord's make his face shine on you and be gracious to you.

The Lord look upon you with favor and give you peace.

In the name of the Father, and of the † Son and of the Holy Spirit

Amen.

SENDING SONG: *Battle Hymn of the Republic*

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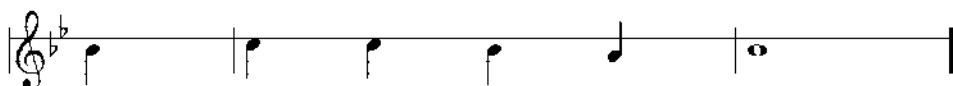
1 Mine eyes have seen the glo - ry of the com - ing of the Lord;
 2 He has sound - ed forth the trum - pet that shall nev - er call re - treat;
 3 In the beau - ty of the lil - ies Christ was born a - cross the sea,



he is tram - pling out the vin - tage where the grapes of wrath are stored;
 he is sift - ing out the hearts of men be - fore his judg - ment seat.
 with a glo - ry in his bo - som that trans - fig - ures you and me.



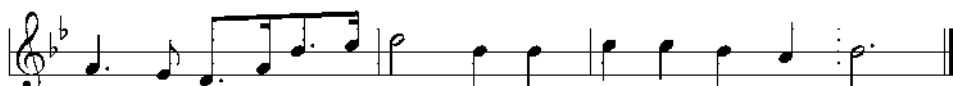
he has loosed the fate - ful light - ning of his ter - ri - ble swift sword;
 Oh, be swift, my soul, to an - swer him; be ju - bi - lant, my feet!
 As he died to make men ho - ly, let us live to make men free,



his truth is march - ing on.
 Our God is march - ing on.
 while God is march - ing on.



Glo - ry, glo - ry! Hal - le - lu - jah! Glo - ry, glo - ry! Hal - le - lu - jah!



Glo - ry, glo - ry! Hal - le - lu - jah! His truth is march - ing on.

Text: Julia Ward Howe, 1819-1910

Music: BATTLE HYMN, American, 19th cent.

DISMISSAL

Go in peace. Serve the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

TODAY'S WORSHIP ASSISTANTS

GREETERS: Diane Baxter and Johanna Cates

USHERS: Guy & Barb Bralley

READER: Janice McIntosh-Schonberg

COMMUNION ASSISTANTS: Judy Clark and Rosemary Wheaton

SACRISTANS: Leah Pederson and Shari Stormo

COFFEE HOSTS: Judy Clark and Diane Baxter

COUNTERS: Johanna Cates and Guy Bralley

ALTAR FLOWERS: Given by Dennis and Cathy Moen to the glory of God, in honor of their 51st anniversary.

LOCK UP: Jan Gleich

LAST WEEKS ATTENDANCE: 78



WELCOME to all who worship here today. May you experience the gracious presence of God, and the peace which our Risen Lord Jesus gives to his people.

WELCOME TO WORSHIP CARDS: If you haven't already done so, would you please fill out the welcome to worship card that was in your bulletin, and place it in the offering plate. If you've completely filled out a card before, simply put your name and date on the card. We especially want to know your prayer requests, questions and comments, so we can serve the needs of our members and guests.

OFFICE HOURS: Until we move out of the existing church building on July 14th our office hours will be Monday thru Friday from 9:00am until noon. If you wish to meet with the pastor or other ministry leaders, please call the church to schedule an appointment. 360-275-3390

BLESSING OF THE HAMMER AND THE SAW..... We will be asking God's blessing on the tools of labor and the people who will use them, during the closing portion of next Sunday's worship. The public is invited to attend this special ministry event and to stay following worship for a special '**TILL WE EAT AGAIN**' **POTLUCK !**

‘TILL WE EAT AGAIN’ POTLUCK! Join us next Sunday following worship for our last potluck in this beautiful ‘ol church, until after the remodel and expansion project ‘Til We Eat Again.’

WORSHIP AT THE HUB: Our first worship service at The HUB Senior Center in Belfair will be held on July 21st. Starting time will be 10:00am with coffee fellowship following.



Sunday July 14th: * Last worship in existing church building.
 * Blessing of the Hammer and the Saw.
 * ‘Till We Eat Again’ Potluck

Sunday July 21st: First worship at The HUB 10:00am

For more info regarding these events, call the office: 360-275-3390

THIS WEEK AT A GLANCE

Mon. 7/8 9:00 AM Staff Meeting
 Wed. 7/10 6:30 PM Mid Week Bible Study
 Thur. 7/11 11:00 AM Council Meeting

UPCOMING WORSHIP SERVICES

Sunday, July 7	4TH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST
Sunday, July 14	5TH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST Last worship in existing church building
Sunday, July 21	6TH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST FIRST worship service at The HUB Senior Center in Belfair
Sunday, July 28	7th Sunday After Pentecost

ALL WORSHIP TIMES ARE SUNDAY AT 10:00 A.M.

RiGHT project update, June 30. 2019

Estimated cost of the project:	\$990,000
Pledged Amount:	\$587,642
Beginning Building Fund Balance:	\$106,758
Pledges Collected:	\$238, 933
Non-Pledged Collected:	\$15,200
Total Cash On Hand:	\$360,891
Pledges To Be Collected:	\$348,667
Total Anticipated Funds:	\$709,558
Total Needed:	\$280,642

Happy Independence Day



FOURTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

There is only one name in which we boast, that name of course is Jesus. When we are claimed by Christ we become a new creation, shunning the ways of the world and walking in faith with our Lord. Our old lives have been nailed to the cross of Christ and we die to the ways of the flesh so that we might live in Him. The Kingdom of God comes near when Jesus' disciples are sent into the world he came to save.

THIS WEEK'S SCRIPTURE TEXTS

Isaiah 66:10-14

Peace to Jerusalem

The Lord God proclaimed that he would bring peace to Jerusalem as a mother brings care and comfort to her children. No more will Jerusalem struggle in poverty or be in need. The Lord will provide for her and she will flourish like grass. The Lord will deal with his enemies and provide good things for his servants.

Psalms 66:1-7

How Awesome Are Your Deeds

The psalmist sang the Lord's praises for bringing Israel into an abundant place. Though God let Israel walk through fire and water, his testing refined them like silver. "Come and hear," said the psalmist, "I will tell you what he's done for me."

Galatians 6:1-10, 14-18

The World Has Been Crucified To Me

Paul states that there is no boasting in the flesh, rather it is only in the cross that there is room for boasting. He has died to the ways of the world and now lives in Christ alone. All people who walk in the Lord Jesus have been made into a new creation. The life of the flesh is no longer an attraction for those who follow Jesus.

Luke 10:1-20

The Kingdom of God Has Come Near

Jesus sent seventy-two of his followers out to the nearby towns and cities in pairs. He instructed them to take nothing with them but to rely on the kindness of those they met. Jesus warned them that there would be those who would not receive them, and when that happened they were to shake the dust from their feet and move on. Either way, the kingdom of God has come near.

