

HAVE NO FEAR Matthew 10.24-33

ABOVE THE MASTER?

Matthew 10.24, 25 // 2 Timothy 3.12

"Beelzebul" is another name for Satan, the "prince of demons." Do we subconsciously believe, for whatever reason, that we are above our Master? If He lived and suffered the way He did, what makes us think that we are exempt from that?

**Give God glorious thanks that you were born among the reached.
But give God glorious sacrifice by living for the unreached.**

HAVING NO FEAR: THE SOLUTION

Matthew 10.26-33

When we fear men, we pay no respect to God.
-John Calvin

If you want to grow in a deep, uninhibited passion, a reckless abandon and passionate pursuit of Christ above all things, you MUST be convinced of His sovereignty over everything, you MUST have a vision of our eternal future, and you MUST have a deep belief in the assurance of that future!

1 Peter 1.3-9 // Romans 8.28-39

**If you don't believe in the Great Reward of Christ,
then you won't live out the Great Commission for Christ.**

CRUISE LINER OR BATTLESHIP?

During WWII, the Queen Mary was retrofitted from a luxury vessel that would carry 2,000 passengers in comfort, to a vessel that would carry up to 16,000 troops into battle. What are we outfitting our life for? What is our plan? A cruise...or for war?

God willed our wealth for His worship.

What is the Plan?

- **Word:** what is your plan in the Word? Memorizing Scripture?
- **Prayer:** what is your plan for prayer? Learning to P.R.A.Y.
- **Gospel Community:** What is your plan in your CG. In a "Fight Club"?
- **Missional Living:** who are you planning to share your faith with? How will you change the way you spend your time? Your money? Your talent? What is your plan for serving the body of Christ and the world around you?
- **God's Glory Among the Nations:** how do these things help get you on the grand vision to see God's glory among the nations?



NOTES:

Will You Pray With Us?

Follow along with our daily prayer requests by downloading the **PrayerMate App**, available on both **iOS** and **Android** phones. Go to our website for detailed instructions on how to subscribe to the app to be praying with us daily, as well as reading through our **2 Year Bible Reading Plan**.

ARE YOU NEW HERE?

WELCOME TO LIFE MISSION CHURCH!

We're so glad you joined us today! We'd LOVE for you to **fill out the green Connection Card** on your seat to let us know you were here today. You can drop it in the offering at the end of service or take it to one of our **teammates in a Green Shirt** at the **Connection Booth** outside - we'd love to give you some welcome information.

Feel free to **grab some food or coffee** out in the courtyard and hang out. We hope you'll **join us next Sunday** and consider making us your church family.

SERVING OPPORTUNITIES

If you've ever taken your child to one of our Kids on Mission classes, or enjoyed a cup of coffee after service, chances are there was a **faithful servant** behind each of those examples. By giving your time and talent on Sundays, you're **an essential part** of helping others meet Jesus, and serving is one of the **most fun & rewarding ways we experience community** with our church family! Fill out a connection card or visit the **Connection Booth** to learn about the serving opportunities available today.

COMMUNITY GROUPS

The best way to **get connected** in the church is by joining one of our **Community Groups!** You'll **build friendships**, be encouraged, and take the sermon deeper into your heart every week. **Sign up for a Group** on a **Connection Card** or visit the **Connection Booth**. You won't regret it!

GIVING

Gospel-centered generosity should never be fueled by obligation or guilt; it should be motivated by a heart of thankfulness because of the sacrificial love God has already shown us. If you call Life Mission your Home, you can place your gift in the offering baskets at the end of service, give online at lifemissionchurch.com/blog/give or mail a check to our PO Box. **Thank you so much for your love & support!**

KIDS ON MISSION

Our Kids are incredibly important to us! The Kids on Mission ministry has classrooms for **newborns - 6th grade** & is passionately overseen by **Audra Napolitano**. Please visit lifemissionchurch.com/blog/kids to read more about the vision and plan we have for our kids, including Pastor Jobey's heart and his walkthrough of our curriculum.

JUNIOR HIGH & HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS

Our Junior High students (**7th & 8th graders**) worship with the adults, and then head to their class for the rest of service. We challenge them to **dig deeper into what they learned on Sunday** throughout the week.

Our **High School students** stay in the adult service because we believe that it is critical for them to not "graduate the faith" when they graduate school. For questions on our student ministries, contact **Casey Barnes** at hbarnes5@yahoo.com or **John Hawthorne** at hawthorne-john@hotmail.com

SAVE.

Jesus was sent to save. We have been saved to be sent. We are sent into our community to share the Good News that Christ came to save us, and we hope to see many who find new life.

EQUIP.

We want to equip those very people in the Word so that they can continue to grow as disciples of Christ. From our preschool to our adults, our passion is to see everyone equipped in the Gospel to live a life of freedom and joy.

SEND.

Lastly, we then want to see those equipped people sent into their community and world. From schools and playgrounds, to families and work places, we want to see people who are spiritual leaders in their life, showing people the truth of Christ's Good News.

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COMMUNITY GROUP HOMEWORK

Read **Matthew 10:24-33**. What stuck out to you in these verses or was the most impactful from the message on Sunday? _____

Who or what should we fear the most? What is your biggest fear: God, someone or something else? _____

Who is our Sovereign Father (**Psalms 135:5-6**) calling and appointing to help preach His good news? Who do you really believe is in complete control of your life? _____

Read **Romans 3:24, 2 Corinthians 5:17-19, Romans 5:2, 6:11, 23, 8:1-2, 39, Ephesians 1:3,20, 2:10-13, 3:11, 1 Corinthians 1:30, Ephesians 4:32, 2 Corinthians 1:21** and **1 Peter 1:3-4**. In your personal time of abiding, study each Gospel verse and remind yourself of who you are "In Christ." _____

Realizing and remembering who we are "In Christ" is one of the ways we can combat the fear of rejection, fear of man and fear over situations we can't control. When we remember who we are and believe that the One who has given us the task to reach the unreached is in complete control then we are filled with a rock solid confidence that only comes from the Lord. When you fear, are you reminding yourself of who you are In Christ? Do you spend time abiding and memorizing and rooting yourself to His Word so that you can "preach to yourself" rather than "listen to yourself?" _____

We have been given a message of Hope for the lost, a message of good news for the brokenhearted. In **John 6:60-69** Peter said, "I have nowhere else to go! Where else, what else would you have me do?" _____

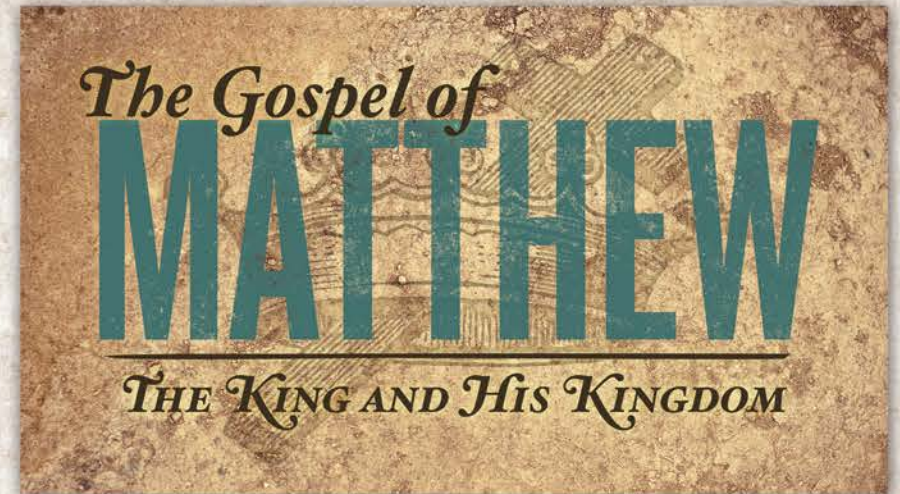
Jobey used an example on Sunday about the *Queen Mary* being retrofitted for use in battle during WWII. When you survey your life – your time, what you daydream about, how you spend money, what you plan for your future – are you "outfitting" your life more for comfort and convenience, or for battle? _____

If you don't answer God's call in your life, where else or what else would you do with it? What will you be spending most of your time doing if not devoting your life to His mission? What are some practical ways that you can set yourself up to "live for the unreached?" _____

Do you believe that God has called you to be one of His messengers of the Gospel in this world? Both in your quiet time abiding and in your **Community Group**, read **Psalm 23**. Then pray to close the group out using the **P.R.A.Y.** model.



Equipping a Gospel-Centered Community in the Word of God,
To Live Out a Gospel-Centered Life Mission to the Glory of God.



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