

ONLINE SCRIPT – March 2, 2022



**WE ARE GLAD YOU ARE HERE! HERE ARE SOME SUGGESTIONS TO HELP YOU GET THE MOST OUT OF ONLINE CHURCH.**

- **Be Present.** Treat this time like you are in a house of worship, which is where you are! Try not to hold a side conversation, answer calls, or multi-task. Be with God and His people like always. After all, we believe in the communion of saints!
- **Worship, don't just watch.** Sing when the leader sings, pray when the pastor prays, say "amen" or "hallelujah" out loud when you hear something that resonates with you.
- **Interact with God and Each Other.** Feel free to comment in the thread below the video to ask questions, give a word of praise, or ask for prayer. We will have an online host to help facilitate the comment threads.

**WELCOME**

**CALL TO WORSHIP**

L: O Lord, open my lips,

**A: and my mouth will declare your praise.**

L: You do not delight in sacrifice, or I would bring it;

**A: you do not take pleasure in burnt offerings.**

L: The sacrifices of God are a broken spirit;

**A: a broken and contrite heart, O God, you will not despise. Amen.**

**WORSHIP SONG**

***"Graves Into Gardens"***

I searched the world but it couldn't fill me  
Man's empty praise and treasures that fade  
Are never enough  
Then you came along and put me back together  
And every desire is now satisfied here in Your love

Oh there's nothing better than You  
There's nothing better than You  
Lord there's nothing nothing is better than You

I'm not afraid to show You my weakness  
My failures and flaws Lord You've seen them all  
And You still call me friend  
Cause the God of the mountain is the God of the valley  
There's not a place Your mercy and grace  
Won't find me again

*You turn mourning to dancing You give beauty for ashes  
You turn shame into glory You're the only one who can  
You turn graves into gardens You turn bones into armies  
You turn seas into highways  
You're the only one who can  
You're the only one who can*

## CONFESSION

L: Have mercy on me, O God, according to your unfailing love;

**ALL: according to your great compassion blot out my transgressions.**

L: Wash away all my iniquity and cleanse me from my sin.

**ALL: Surely you desire truth in the inner parts; you teach me wisdom in the inmost place.**

L: Create in me a pure heart, O God, and renew a steadfast spirit within me.

**ALL: Do not cast me from your presence or take your Holy Spirit from me.**

L: Restore to me the joy of your salvation

**ALL: and grant me a willing spirit, to sustain me. Amen.**

## IMPOSITION OF ASHES

### WORSHIP SONG

#### *“Beautiful Things”*

All this pain I wonder if I'll ever find my way  
I wonder if my life could really change at all  
All this earth could all that is lost ever be found  
Could a garden come up from this ground at all

*You make beautiful things*

*You make beautiful things out of the dust*

*You make beautiful things*

*You make beautiful things out of us*

All around hope is springing up from this old ground  
Out of chaos life is being found in You

You make me new You are making me new

## ABSOLUTION

## CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

### SERMON

#### **“REDEMPTION”**

Sr. Pastor Jason Scheler

From now on, therefore, we regard no one according to the flesh. Even though we once regarded Christ according to the flesh, we regard him thus no longer. <sup>17</sup>Therefore, if anyone is in Christ, he is a new creation. The old has passed away; behold, the new has come. <sup>18</sup>All this is from God, who through Christ reconciled us to himself and gave us the ministry of reconciliation; <sup>19</sup>that is, in Christ God was reconciling the world to himself, not counting their trespasses against them, and entrusting to us the message of reconciliation. <sup>20</sup>Therefore, we are ambassadors for Christ, God making his appeal through us. We implore you on behalf of Christ, be reconciled to God. <sup>21</sup>For our sake he made him to be sin who knew no sin, so that in him we might become the righteousness of God. (2 Corinthians 5:16-21)

#### **Memory Verse**

Working together with him, then, we appeal to you not to receive the grace of God in vain.  
(2 Corinthians 6:1 ESV)

For he says, “In a favorable time I listened to you, and in a day of salvation I have helped you.” Behold, now is the favorable time; behold, now is the day of salvation. (2 Corinthians 6:2 ESV)

### **1. GOD HAS RELEASED THE GOSPEL.**

All this is from God (2 Corinthians 5:18a)

## 2. **GOD WANTS ALL TO BE RECONCILED.**

Therefore, the LORD longs to be gracious to you; therefore, He rises to show you compassion, for the LORD is a just God. (Isaiah 30:18a ESV)

Yet for my own sake and for the honor of my name, I will hold back my anger and not wipe you out. (Isaiah 48:9 NLT)

The LORD is compassionate and gracious, slow to anger, abounding in love. (Psalm 103:8 NIV)

The Lord isn't really being slow about his promise, as some people think. No, he is being patient for your sake. He does not want anyone to be destroyed, but wants everyone to repent. (2Peter 3:9 NLT)

## 3. **THE GOSPEL IS REJECTED.**

### A. **PEOPLE DO NOT BELIEVE OR DESPISE THE GOSPEL.**

"You stubborn people! You are heathen at heart and deaf to the truth. Must you forever resist the Holy Spirit? That's what your ancestors did, and so do you! <sup>52</sup>Name one prophet your ancestors didn't persecute! They even killed the ones who predicted the coming of the Righteous One—the Messiah whom you betrayed and murdered. <sup>53</sup>You deliberately disobeyed God's law, even though you received it from the hands of angels." (Acts 7:51-53 ESV)

### B. **LOSE HEART**

Therefore, we do not lose heart. Though outwardly we are wasting away, yet inwardly we are being renewed day by day. (2 Corinthians 4:16 NIV)

And let us not grow weary of doing good, for in due season we will reap, if we do not give up. (Galatians 6:9 ESV)

### C. **DISTRACTIONS TAKE OVER**

Do not love this world nor the things it offers you, for when you love the world, you do not have the love of the Father in you. (1 John 2:15 ESV)

## 4. **THE GOSPEL IS RECEIVED BY THE SPIRIT OF GOD.**

Now we have received not the spirit of the world, but the Spirit who is from God, that we might understand the things freely given us by God. (1 Corinthians 2:12 ESV)

Oh, foolish Galatians! Who has cast an evil spell on you? For the meaning of Jesus Christ's death was made as clear to you as if you had seen a picture of his death on the cross. <sup>2</sup>Let me ask you this one question: Did you receive the Holy Spirit by obeying the law of Moses? Of course not! You received the Spirit because you believed the message you heard about Christ. <sup>3</sup>How foolish can you be? After starting your new lives in the Spirit, why are you now trying to become perfect by your own human effort? <sup>4</sup>Have you experienced so much for nothing? Surely it was not in vain, was it? (Galatians 3:1-3 NLT)

Indeed, the "right time" is now. Today is the day of salvation. (2 Corinthians 6:2 NLT)

## LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever and ever. Amen.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS/OFFERING

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Mail your tithe/offering to:

Hope on the Beach Church

3834 US Hwy 98 West

Santa Rosa Beach, FL 32459

Drop off an offering on Monday between 10:00am and 2:00pm



## NEXT STEPS

Please fill out a Connection Card online by using this link:

<https://hopeonthebeach.breezechms.com/form/ConnectionCard>

Follow us on Facebook to find worship, prayers, and devotions all week long. Subscribe to our YouTube channel as well!

### **Men's Breakfast, Saturday, March 5<sup>th</sup> @ 9:00 am at 98 Church Campus**

Calling all men to join us for our monthly breakfast and a great opportunity to fellowship with other men at Hope. For more information, contact Steve at [steve@hopeonthebeach.com](mailto:steve@hopeonthebeach.com) if you plan to attend.

### **Sort and Organize Layettes, Sunday, March 6<sup>th</sup> @ 12:30 pm at 98 Church Campus**

You have shopped, donated and waited for this day. Come join in the fun as we get our donations ready for our workshop. Lunch will be provided for all the helpers. Please notify Maggie @ (850) 225-7322 if you plan to attend.

### **Youth Group, Wednesday, March 9<sup>th</sup> @ 6:00 pm at 98 Church Campus**

All youth, 6<sup>th</sup>—12<sup>th</sup> grade are invited to join in an evening of fun as we prepare dinner together, study God's Word, and enjoy fellowship. Contact Kristie at [kristie@hopeonthebeach.com](mailto:kristie@hopeonthebeach.com) if you plan to attend.

### **Layette Workshop, Saturday, March 12<sup>th</sup> @ 9:30 am at 98 Church Campus**

Come join in the fun as we assemble our Layette gift bags to be delivered to Sacred Heart Hospital's Birthing Center. Please notify Maggie @ (850) 22507322 if you plan to attend.

### **Join the TEAM**

We are seeking candidates for a part time Communications Coordinator. Applications are available on our website under forms/downloadable.

### **Women of Hope Monthly Donation**

During the month of March the Women of Hope are asking for donations for Egg Drop Palooza. We need wrapped hard candy to fit into (5,000) plastic eggs (no chocolate), ketchup, mustard, pickle relish, hot dogs, hot dog buns, and individual bags of chips.



For more information and details scan the code or go to our online calendar @ [hopeonthebeach.com/events](http://hopeonthebeach.com/events)

## LORD'S SUPPER

**BLESSING** (98 Church Campus Only)

P: May the Lord bless you and keep you, the Lord make His face shine on you and be gracious to you. May He look upon you with favor and give you peace.

A: AMEN

**WORSHIP SONG**

*“The Blessing”*

The Lord bless you and keep you  
Make His face shine upon you and be gracious to you  
The Lord turn His face toward you and give you peace

*Amen Amen Amen*

May His favor be upon you  
And a thousand generations  
And your family and your children  
And their children and their children

May His presence go before you  
And behind you and beside you  
All around you and within you  
He is with you He is with you

In the morning in the evening  
In your coming and your going  
In your weeping and rejoicing  
He is for you He is for you

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