

**April 27, 2025**

■ **Announcements / Call to Worship**

■ **“Come Praise and Glorify”**

Music by Bob Kaufin, words by Tim Chester © 2011 Sovereign Grace Praise CCLI #801260

Come praise and glorify our God The Father of our Lord In Christ He has in heav’nly realms His blessings on us poured For pure and blameless in His sight He destined us to be And now we’ve been adopted through His Son eternally

**To the praise of Your glory To the praise of Your mercy and grace To the praise of Your glory You are the God who saves**

Come praise and glorify our God Who gives His grace in Christ In Him our sins are washed away Redeemed through sacrifice In Him God has made known to us The myst’ry of His will That Christ should be the head of all His purpose to fulfill

Come praise and glorify our God For we’ve believed the Word And through our faith we have a seal The Spirit of the Lord The Spirit guarantees our hope Until redemption’s done Until we join in endless praise to God, the Three in One

■ **Scripture Reading - 1 Corinthians 11:17-34**

■ **Offertory Prayer**

■ **“The Glory of God”**

Words by Joe Day, Music by The Parsons © 2003 Joe Day CCLI #801260

What can I give unto You my Lord For You are of infinite worth The sum of my songs the cry of my heart The breath that descends to earth The deepest parts of the universe Are not strangers to Your hand The highest mountains the furthest of seas Forgotten and untold lands

**There’s a song that is sung by the saints that have come And have gone from under the sun Those that are present before Your throne Sing endlessly The Glory of God!**

**Praise and glory and wisdom and thanks And honor and power and strength Be to our God forever and ever and ever Amen**

What can I give unto You my Lord For You are of infinite worth The sum of my songs the cry of my heart The breath that descends to earth What cry can the deepest of sorrows bring That You do not well understand What laugh can the outburst of joy not sing Of the providence brought by Your hand

■ **Confession / Lord’s Supper -**

**CONFESSION FROM ROMANS 8:31-39**

(lead) *Lord, we gather as sinners who have been saved and secured in your love. We confess our sin.*

(cong) **We have rejected you and ignored you.**

**We have sought our own glory instead of yours.**

**We have lived for self rather than for love.**

(lead) *Yet you have washed us and redeemed us through Jesus Christ. We confess our security in your salvation.*

(cong) **If God is for us, who can be against us?**

(lead) *Who shall bring any charge against God’s elect?*

(cong) **It is God who justifies.**

(lead) *Who is to condemn?*

(cong) **No one. Christ Jesus died, rose, and intercedes for us.**

(lead) *Can anything separate us from the love of Christ?*

*Is our salvation threatened by chaos in our nation or cancer in our bodies? Is it at risk because of wickedness, weakness, or want?*

(cong) **No, in all these things we are more than conquerors through him who loved us.**

(lead) *He who loved us is greater than all. Nothing can snatch us from our Father’s hand: neither death nor life, nor angels nor rulers, nor things present nor things to come...*

(cong) **Nothing in all creation will be able to separate us from the love of God in Christ Jesus our Lord.**

■ **“There Is A Fountain”** .....Hymn 196

There is a fountain filled with blood Drawn from Immanuel’s veins,  
And sinners plunged beneath that flood Lose all their guilty stains: Lose  
all their guilty stains, Lose all their guilty stains; And sinners plunged  
beneath that flood Lose all their guilty stains.

The dying thief rejoiced to see That fountain in his day, And there  
have I, though vile as he, Washed all my sins away: Washed all my  
sins away, Washed all my sins away; And there have I, though vile as  
he, Washed all my sins away.

Dear dying Lamb, Thy precious blood Shall never lose its pow’r, Till  
all the ransomed Church of God Be saved to sin no more: Be saved to  
sin no more, Be saved to sin no more; Till all the ransomed Church of  
God Be saved to sin no more.

E’er since by faith I saw the stream Thy flowing wounds supply,  
Redeeming love has been my theme And shall be till I die: And shall be  
till I die, And shall be till I die; Redeeming love has been my theme And  
shall be till I die

When this poor lisping, stam’ring tongue Lies silent in the grave,  
Then in a nobler, sweeter song I’ll sing Thy pow’r to save: I’ll sing Thy  
pow’r to save, I’ll sing Thy pow’r to save; Then in a nobler, sweeter  
song I’ll sing Thy pow’r to save

■ **“Romans Doxology”**

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Oh, the depth of the riches, the wisdom of God, How unsearchable are

His ways. How profound are His judgements, so high above our thoughts, And His pathways no man can trace.

**For from Him and through Him, and to Him are all things,  
To Him be the glory forevermore. To Him be the glory forever.  
Amen! Amen! Amen!**

Oh, the depth of the riches, the wisdom of God, How magnificent are His ways. Who has been His advisor and who has counseled Him, All He gives us who can repay.

Oh, the depth of the riches, the wisdom of God, How immeasurable His grace. How unfailing His kindness, so far removed His wrath, And His mercies are new each day.

■ **Message:**     *“Jude Doxology: To Him Who Is Able”*  
                    Pastor Scott – Jude vv 24-25

■ **Closing Hymn**

■ **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. Memorize it and use it for the good of your soul!

**Jude 24-25 (ESV) Doxology**

<sup>24</sup> Now to him who is able to keep you from stumbling and to present you blameless before the presence of his glory with great joy, <sup>25</sup> to the only God, our Savior, through Jesus Christ our Lord, be glory, majesty, dominion, and authority, before all time and now and forever. Amen.



The **ACTS 4 FUND** at Rockport is to help our members in need. It's funded by designated offerings and administered by the deacons. If you're led to contribute to this fund, please designate your offering and amount accordingly.

**"Jude Doxology: To Him Who Is Able"**  
**(Jude vv 24-25)**

I. We Praise Him because of \_\_\_\_\_ and  
\_\_\_\_\_ v24

He is Able to do what? Ps 115:3; 135:6; Daniel 4:34-35

(1) He is Able to \_\_\_\_\_  
Jn 10:28-29; 2 Pet 1:10; Php 1:6

(2) He is Able to present you \_\_\_\_\_  
- without \_\_\_\_\_  
- with Great \_\_\_\_\_

II. We can \_\_\_\_\_ ourselves to Him fully because of who He is  
v25

(1) Who is this God we trust?  
- He is the \_\_\_\_\_ Dt 6:4-5; Jn 17:3  
- He is our only \_\_\_\_\_ Lk 1:46-47; 1 Tim 1:1

(2) What does God abound with?  
- \_\_\_\_\_ Rm 11:33-36  
- \_\_\_\_\_ Isa 6:1  
- \_\_\_\_\_ and Authority

(3) What is the extent of His power and authority?  
It is \_\_\_\_\_

(4) What is our response? \_\_\_\_\_!

## THIS WEEK AT ROCKPORT

**Sunday, April 27, 2025**

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

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**Today's Greeters** - Kyle Davis & Mark Stoner

**Today's Tellers** - Jennifer McMillian & Mysti Jackson

**Today's Nursery** - Jennifer McMillian & Kristy Booker

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

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### **Prayerfully consider Rockport's Budget Needs**

Rockport Weekly Budget Goal.....	\$6,710.00
March Weekly Average.....	\$8,243.63

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### **ANNOUNCEMENTS:**

- **Coffee or Tea for Three: A Fellowship Opportunity for Women of Rockport** Spring/Summer 2025 – For more information and to sign up online, use the QR code on the inside page of this bulletin.
- **Monthly Men's Breakfast** – Saturday, May 10<sup>th</sup>. "A Godly Man's Fight Against Lust and Porn" by Mike Booker
- **Save the Dates for Upcoming Baby & Wedding Showers**  
Friday, May 16<sup>th</sup> for Julian (& Will) Pierce (Baby)  
Saturday, June 7<sup>th</sup> for Tony Koranda & Sydney Dinwiddie (Wedding)  
Saturday, June 21<sup>st</sup> for Jonathan Dickmann & Riley Coumerilh (Wedding)  
Saturday, July 19<sup>th</sup> for Ernie Dickmann & Lillie Clinton (Wedding)
- **Mark your Calendars – Rockport's Annual Family Camp** dates have been set for Thursday, September 25<sup>th</sup> through Sunday, September 28<sup>th</sup>. Watch for more details!

## **A Word from Pastor Scott:**

**Sunday, April 27, 2025**

*"Now to him who is able to keep you from stumbling  
and to present you blameless before the presence of his glory with great joy,  
to the only God, our Savior, through Jesus Christ our Lord, be glory,  
majesty, dominion, and authority, before all time and now and forever. Amen."*

**Jude 24-25**

This morning we come to the end of Jude's little letter which, it turns out, ends much more like a sermon than an epistle. Most New Testament letters end with a benediction like that found in Philippians 4:23, *"The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ be with your spirit"* or 2 Corinthians 13:14 *"The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ and the love of God and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with you all."* As you can see, a benediction is a blessing spoken before God, asking Him to give grace. A doxology, on the other hand, is an expression of praise declaring God to be great and worthy of all worship. A doxology is meant to provoke us to celebrate our faith with joy! So Jude ends with a doxology.

"Why," we might ask, "does Jude end this way?" I think the simplest answer is that Jude wants to focus our attention on the greatness and worthiness of God in a way that strengthens our joy and secures our faith. Jude is wise enough to understand that warnings alone are not enough. So even though more than half of Jude is given to warning us about the influx of false teachers, he does not stop with a warning. He knows that beyond the warning we need worship! And worship is what a doxology is all about! It's a reminder, dear church, that it's never enough simply to know the truth with your mind. It's not enough to beware of error so you can avoid it. You must learn to love the truth and the God who gives it with all your heart, soul, mind and strength.

Jude ends as he does in order to fix our eyes more fully on the God who is not only worthy of all praise, but also worthy of our trust now and forever!

*To Him Alone be the Glory! Amen!*

*Pastor Scott Lee*

## Kid's Listening Sheet (4/27/25)

Title: "Doxology: To Him Who is \_\_\_\_\_"

Bible Passage: Jude \_\_\_\_\_

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

Ears	Praise	Able	Keep
Guard	Hold	Hand	Joy
Stand	Lamb	Glory	God
King	Savior	Power	Amen!

What are three important things you heard during the sermon?

1.

2.

3.

Draw two pictures that show what you heard today:

1.

2.

## Jude's Doxology: Jude 24–25

A M E N C P I A D A F  
J B S C H R I S T U U  
K E E P R E S E N T B  
J M A J E S T Y I H L  
F O R E V E R D R O A  
T E T S O N O O T R M  
A V N U H C N M L I E  
B G T S M E L I O T L  
L R G L O R Y N R Y E  
E E U E S H H I D O S  
A A H S A V I O R J S  
S T U M B L I N G M T

ABLE	AMEN	AUTHORITY
BLAMELESS	CHRIST	DOMINION
FOREVER	GLORY	GREAT
JESUS	KEEP	LORD
MAJESTY	ONLY	PRESENCE
PRESENT	SAVIOR	STUMBLING