

A FITTING RESCUE PLAN

Hebrews 2.10-18 // April 6, 2025

REALIZING YOUR LIFE IS OVER

I don't know that it is totally possible for us to ever *fully* comprehend the depth of our sin. If you were to ever watch a true-crime show, such as "To Catch a Predator," you can almost feel the sinking feeling and recognition that the perpetrator has when they are finally caught.

But the feeling ought to be thousands of times over for us when we recognize our sin before the Lord. And yet...it doesn't really "hit us" as it should.

GOD'S HATRED OF SIN

And yet, God's Word says that it was "fitting" that God would come up with a particular plan to exonerate us, and the plan would be preposterous. He Himself would stand in our place. And God called this "fitting."

It is necessary that something/someone as amazingly perfect should be what satisfies the justice of God, because sin is itself amazingly treacherous.

Psalm 5.5 // Psalm 11.5-7 // Romans 5.8 // Romans 5.6-10

**The beloved Son of God became a cursed enemy of God
so that the cursed enemies of God
could become beloved sons of God.**

**The cross is proof of both the immense love of God,
and also the profound wickedness of sin.**

-John MacArthur

PROPTIATION

And now, church, because He has become a human and endured all that we have, He has become a perfect, sympathetic, and faithful High Priest who ministers to us and for us.

**The doctrine of propitiation is this:
God loved the *objects* of His wrath so much
that He gave *His own Son* so that
by *His blood* He should make provision
for the *removal* of His wrath.**

John 3.16-19

NOTES:

Announcements:

Newcomer's Lunch & Community Meal: Today after service we will enjoy some time of (Italian!) food and fellowship together. And if you are new(ish) to LMC you get a free pass to the front of the line...grab your food and join our pastors for lunch so we can answer questions and get to know you better.

Women's Gathering: Tomorrow, April 7th, from 7-8:30pm. Carrie Erdos will be hosting and Shauntee Null will lead. Grab a flyer from the table in back for more details.

Men's Ministry: Men of Life Mission, join us at Classical Academy next Saturday, April 12th at 8am, for our first (in a while) meetup! We're excited to (re)kick off our men's ministry and would love to have you join us. More details will be emailed out this week. See you there!

This Week's Call to Worship Psalm:

Psalm 77.16-20

This Week's Scripture to Memorize:

Colossians 3:1-2

If then you have been raised with Christ, seek the things that are above, where Christ is, seated at the right hand of God. Set your minds on things that are above, not on things that are on earth.

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**.

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COMMUNITY GROUP HOMEWORK

Open the evening reciting the **Memory Verse** together. Then open to the **Call to Worship Psalm** and have someone open the night by *praying* the Psalm.

Read **Hebrews 2.10-18** What stands out here or from Sunday's sermon?

Preaching the Gospel to Yourself

We have a God who *not only* found a fitting way to forgive us, but that fitting way involved He Himself coming to the earth to stand in our place as condemned. We were once hated enemies, and we have been adopted as beloved children. What does this truth do to your perception of who you are, both before and now with Christ?

Your Life Mission

We are called to be ministers of reconciliation to a lost world. Right now, the world stands condemned, just as we once did. Without hearing and believing in the gift of "so great a salvation," they stand before God with no hope.

What conversations or relationships do you desperately need prayer for as you look to the future of some of the friendships God has given you?

Close the Community Group by praying through the pattern of the Lord's Prayer!

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.



LIFE MISSION

CHURCH

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

HEBREWS

THE TRUE AND BETTER

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