

EAST GLENVILLE COMMUNITY CHURCH

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Pastor Mitch Sermon – Psalm 44 – Honest Prayers

Jesus said the religious leaders of his day put up a false front of piety:
They loved to pray in _____ so as to be seen by the people.
They give long prayer with many words to _____ others.

Mark 7: 6 - He replied, "Isaiah was right when he prophesied about you _____; as it is written: "These people honor me with their _____, but their hearts are far from me."

God would rather you yell at him and express your hurt and anger than to put up a false front and _____ everything is OK.

Psalm 44 – How can we pray when we feel _____ or let down by God?

Ps. 44:1-3 – They remember when God had performed great deeds for their _____.

What are 1-2 of the impressive great deeds from the Old Testament you learned about?

Ps. 44:4-8 – They affirm their trust in God’s leadership and _____.

44:6 For not in my _____ do I trust, nor can my _____ save me.

If you rewrote this verse for modern times – what might you put in the blanks?

Psalm 44:9-16 – Underline the key words that show why they feel God had let them down:

Psalm 44:17-22 - “All this had come upon us, though we had not...”

- Not _____ you Not been _____
- Not _____ back Not _____ from your way

John 16:33 - "I have told you these things, so that in me you may have peace. In this world you will have trouble. But take heart! I have _____ the world."

Ps. 44:23-26 – Pleads to God for three basic things:

Awake! – That God would _____ himself and see their situation.

Rise up! – That God would take action and come to their _____.

Redeem us! – That God would set them _____ from their enemies.

Have you ever felt disappointed by God, and how did you respond to it?

Do you struggle to bring your honest feelings to God in prayer?

Psalm 44

Come to Our Help. To the choirmaster. A Maskil of the Sons of Korah.

O God, we have heard with our ears, our fathers have told us,
what deeds you performed in their days, in the days of old:

2 you with your own hand drove out the nations, but them you planted;
you afflicted the peoples, but them you set free;

3 for not by their own sword did they win the land, nor did their own arm save them,
but your right hand and your arm, and the light of your face, for you delighted in them.

4 You are my King, O God; ordain salvation for Jacob!

5 Through you we push down our foes; through your name we tread down those who rise up against
us.

6 For not in my bow do I trust, nor can my sword save me.

7 But you have saved us from our foes and have put to shame those who hate us.

8 In God we have boasted continually, and we will give thanks to your name forever. *Selah*

9 But you have rejected us and disgraced us and have not gone out with our armies.

10 You have made us turn back from the foe, and those who hate us have gotten spoil.

11 You have made us like sheep for slaughter and have scattered us among the nations.

12 You have sold your people for a trifle, demanding no high price for them.

13 You have made us the taunt of our neighbors, the derision and scorn of those around us.

14 You have made us a byword among the nations, a laughingstock among the peoples.

15 All day long my disgrace is before me, and shame has covered my face

16 at the sound of the taunter and reviler, at the sight of the enemy and the avenger.

17 All this has come upon us, though we have not forgotten you, and we have not been false to your
covenant.

18 Our heart has not turned back, nor have our steps departed from your way;

19 yet you have broken us in the place of jackals and covered us with the shadow of death.

20 If we had forgotten the name of our God or spread out our hands to a foreign god,

21 would not God discover this? For he knows the secrets of the heart.

22 Yet for your sake we are killed all the day long; we are regarded as sheep to be slaughtered.

23 Awake! Why are you sleeping, O Lord? Rouse yourself! Do not reject us forever!

24 Why do you hide your face? Why do you forget our affliction and oppression?

25 For our soul is bowed down to the dust; our belly clings to the ground.

26 Rise up; come to our help! Redeem us for the sake of your steadfast love.

Everlasting God

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Misc 1

(Pre-Chorus)

Our God You reign forever

Our Hope our strong Deliv'rer

Chorus 1

You are the everlasting God

The everlasting God

You do not faint

You won't grow weary

You're the defender of the weak

You comfort those in need

You lift us up on wings like eagles

Verse 1

Strength will rise as we wait upon the Lord

We will wait upon the Lord

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We will wait upon the Lord

Ancient of Days

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Verse 1

Though the nations rage
Kingdoms rise and fall
There is still one King
Reigning over all
So I will not fear for this truth
remains:
That my God is the Ancient of Days

Chorus

None above Him, none before Him
All of time in His hands
For His throne it shall remain and
ever stand
All the power, all the glory
I will trust in His name
For my God is the Ancient of Days

Verse 2

Though the dread of night
Overwhelms my soul
He is here with me
I am not alone
O His love is sure and He knows my
name
For my God is the Ancient of Days

Chorus

None above Him, none before Him

All of time in His hands
For His throne it shall remain and
ever stand
All the power, all the glory
I will trust in His name
For my God is the Ancient of Days

Verse 3

Though I may not see
What the future brings
I will watch and wait
For the Saviour King
Then my joy complete standing face
to face
In the presence of the Ancient of
Days

Chorus

None above Him, none before Him
All of time in His hands
For His throne it shall remain and
ever stand
All the power, all the glory
I will trust in His name
For my God is the Ancient of Days

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For my God is the Ancient of Days

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Verse 1

In this time of desperation
When all we know is doubt and fear
There is only one foundation
We believe we believe
In this broken generation
When all is dark You help us see
There is only one salvation
We believe we believe

Chorus 1

We believe in God the Father
We believe in Jesus Christ
We believe in the Holy Spirit
And He's given us new life
We believe in the crucifixion
We believe that He conquered death
We believe in the resurrection
And He's coming back again
(We believe)

Verse 2

So let our faith be more than
anthems
Greater than the songs we sing
In our weakness and temptations
We believe we believe

Misc 1

(Bridge)
Let the lost be found and the dead
be raised
In the here and now let love invade
Let the church live loud our God we'll
say
We believe we believe
And the gates of hell will not prevail
For the pow'r of God has torn the
veil
Now we know Your love will never
fail
We believe we believe

Chorus 2

We believe in God the Father
We believe in Jesus Christ
We believe in the Holy Spirit
And He's given us new life
We believe in the crucifixion
We believe that He conquered death
We believe in the resurrection
And He's coming back
He's coming back again
He's coming back again
We believe we believe

I Will Wait For You (Psalm 130)

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Verse 1

Out of the depths I cry to You
In darkest places I will call
Incline Your ear to me anew
And hear my cry for mercy Lord

Verse 2

Were You to count my sinful ways
How could I come before Your throne
Yet full forgiveness meets my gaze
I stand redeemed by grace alone

Chorus 1

I will wait for You I will wait for You
On Your word I will rely
I will wait for You surely wait for You
Till my soul is satisfied

Verse 3

So put Your hope in God alone
Take courage in His power to save
Completely and forever won
By Christ emerging from the grave

Verse 4

His steadfast love has made a way
And God Himself has paid the price
That all who trust in Him today
Find healing in His sacrifice

Chorus 2

I will wait for You I will wait for You
Through the storm and through the night
I will wait for You surely wait for You
For Your love is my delight

Great Is Thy Faithfulness **(Beginning To End)**

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Verse 1

Great is Thy faithfulness
O God my Father
There is no shadow of turning with Thee
Thou changest not Thy compassions they fail not
As Thou hast been Thou forever wilt be

Verse 2

Summer and winter and springtime and harvest
Sun moon and stars in their courses above
Join with all nature in manifold witness
To Thy great faithfulness mercy and love

Chorus 1

Beginning to end my life in Your hands
Great great is Your faithfulness
You never let go this one thing I know
Great great is Your faithfulness

Verse 3

Pardon for sin and a peace that endureth
Thine own dear presence to cheer and to guide
Strength for today and bright hope for tomorrow
Blessings all mine with ten thousand beside

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Oh great great is Your faithfulness

Chorus 2

Great is Thy faithfulness
Great is Thy faithfulness
Morning by morning new mercies I see
All I have needed Thy hand has provided
Great is Thy faithfulness Lord unto me