



HIGHLIGHTS *from* ONE HOPE CHURCH

April 25, 2024

This week

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TIME TO GO!

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“Now the eleven disciples went to Galilee, to the mountain to which Jesus had directed them. And when they saw him they worshiped him, but some doubted. And Jesus came and said to them, “All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, teaching them to observe all that I have commanded you. And behold, I am with you always, to the end of the age.”
Matthew 28:16-20

“Time to go!” As a father (and husband), I seem to be shouting this up the stairs, or down to the basement. We seem to be endlessly on the go, but it takes a while (too long) to fill the car.

“Let me finish this game!” or (coming down the steps) “Where are your shoes?” How can the answer be “I don’t know” so many times? I also get the popular response, “Do I have to go?” What a challenge!

In Matthew 28, the author shares His final resurrection account where Jesus commands “The Great Commission.” For the next few weeks, we’ll unpack some of this historic account of Jesus meeting the disciples on a mountain in Galilee.

He opens by communicating: “All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me.” Before he told them next steps, he explained

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that all authority had been granted to Him, the Messiah, the Son of God. He had earlier told them that the Son of Man would be sitting at the right hand of God, the position of power. Therefore, what he says, goes. Disciples take note of the importance of every word He says.

Once they understood the authority of His words he said, “Go therefore (because I have the authority) and make disciples...” Jesus also says to us, “Time to go!” We may drag our feet. We may tell him we have something to finish first. We may say, “Will you send someone else?”

Jesus, the one with all authority says, “Time to go!” As a new church that seeks to be faithful, we must go and make disciples. Today! Let’s go!

WORSHIP PASSIONATELY

"God is spirit, and those who worship him must worship in spirit and truth." John 4:24

Last Sunday, I mentioned that I was reflecting on our Global Methodist mission statement. Specifically, it is our mission to "worship passionately." I think we all (including me) need some work on passionate worship. To begin this process, I asked everyone to e-mail (pastoreric@onehopekc.org) or text me regarding the aspect of worship that you have experience that most connects you with God. This is not necessarily what One Hope needs to improve on, because we will continue to work on improving each part! The question is, historically for you, which part of worship tends to draw you deeper into worship. I look forward to hearing from you!

May our worship be passionate!
Pastor Eric

HOPE BUILDERS GROUPS



Hope Builders Groups are where we share our joys and challenges in our faith walk. Learn more about the structure of these groups. Read [The Class Meeting](#) by Kevin Watson.

You can check out a copy from the One Hope Church Library on Sundays.

Click the link below to sign up for a group.

[Link to interest form](#)

NEW SERMON SERIES

**Resurrection:
Lessons from John the Apostle**

For the next series, we continue through the Book of John. John's account of Jesus' resurrection gives us some great insight about Jesus' teaching during the forty days before he ascended into heaven. Join us as we explore this unique connection of heaven and earth.



Sermon Link:

4/7 - [Life After Death](#)

4/14 - [Revealed](#)

4/21 - [The Net](#)

WORSHIP SONGS

Opening Song

[This Is Amazing Grace](#)

Worship Song

[To God Be the Glory](#)

Hymnal #531

Song of Response

[Amazing Grace \(My Chains Are Gone\)](#)

Hymnal #574

VOLUNTEERS

Thank you to everyone for continuing to share your time and talent for our activities on Sunday. Your participation is greatly appreciated by all who attended One Hope Church.

Volunteer Opportunities include Fellowship Time - Coffee or Treats, Hospitality, Tech Team, Prayers & The Lord's Prayer, Prayer Group, Music, Children's Church, and Clean Up.

Access the signup form:

[Sunday Volunteers](#)

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Clean Up

Earl S.

Fellowship - Coffee & Treats

Sheryl A.

Music

Abie R.

Prayer & Lord's Prayer

Earl S.

Prayer Group

Earl & Sue S., Bill F.

Tech - Audio

John C.



PRAYER CONCERNS

"Do not be anxious about anything, but in every situation, by prayer and petition, with thanksgiving, present your requests to God."

~ *Philippians 4:6*

Prayers for:

Tim & Deann P. on the death of Ross,
Deann's brother

Carolyn E., broken femur and fingers

Texas Panhandle wildfires recovery

Jenna R., breast cancer, friend of Michelle G.

Lisa W., diagnosed with ALS, Bill F.'s niece

Global Methodist Church
Heartland Conference

Heartland Global Methodist Church
Annual Conference, May 30 - June 1

Global Methodist Church
Convening General Conference
9/20-9/26/24 San Jose, Costa Rica

Israel & Ukraine

APRIL BIRTHDAYS

It's a joy to have reasons to celebrate and we'd like to add a new "twist". Instead of just celebrating the person we hope everyone will use this list as a reminder to pray for others in the church.

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Sherri Critchfield

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Prayer | 8:30am

Worship | 9:00am

Children | 9:15am

Fellowship | 9:50am

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