

SUNDAY 05/31/20

677 Luda Street, Elgin | www.jccelgin.org

Online Church ca

Sunday Streaming Facebook Live 10:15 am Wednesday Prayer Facebook Live 6:30 pm



CONGRATULATIONS 2020 GRADUATES

Congratulations to our graduates!
We honor you for your determination to achieve
your best in a very difficult season!



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Thanks to all who participated in the Ride for Jesus! That was a city-wide proclamation of God's faithfulness and goodness!

RE-OPENING

The President has ordered all houses of worship to reopen. We will notify you of the re-opening date. We want to carry this out in a safe and sensible manner.

WITE714

Continue to pray the weekly prayer for the healing of our lands and for a spiritual awakening among the nations. There is power in unified prayer!

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GENEROSITY...

Using resources for a cause greater than us gives us a perspective few other things will. It shouts that there is more to life than having and attaining!

ANTENDENT SERIES

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OVER FEAR!

MOITAVIAS

May 03 » Overcoming Faith:
The Lamb

May 10 » Mother's Day

May 17 » Raw Faith: Four Lepers May 24 » Growing Faith: Gideon

May 31 » Nautical Faith: Jesus

PRAYER REQUESTS

SALVAITOR				Stein Family
Jason G. Ray	H.	Gearen Fan	nily	Kirk Aricioglu
Brian H. Kare	en W.	Rick L.		Dave S.
Benjamin G. Che	yenne W.	Mike F.		Bato R.
Ryan K. Tyle	r M.	Tom M.		
HEALTH ICCH	FC			
HEALTH ISSU	E2 —			
Suzie S. » Health Issues	Michael	C. » Health Issues	Ca	arol S. » Grief
Kenny D. » Nuerological	Bethany	» Health Issues	Sh	nirley P. » Neuropathy
Shirley K. » Health Issues	Art B. »	Health Issues	Gl	oria P. Family » Health Issues
Sam H. » Cardiac Issues	Don H.	» Health Issues	Ec	I. O. » Health Issues
Ruth H. » Health Issues	Rafael »	Cancer	Be	etty W. » Coronavirus
Phyllis L. » Health Issues	Tommy I	P. » Anxiety	Be	etty F. » Lumbar Injury
Jean G. » Health Issues	Marvin I	» Health Issues	Bi	lly H. » Sobriety
Michael D. » MS	Noe F. »	Health Issues	Be	ecky J. » Cancer
Keith M. » Cancer	Linda »	Diabetes Issues	M	ary S. » Implant
Craig B. » Leukemia	Ken R. »	Hip Fracture	Ac	ddison G. » Fibrosis

faith OVER FEAR!

Make sure you test positive for faith.

Keep distance from doubt and isolate from fear.

Trust God through it all, Faith overcomes fear.

Crossmap Prayers

Faith OVER FEAR!

NAUTICAL FAITH

On that day, when evening had come, he said to them, "Let us go across to the other side." And leaving the crowd, they took him with them in the boat, just as he was. And other boats were with him. And a great windstorm arose, and the waves were breaking into the boat, so that the boat was already filling. But he was in the stern, asleep on the cushion. And they woke him and said to him, "Teacher, do you not care that we are perishing?" And he awoke and rebuked the wind and said to the sea, "Peace! Be still!" And the wind ceased, and there was a great calm. He said to them, "Why are you so afraid? Have you still no faith?" And they were filled with great fear and said to one another, "Who then is this, that even the wind and the sea obey him?" Mark 4:35-41

Let's climb in the boat with Jesus as He takes us to the other side. In this text we'll discover five truths and a miracle that give his disciples a much-needed perspective.

1 His plan may be puzzling

Check out verse 35 – "On that day, when evening had come, he said to them, 'Let us go across to the other side.""

Here are some reasons why Jesus may have wanted to cross the lake.

- · To escape the crowd and get some rest.
- · To teach and train the disciples.
- · To free a man in bondage.
- To reach an unreached culture with the gospel.





The Sea of Galilee is really a lake but is called a sea because it has a lot of the same characteristics.

GOD CHARTED THE BOAT INTO A STORM! GOD DIRECTED THEM RIGHT INTO THE MIDDLE OF THE STORM.

GOD NEVER WASTES A STORM. THE MIRACLE HAPPENS IN THE STORM!

3 Afis plan comes with Afis presence

Where is Jesus when the storm comes? He's taking a power nap in the back of the boat! Verse 38 - "But He was in the stern, asleep on the cushion..."

JESUS IS NEVER <u>ABSENT</u> FROM OUR STORMS! JESUS' QUESTION: "WHY ARE YOU SO AFRAID?"

4 fis plan demonstrates ffis power

I love how Jesus slept through the storm but as soon as his children cried out He woke up. Verse 39 - "And He awoke and rebuked the wind and said to the sea, 'Peace! Be still!' And the wind ceased, and there was a great calm."

- SUDDENLY THE STORM STOPS!

5 His plan always has a purpose

The greatest storm that night was not on the Sea of Galilee but in the souls of the disciples. There are some things they were not going to get unless they went through some storms.

· To deal with our fear · To grow our faith. · To increase our awe.