

SHARING OUR TESTIMONY

Acts 25.13-26.29 // July 28, 2024

TACTICS ON DISPLAY

Paul is brought before Herod Agrippa, grandson of Herod the Great, the Jewish King who sought to have Jesus killed as a baby, and son of Herod who had James killed and Peter arrested. He is asked to testify, and we see two tactics he uses that are helpful for us to consider as we share our faith with others:

1. **Paul looks to make a connection with Herod.** He looks for areas of agreement as a way to find in-roads, but also show that he is not as different from Herod (and other Jews) as he is being made out to be.
2. **He asks questions.** Questions do so much in giving us a better understanding of what people *really* believe and feel, and it is important for them to verbalize their own views out loud.

**Never make a statement
when a good question will do.
Where statements can force upon,
questions draw out.**

WRESTLING WITH THE LORD

Goads were a spear like tool used to corral oxen and field animals. Similar to a cattle prod or the purpose of spurs, when an animal is stubborn, it kicks back, but this only causes the rancher to dig in more.

**The bad news is that because God loves us,
He will bring painful discipline us to keep us from going astray.
The good news is that the bad news is good news.**

Psalms 32.8, 9 // Proverbs 15.10 // Hebrews 12.5, 6, 10, 11
Psalm 51.8 // Psalm 119.67

FOR THE SAKE OF OTHERS

2 Corinthians 4.7, 15 // Hebrews 12.1, 2

Never underestimate the power of your testimony. You have been given your unique story and salvation testimony, and you have been given that treasure in order to share with others. Someone needs to hear *your particular testimony*. You have been saved for a purpose, and your Father has prepared good works for you to walk in.

NOTES:

Announcements:

Tactics Workshop: We will be having Part 3 of our Tactics Workshop this Wednesday, July 31, here at the school. Come join us at 7pm as we continue looking at various tactics we can grow in to help us grow in confidence and ability to have better conversations with those in our lives that don't yet know Jesus. RSVP Below.



Community Meal: We will be having a Community Meal after our service this coming Sunday, Aug 4th. You can bring a dish to share (we'll have food storage at the school to keep everything fresh), but if you don't, you are still welcome to join us for food! Contact Kaitlyn Wargo for more details: kaitlynwargo@gmail.com or 760.803.1187.

Summer Pool Hangouts: Sharaya Nix will be hosting summer pool hangouts for Moms and Kids at her house, every **Tuesday at 11am**. Bring your own lunch. Text/call Sharaya for more details: (619) 569-5949.

This Week's Call to Worship Psalm:

Psalm 33

This Week's Scripture to Memorize:

Colossians 2:6-7

Therefore, as you received Christ Jesus the Lord, so walk in him, rooted and built up in him and established in the faith, just as you were taught, abounding in thanksgiving.

ARE YOU NEW HERE?

WELCOME TO LIFE MISSION!

We'd love for you to **fill out a Connection Card** so we can welcome you and answer any questions you may have. You can drop it in the offering basket during the service or take it to one of our teammates at the **Connection Booth** outside. Feel free to grab some coffee and snacks in the courtyard and hang out. We hope you'll **join us next Sunday** and consider making us your church family.

WHAT ABOUT THE KIDS?

Our childrens' ministry, which we call **Kids on Mission**, has classes for **newborns - 5th grade**. We have a great team of volunteers who have all been screened with background checks for extra security. Each week your child will get to **worship** with their class, followed by an **age-appropriate lesson** that points them towards Jesus and helps root them in the Word of God.

Visit our website to read more about the vision of Kids on Mission and a walkthrough of our curriculum. If you have any questions, email **Amber Willis at amber@lifemission.tv**

JUNIOR HIGH & HIGH SCHOOL

Our **6th - 8th graders** begin each Sunday by **worshipping with the adults** and then head to their classroom with their teacher and classmates for the rest of service. Visit our website to read more about our junior high ministry and a walkthrough of our curriculum.

Our **9th-12th graders stay in the service** with the adults because we believe that it is crucial for them to not "graduate the faith" when they graduate high school.

For more information about our Junior High & High School ministries, email **Tyler Willis at tyler@lifemission.tv**.

Contact Us

Jobey McGinty

Pastor, Preaching & Vision
jobey@lifemission.tv

Tyler Willis

Pastor, Student Ministries
tyler@lifemission.tv

Amber Willis

Kids on Mission
amber@lifemission.tv

Brian Galloway

Administration
brian@lifemission.tv

Shauntee Null

Connection Team
connect@lifemission.tv

Sherry Henry

Finances
sherry@lifemission.tv

CONNECT WITH LMC



Point your smart phone camera at the QR Code to access a virtual Connection Card

MAILING ADDRESS:

Life Mission Church
420 Twin Oaks Valley Rd., #908
San Marcos, CA 92079

COMMUNITY GROUP HOMEWORK

Over summer, our Community Groups will be on break. Make a plan with your family and friends to spend time with others and enjoy fellowship with one another during these summer months.

ABIDING in the VINE DAILY DEVOTION

If you have not yet signed up to receive text messages with links to our daily devotion, you can do so here:



Here's the topics for this week's **Abiding in the Vine** and **NT Reading Plan**:

Sunday: Sharing the Gospel	1 Corinthians 11.17-34
Monday: Our Final Destination	1 Corinthians 12.1-27
Tuesday: God's Glory	1 Corinthians 12.28-13.13
Wednesday: Our Need for Reminding	1 Corinthians 14.1-25
Thursday: My Need for Daily "Gospeling"	1 Corinthians 14.26-15.11
Friday: What is the Gospel?	1 Corinthians 15.12-34
Saturday: What is the Gospel? Part 2	1 Corinthians 15-58

THE LORD'S P.R.A.Y.er MODEL

- **Preaching the Gospel to Yourself** (Matthew 6.9, 10)
- **Repent and Confess** (Matthew 6.12)
- **Ask for Provision** (Matthew 6.11-13)
- **Yield with Thanksgiving** (Matthew 6.10)

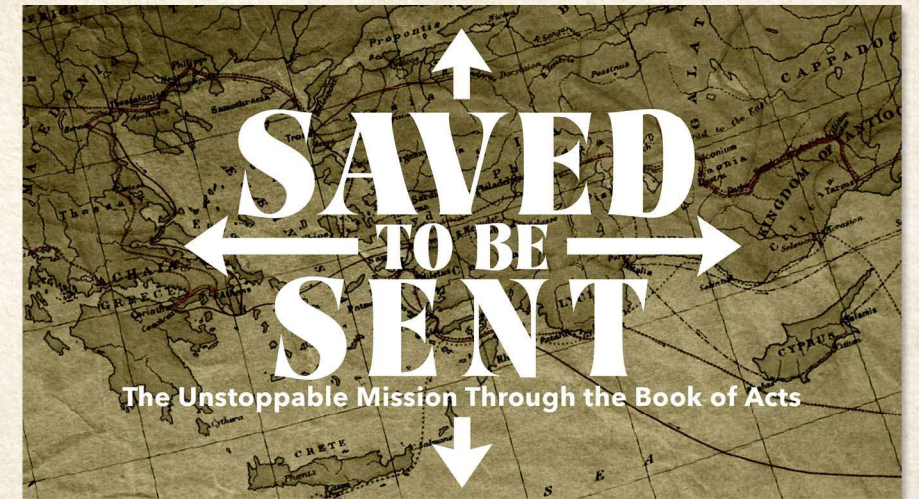
Father, be glorified in _____, let Your Kingdom and will be done, in and through _____ as it is in Heaven.

Give _____ daily bread, and thank You for Your forgiveness.
Help _____ to forgive _____,
because You are the One who has forgiven us.

Keep _____ eyes fixed on You and Your Word and promises so that _____ may not sin against You.
Thank You for and help me trust Your sovereign love.



MAKING DISCIPLES WHO MAKE DISCIPLES LOCALLY AND GLOBALLY,
WHO ARE SAVED, EQUIPPED, AND SENT BY THE GOSPEL.



SHARING OUR TESTIMONY

Acts 25.13-26.29 // July 28, 2024

SUNDAYS AT 10AM

Life Mission Church Meets at Classical Academy High School
207 E Pennsylvania Ave, Escondido 92025

GET TO KNOW MORE ABOUT US ONLINE

LIFEMISSIONCHURCH.COM

