

June 11, 2023

■ **Welcome / Call to Worship**

■ **“O Church Arise”** by Keith Getty & Stuart Townend © 2005 Thankyou Music CCLI #801260

O Church Arise and put your armour on Hear the call of Christ  
our Captain For now the weak can say that they are strong  
In the strength that God has given With shield of faith and belt of  
truth We'll stand against the devil's lies An army bold whose battle-  
cry is Love Reaching out to those in darkness

Our call to war to love the captive soul But to rage against the  
captor And with the sword that makes the wounded whole  
We will fight with faith and valor When faced with trials on every side  
We know the outcome is secure And Christ will have the prize for  
which He died An inheritance of nations

Come see the cross where love and mercy meet As the Son  
of God is stricken Then see His foes lie crushed beneath His feet  
For the Conqueror has risen And as the stone is rolled away  
And Christ emerges from the grave This victory march continues till  
the day Every eye and heart shall see Him

So Spirit come put strength in every stride Give grace for  
every hurdle That we may run with faith to win the prize Of a servant  
good and faithful As saints of old still line the way  
Retelling triumphs of His grace We hear their calls and hunger for the  
day When with Christ we stand in glory

■ **“My Jesus I Love Thee”** .....Hymn 364

My Jesus, I love thee, I know thou art mine; for thee all  
the follies of sin I resign; my gracious Redeemer, my Savior art thou;  
if ever I loved thee, my Jesus, 'tis now.

I love thee because thou hast first loved me  
and purchased my pardon on Calvary's tree; I love thee for wearing  
the thorns on thy brow; if ever I loved thee, my Jesus, 'tis now.

I'll love thee in life, I will love thee in death, and praise thee as  
long as thou lendest me breath, and say when the deathdew lies cold  
on my brow: If ever I loved thee, my Jesus,  
'tis now.

In mansions of glory and endless delight, I'll ever adore thee in  
heaven so bright; I'll sing with the glittering crown on my brow: If  
ever I loved thee, my Jesus, 'tis now.

■ **Scripture Reading** - 1 Peter 2:4–12

■ **Offertory Prayer**

■ **“Redeemed, Restored, Forgiveness”** by Matthew Smith/Jeff Pardo  
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Once on a dreary mountain We wandered far and wide, Far  
from the cleansing fountain Far from the pierced side But Jesus

sought and found us And washed our guilt away With cords of love  
He bound us To be His own today

**Redeemed, restored, forgiven Through Jesus' precious  
blood Heirs of His home in heaven Oh, praise our pardoning  
God**

Dear Lord receive the glory Of each recovered soul  
Oh who can tell the story Of love that made us whole?  
Not our, not ours, the merit Be Yours alone the praise  
And ours a thankful spirit To serve You all our days  
Now keep us, holy Savior In Your true love and fear And grant us by  
Your favor The grace to persevere Till in Your new creation When  
Earth meets Heaven's shore We find our full salvation And praise  
You evermore

■ **Confession / Lord's Supper-**

**Confession from 1 Peter 2:9-10**

(lead) Lord, you have called us out as a chosen race, a royal  
priesthood, a holy nation, a people for your own possession.

**(congregation) Forgive us for when we have sought to blend in with the  
world and have lived for their approval.**

(lead) You have set us apart to proclaim your excellencies - you who  
have called us out of darkness into your marvelous light

**(congregation) Forgive us for when we - through busyness or fear of  
man - have shrunk back from declaring your greatness  
and the good news of your kingdom.**

(lead) Once we were not a people, but now we are your people;  
once we had not received mercy, but now we have received  
mercy.

**(congregation) Lord, we thank you for mercy in Jesus, mercy that  
cleanses from all sin; these that we confess together And  
ones we now confess to you in private.**

*(Silence during private confession)*

(lead) Father, thank you for your mercy Fill us now with joy in telling  
others about the grace we have received.

**(congregation) Freely we have received your mercy. Help us give it  
freely to others. Amen**

■ **“His Mercy Is More”**

Words and music by Matt Papa, Matt Boswell © 2016 Common Hymnal Publishing CCLI #801260

What love could remember no wrongs we have done Omniscient, all  
knowing, He counts not their sum Thrown into a sea without bottom  
or shore Our sins they are many, His mercy is more

What patience would wait as we constantly roam What  
Father, so tender, is calling us home He welcomes the weakest, the  
vilest, the poor Our sins they are many, His mercy is more

What riches of kindness he lavished on us His blood was the

payment, His life was the cost We stood 'neath a debt we could  
never afford Our sins they are many, His mercy is more

**Praise the Lord His mercy is more**

**Stronger than darkness, new every morn**

**Our sins they are many, His mercy is more**

■ **Message** - "Restored Through Love" - John 21:15-19

– Pastor Scott

■ **Closing Song** - "I Will Glory in My Redeemer"

by Steve and Vikki Cook © 2000 Sovereign Grace Worship CCLI #801260

I will glory in my Redeemer Whose priceless blood has  
ransomed me Mine was the sin that drove the bitter nails And hung  
Him on that judgment tree I will glory in my Redeemer Who  
crushed the power of sin and death My only Savior before the Holy  
Judge **The Lamb Who is my righteousness**

I will glory in my Redeemer My life He bought, my love He  
owns I have no longings for another I'm satisfied in Him alone I will  
glory in my Redeemer His faithfulness my standing place Though  
foes are mighty and rush upon me

**My feet are firm, held by His grace**

I will glory in my Redeemer Who carries me on eagles' wings  
He crowns my life with loving kindness His triumph song I'll ever sing

I will glory in my Redeemer Who waits for me at gates of  
gold And when He calls me it will be paradise

**His face forever to behold**

■ **Benediction**



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**This Week's Fighter Verse: Feed Your Soul by Memorizing Scripture!** Each week's '*Fighter Verse*' is meant to help you "fight the good fight" of faith. This week's passage is one every Christian should know (and live) by heart.

**Luke 9:23**

And [Jesus] said to them all, "If anyone would come after me, let him deny himself and take up his cross daily and follow me."



# Fellowship Nights

- **Monday nights during June and July**
- **5-8 PM**
- **We plan to eat at 5:30 PM.**  
**Bring food to share**
- **Please park on the side of the church to leave the back open for play**
- **Bring toys and games**
- **Fellowship will take place in the fellowship hall and outdoors please!**
- **Next Fellowship is Monday, June 12!**  
**Please see sign up in your e-mail for taco night**

"Restored Through Love"  
John 21:15-19

- I. A question of \_\_\_\_\_ vv15-17
  - The significance of the charcoal fire (Jn 18:18, 21:9)
  - "Simon, son of John" - Why not just "Peter"
  - "... more than these" ... what is meant by 'these' v15
  - Peter is \_\_\_\_\_
  - Jesus' question \_\_\_\_\_ Peter v17
  - How many denials? \_\_\_\_ How many affirmations of love? \_\_\_\_
  - Love vs Love: Agapaō vs Phileō
- II. A commission to \_\_\_\_\_ vv15-17
  - A three-fold commission v15.16,17
  - How must Peter demonstrate his love for Christ?
  - Love for Christ is shown in the \_\_\_\_\_ we take toward one another
  - Peter's calling as a \_\_\_\_\_ 1 Pet 5:1-2
  - Application (1)  
(2)
- III. A Promise of \_\_\_\_\_ vv18-19
  - Does faithfulness to Christ promise a life of ease? 2 Tim 3:12
  - What does Jesus promise Peter?
  - What does He promise us? Luke 9:23

## THIS WEEK AT ROCKPORT

### SUNDAY - June 11

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| Sunday Morning Bible Study | 9:30 AM  |
| Sunday Morning Worship     | 10:40 AM |

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Today's Greeters - Kathy Blunt & Mike or Kristy Booker  
Today's Tellers - Sherie Eagleburger & Stephanie Tompkins  
Today's Nursery - Debbie & Lily McClure

Please note: Nursery care during worship is for children up through age 2

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Prayerfully consider Rockport's Budget Needs

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| Rockport Weekly Budget Goal..... | \$5,263.00 |
| May Weekly Average.....          | \$5,520.31 |

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### ANNOUNCEMENTS

- **MONDAY, June 12 - part of Monday Summer Fellowships**  
5 - 8 PM. Eat at 5:30 PM. Please see sign up for food in your e-mail. Please park on the side lot to leave the back open for play. Fellowship will only take place in the fellowship hall and outside please. (Bring games, toys, etc)
- **SUNDAY, June 18 -TIME TO RETURN ALL BABY BOTTLES - EMPTY OR FULL**
- **WEDNESDAY, June 21** at 7 PM - Congregational Prayer Meeting
- **SUNDAY, July 2** - First Sunday Fellowship
- **SATURDAY, July 8 at 8 AM - Men's Discipleship Breakfast**  
Bring food to share!
- **Family Camp 2023** - September 21-24
- **Tuesdays at 1:30 PM** at Rockport. - **Exercise Class** .  
Please contact Susan Jackson for more information  
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## A Word from Pastor Scott:

Sunday June 11, 2023

*Brothers, pray for us!*

**1 Thess 5:25**

It seems like I'm always asking for prayer. Maybe that's because I am. The older I get, the more weak I realize I am. That famous line from what we think of as a children's song, "Jesus Loves Me" rings more and more true: "we are weak, but He is strong." So please pray for me as I pray continually for you. Pray for my wife as she is in Arkansas again this week to help with her mother. Pray for the Malins as they navigate these uncertain waters of experimental cancer treatment and seek the Lord's help and answers. Pray for parents as they seek to bring up their kids in the fear and admonition of the Lord. Pray for our marriages, that husbands and wives would grow in grace together and learn more and more what it means to love like Christ. Pray for our singles, that they would be content in Christ and would know that His nearness is life's greatest joy. Pray for our dating couples and engaged couples that they would conduct their relationships with grace-filled integrity as they wait patiently for the gifts God bestows only in marriage. And pray for those who have recently suffered loss.

Pray for our church as we try to plan for the future and think about what it means to be faithful with our finances, faithful in the use of our gifts, and what God would have us do to provide room for those he continues to bring to our fellowship that we might all grow together in His grace. And pray that the Lord would work in our fellowship to draw us together in Christ, to bring others to faith in Christ both locally and globally, and to raise up a new generation who are zealous to know and walk with Him.

And finally, pray for all those of us who will be attending the Southern Baptist Convention in New Orleans this week, including me, Luke, and Kyle and Phoebe. There are some difficult and important issues on the table. Ask the Lord to bring about His sovereign will in everything that transpires this week

*Resting in the Steadfast Love of the One who hears prayer!*  
Pastor Scott

# Kid's Listening Sheet (6/11/23)

Title: "Restored through \_\_\_\_\_"

Bible Passages: John 21: \_\_\_\_\_



Key Words: Circle each word every time you hear it.

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|-------|-----------|--------|--------|
| Fire  | Breakfast | Fish   | Love   |
| Feed  | Lambs     | Sheep  | Hurt   |
| Cross | Follow    | Serve  | Word   |
| Alarm | Hands     | Suffer | Follow |

What are three important things you heard during the sermon?

1.

2.

3.

Draw two pictures that show what you heard today:

1.

2.

## Jesus and Peter (John 21:15-19)

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A N T J S L T F E E D O A  
L Y G T H I R D T W M U I  
K N T J E S U S E C O N D  
N T J L E B L T R O B G R  
O G J O P R Y R J R E H E  
W L G R I E V E D M C J S  
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| CARRY   | DRESS    | EVERYTHING |
| FEED    | FINISHED | GRIEVED    |
| HANDS   | JESUS    | JOHN       |
| KNOW    | LAMBS    | LORD       |
| LOVE    | MORE     | PETER      |
| SAID    | SECOND   | SHEEP      |
| SIMON   | STRETCH  | TEND       |
| THIRD   | TIME     | TRULY      |
| USED    | WALK     | WANT       |
| WHEN    | WHEREVER | YOUNG      |