



**Blest be the tie
that binds
our hearts in
Christian love;
the fellowship of
kindred minds
is like to that
above.**

**Holy
Communion
October 5**



A red poster with a white border, hanging from two black clips. The text is in white, bold, serif font. The main title is 'CONSISTORY MEETING' with decorative horizontal lines and small floral motifs above and below it. The date 'OCTOBER 5' is at the bottom.

**CONSISTORY
MEETING**

OCTOBER 5

A blue poster with a white border, hanging from two black clips. The text is in white, serif font. The main title is 'CHURCH BUSINESS MEETING' with 'CHURCH' and 'MEETING' in smaller letters. The date 'OCTOBER 12' is at the bottom. The background of the entire image shows a blue spiral notebook, a pen, and glasses on a wooden surface.

**CHURCH
BUSINESS
MEETING**

OCTOBER 12



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Yard Sale

October 10 and 11

8:00-1:00

Baptism

October

19



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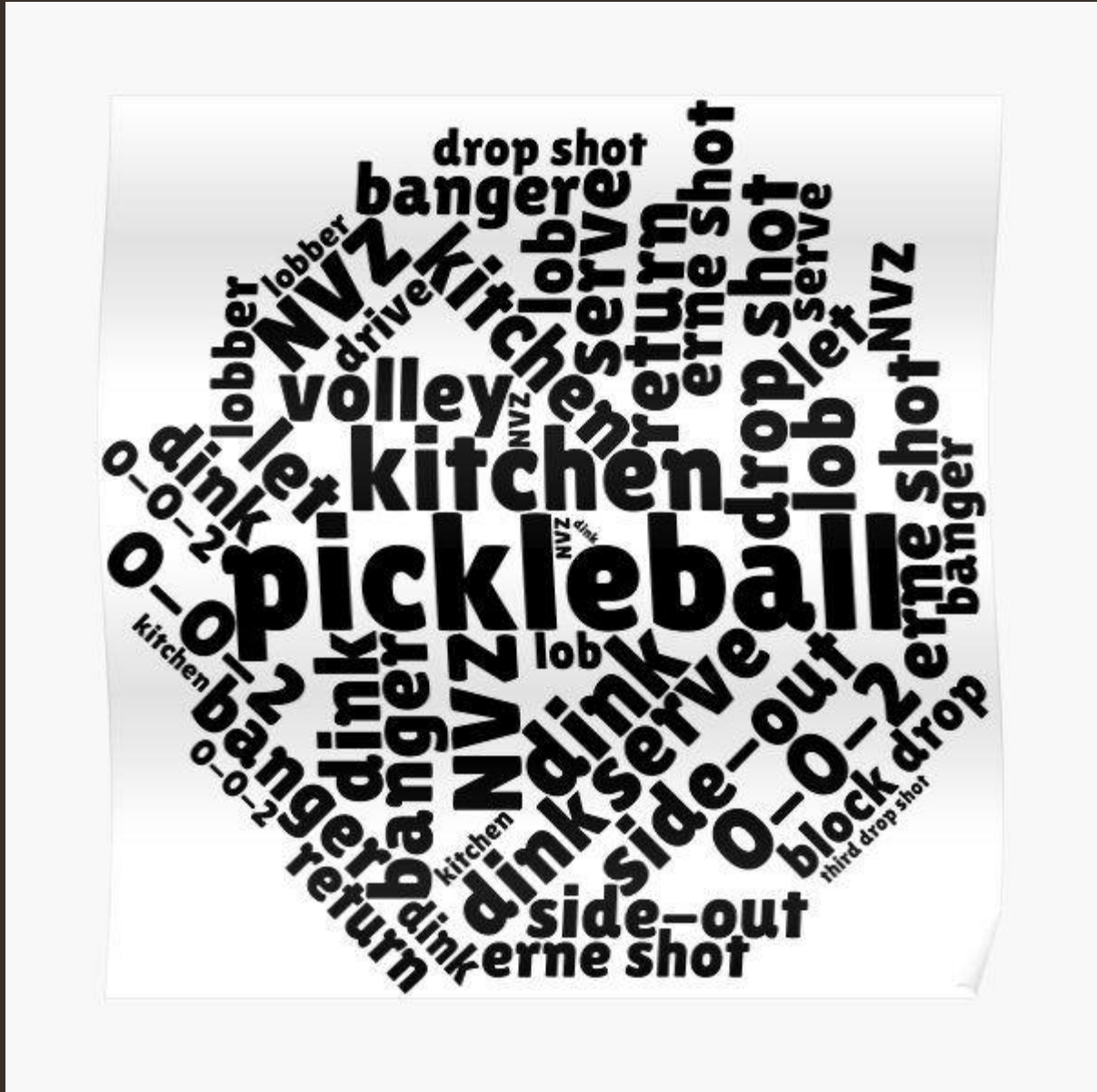
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PINK

OUT





MONDAY
TUESDAY
5:30-7:00
P.M.

September

October

July

August

**COOKING OIL
CEREAL**

**PEANUT BUTTER
SOUP**

**RICE
PASTA**

**SUGAR
FLOUR**



**Blest be the tie
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above.**



Beside the rivers
of Babylon we
thought about
Jerusalem, **and**
we sat down
and cried.



² We hung our
small harps on
the willow trees.

³ **Our enemies
had brought us
here as their
prisoners;**



now they wanted
us to sing **and**
entertain
them. They
insulted us and
shouted, "**Sing**
about Zion!"



Here in a
foreign land,
**how can we
sing about
the Lord?**

As Your family Lord
Meet us here. 3X
O Lord, meet us here.



**At Your table Lord
We are fed. 3X
O Lord, feed us here.**



**Fill our spirits Lord
With Your love. 3X
O Lord, With Your love.**



**Make us faithful Lord
To Your will. 3X
O Lord, To Your will.**



As Your family Lord
Meet us here. 3X
O Lord, meet us here.



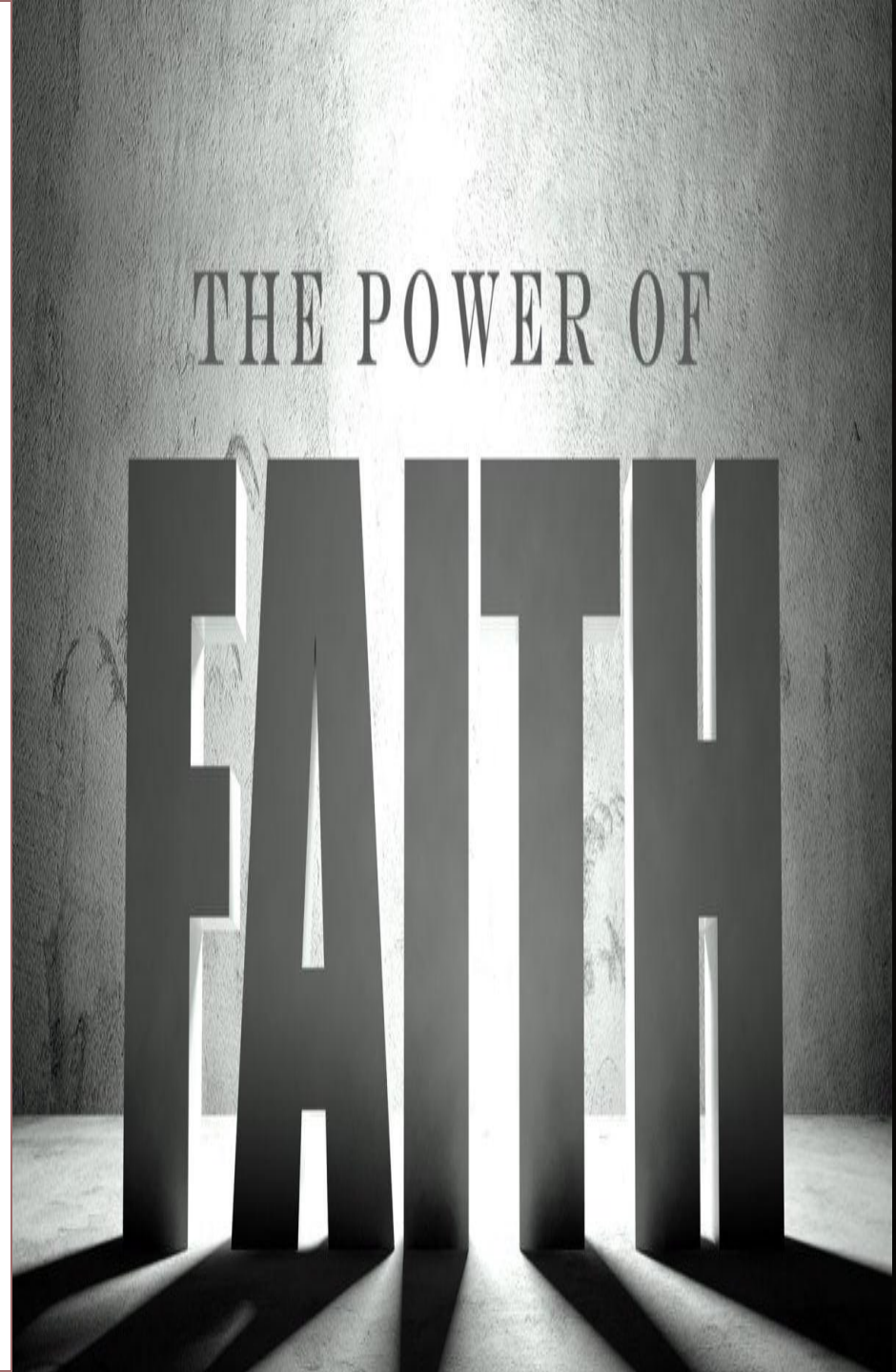
God, we thank You for this place where we can find truth and hope even when we feel like a stranger in a foreign land. And we thank You for the communion table where all are welcome. Give us thankful hearts and minds as we worship You today. Amen.



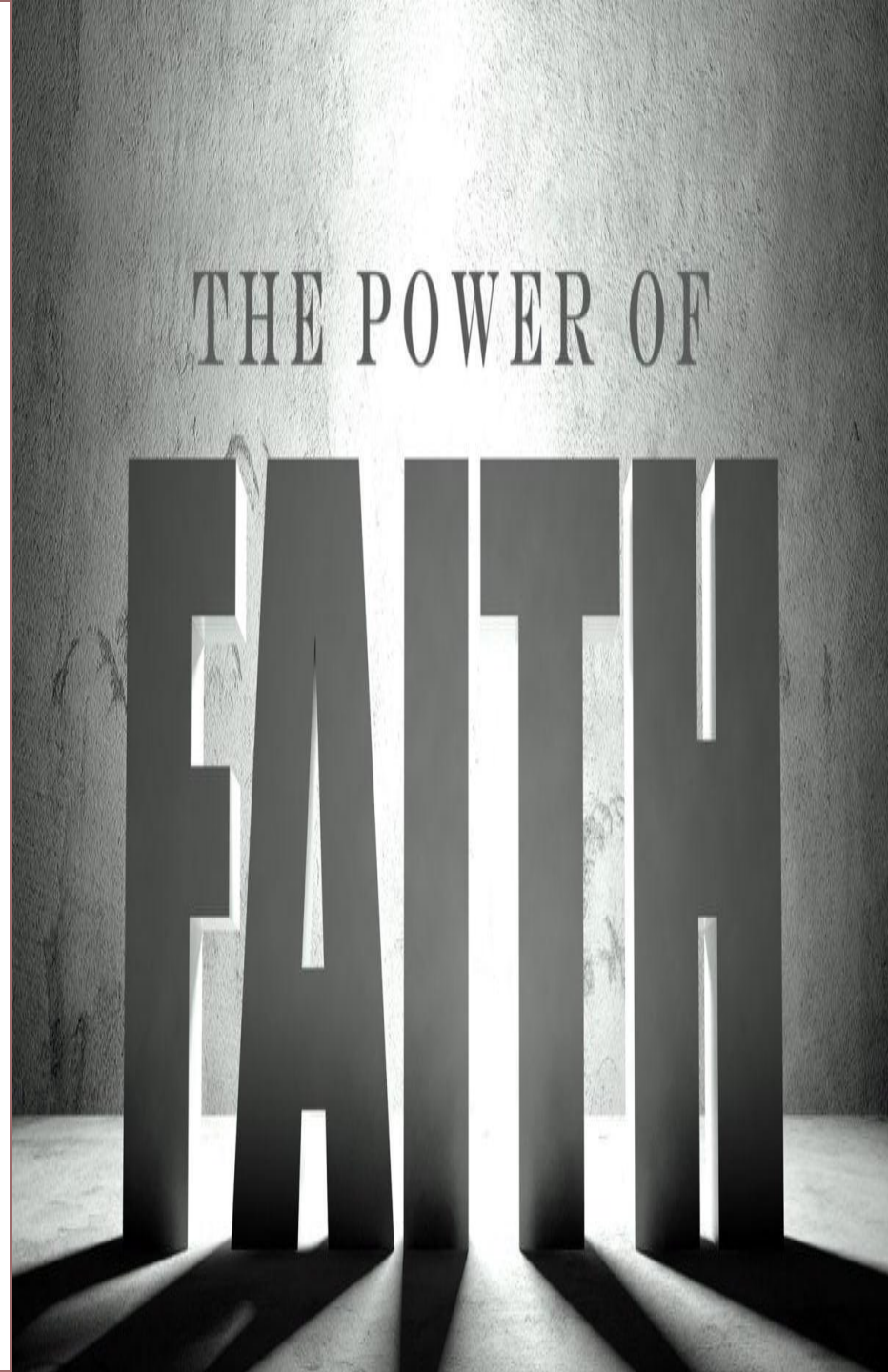
**Glory be to the Father,
and to the Son, and to the
Holy Ghost: as it was in
the beginning, is now,
and will be for ever.
Amen.**



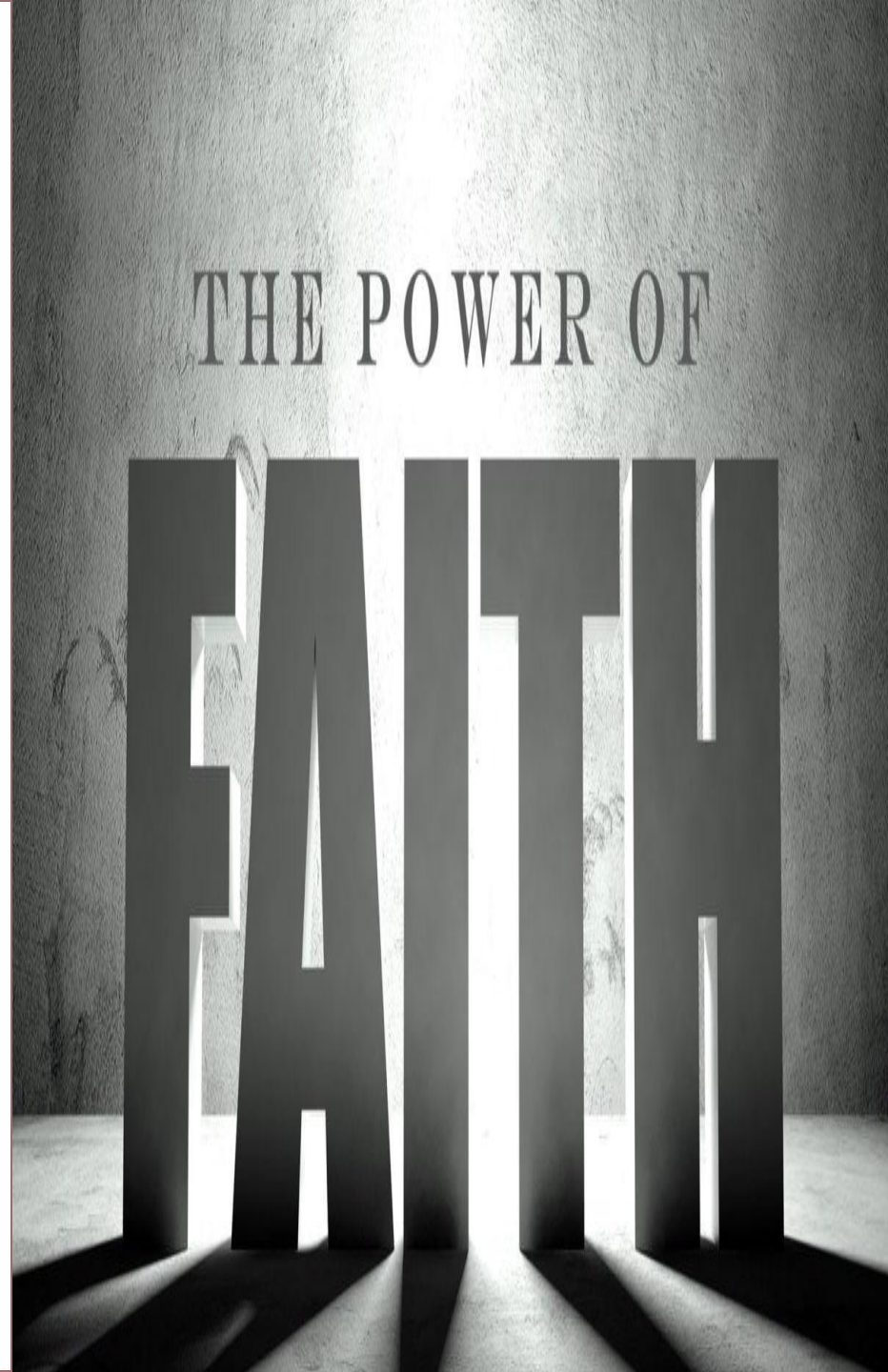
⁵ The apostles said to the Lord, **“Make our faith stronger!”** ⁶ Jesus replied: **If you had faith no bigger than a tiny mustard seed, you could tell this mulberry tree to pull itself up, roots and all, and to plant itself in the ocean. And it would!**



⁷ If your servant comes in from plowing or from taking care of the sheep, would you say, **“Welcome! Come on in and have something to eat”?** ⁸ No, you wouldn't say that. You would say, **“Prepare me something to eat. Get ready to serve me, so I can have my meal. Then later on you can eat and drink.”**

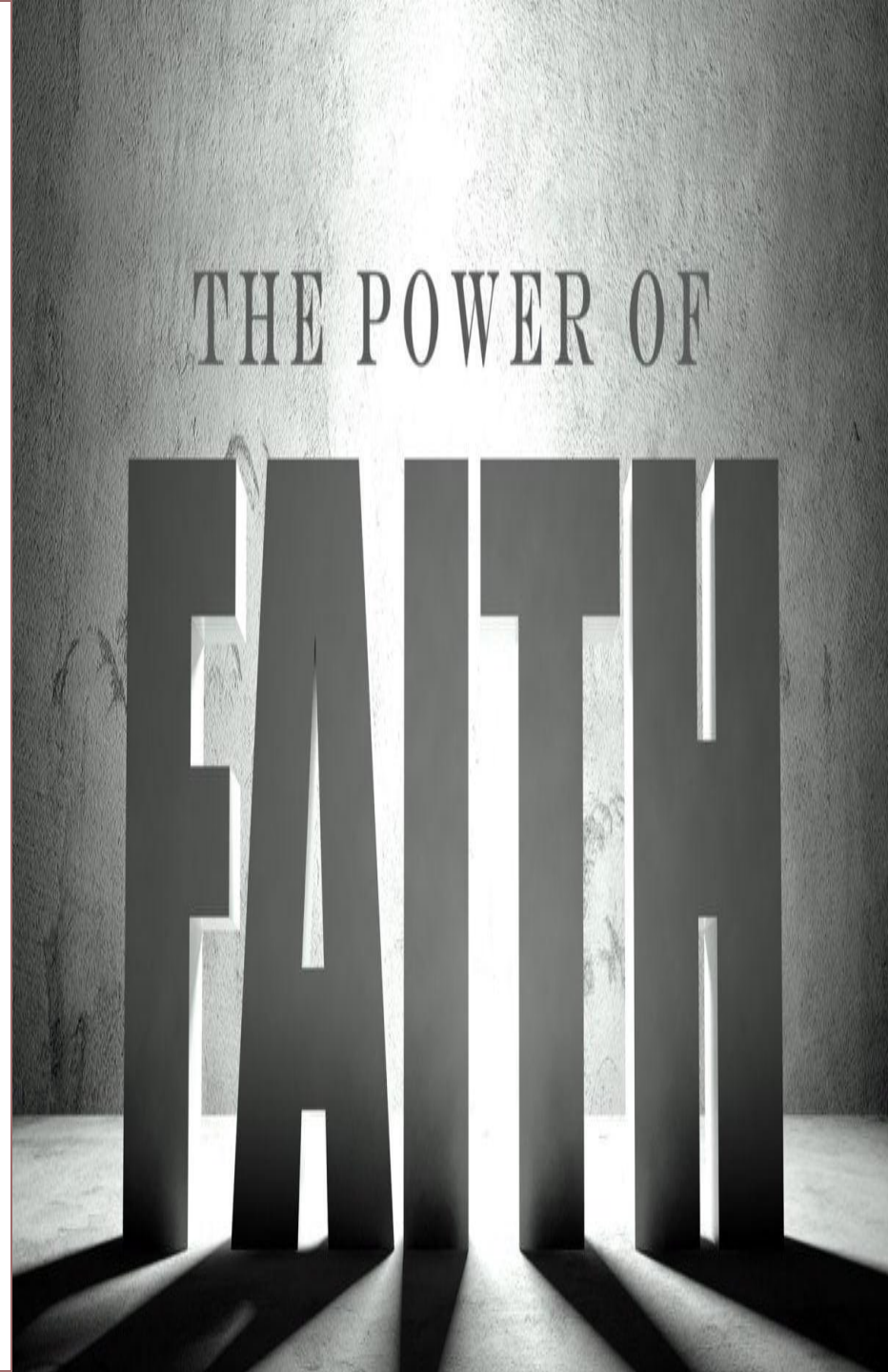


⁹ Servants don't deserve special thanks for doing what they are supposed to do. ¹⁰ **And that's how it should be with you. When you've done all you should, then say, “We are merely servants, and we have simply done our duty.”**



**This is the
Word of God
for the
people of God.**

Thanks be to God!



All are welcome at God's Table!



The background is a complex, abstract composition of overlapping geometric shapes, primarily triangles and quadrilaterals, in a variety of colors including deep purple, blue, green, yellow, and red. These shapes are outlined with thin, dark lines, creating a layered, mosaic-like effect. A prominent white banner with a slightly irregular, hand-drawn edge runs horizontally across the center of the image, serving as a backdrop for the main text.

Children & Youth



**Blest be the tie
that binds
our hearts in
Christian love;
the fellowship of
kindred minds
is like to that
above.**

**Praise God, from Whom
all blessings flow;
Praise Him, all creatures
here below;
Praise Him above,
ye heav'nly host;
Praise Father, Son,
and Holy Ghost.**



**God, as servants, we
return our tithes and
offerings to You. Though
our gift may seem as small
as a mustard seed at
times, we are thankful for
the ways in which we know
You multiply our gifts to
Your service. Amen.**



**BE THOU MY VISION, O LORD
OF MY HEART;
NAUGHT BE ALL ELSE TO ME,
SAVE THAT THOU ART--**

**THOU MY BEST THOUGHT,
BY DAY OR BY NIGHT,
WAKING OR SLEEPING, THY
PRESENCE MY LIGHT.**



**Lord Jesus, our
Rock and
Redeemer,
we turn to You
once again with
our prayers.**

"Ask and it will
be given to you;
seek and you will find;
knock and
the door will
be opened to you."

Matthew 7:7



**You are the One
Who made the
very mountains
that show us
Your grandeur
and strength.**

"Ask and it will
be given to you;
seek and you will find;
knock and
the door will
be opened to you."

Matthew 7:7



**Trusting in the promise
that through faith, we
can move mountains
with our prayers, we
lift before You now
needs of our
community and
country.**

"Ask and it will
be given to you;
seek and you will find;
knock and
the door will
be opened to you."

Matthew 7:7



**We have
mentioned today
people who have
sat down and
cried from pain,
loss and fear.**

"Ask and it will
be given to you;
seek and you will find;
knock and
the door will
be opened to you."

Matthew 7:7



**Bless those in tears
to feel Your healing
hand on their
shoulder. Bless
those who serve
our community to
feel Your protection
and care.**

"Ask and it will
be given to you;
seek and you will find;
knock and
the door will
be opened to you."

Matthew 7:7



**Bless our
country and its
leaders to be a
rock of support
and peace near
and far.**

"Ask and it will
be given to you;
seek and you will find;
knock and
the door will
be opened to you."

Matthew 7:7



**As we prepare
our hearts for
communion,
we pray You
will forgive us
our sins.**

"Ask and it will
be given to you;
seek and you will find;
knock and
the door will
be opened to you."

Matthew 7:7



Teach us what it
means, O Lord, to
choose Your paths,
love people the way
that You love them, **and**
speak Your grace into
every conversation.

"Ask and it will
be given to you;
seek and you will find;
knock and
the door will
be opened to you."

Matthew 7:7



**Thank You, God,
for calling us to
be Your servants.
Thank You,
God, for calling
us friends.**

"Ask and it will
be given to you;
seek and you will find;
knock and
the door will
be opened to you."

Matthew 7:7



Lead us, God, to be
difference makers
for Your kingdom in
the week to come.

**We pray in the
Name of our
Comforter and
Friend saying . . .**

"Ask and it will
be given to you;
seek and you will find;
knock and
the door will
be opened to you."

Matthew 7:7



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 debts
as we forgive our debtors
AND LEAD US NOT
INTO TEMPTATION
BUT DELIVER US FROM EVIL
for Thine is the Kingdom
and the Power and the Glory
forever
A M E N



Apostle's Creed

**I believe in God,
the Father almighty,
Creator of heaven and earth,
and in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord,
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,
born of the Virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died and was buried;**

Apostle's Creed

**he descended into hell;
on the third day he rose again from the dead;
he ascended into heaven,
and is seated at the right hand of God the Father
almighty;
from there he will come to judge the living and the
dead.**

Apostle's Creed

**I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy catholic Church,
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and life everlasting.
Amen.**

**As God's
forgiven
children,
let us
pass the
peace of
the Lord!**

If it is possible,
as far as it depends on you,
live at peace with everyone.

Romans 12:18



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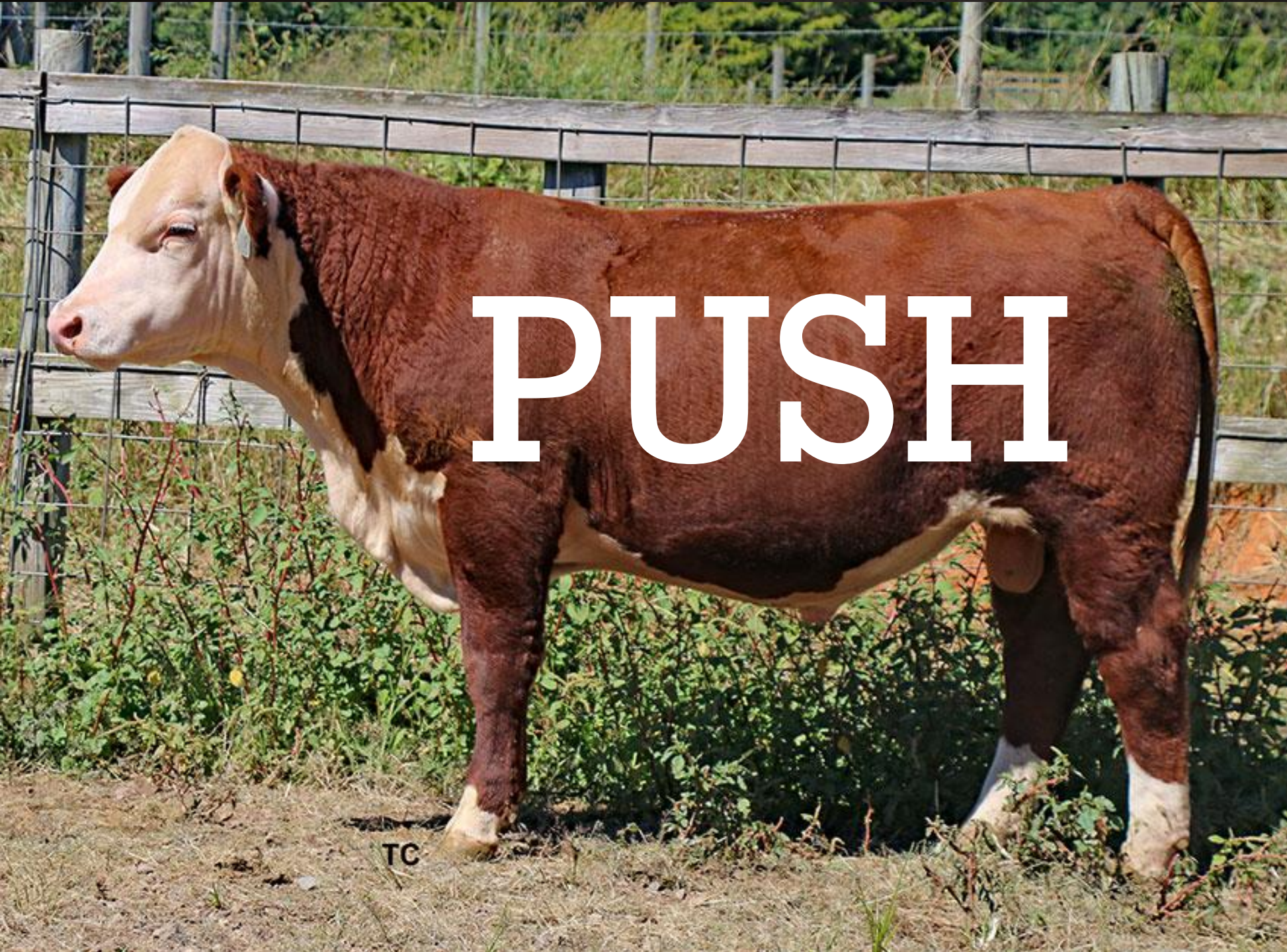
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The Paradox of the Unstoppable Force & the Immovable Object



The Paradox of the Unstoppable Force & the Immovable Object



When you've done all you should, then
say, **“We are merely servants, and
we have simply done our duty.”**

Jesus said to his disciples:

**There will always be
something that causes
people to sin.**

But anyone who causes
them to sin

is in for trouble.

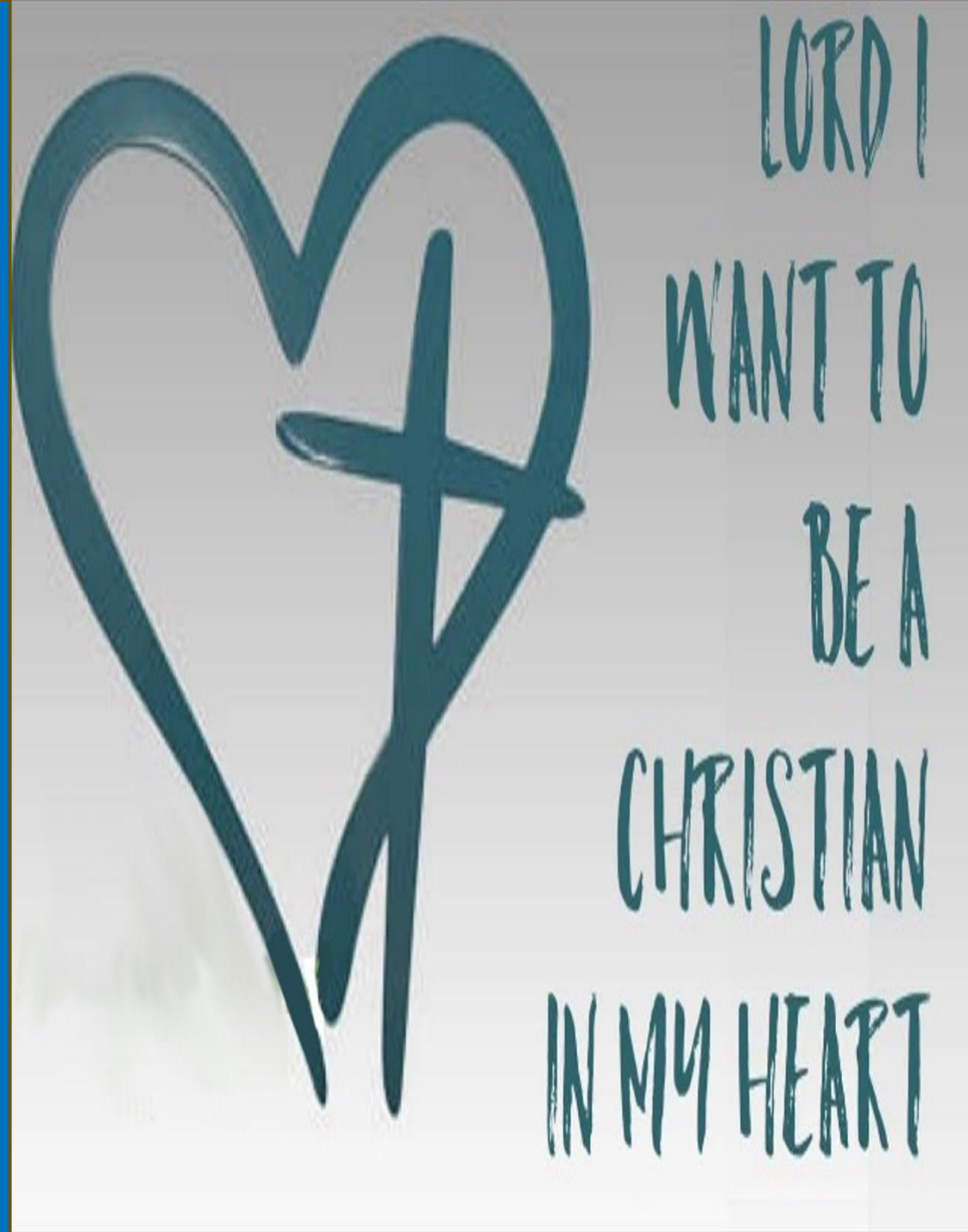
Luke 17: 1-4



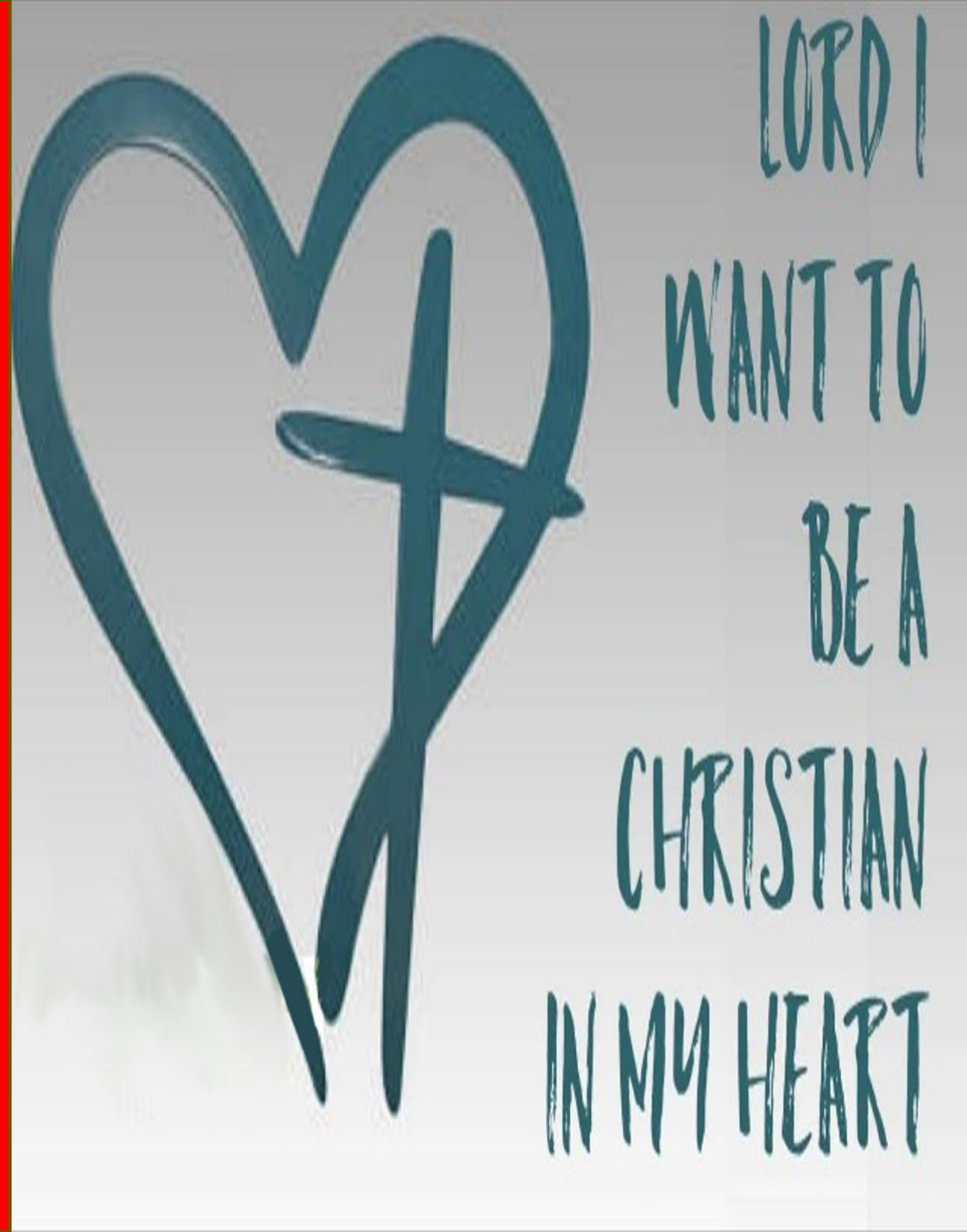
3-4 **“Be alert. If you see your friend going wrong, correct him. If he responds, forgive him. Even if it’s personal against you and repeated seven times through the day, and seven times he says, ‘I’m sorry, I won’t do it again,’ forgive him.”**



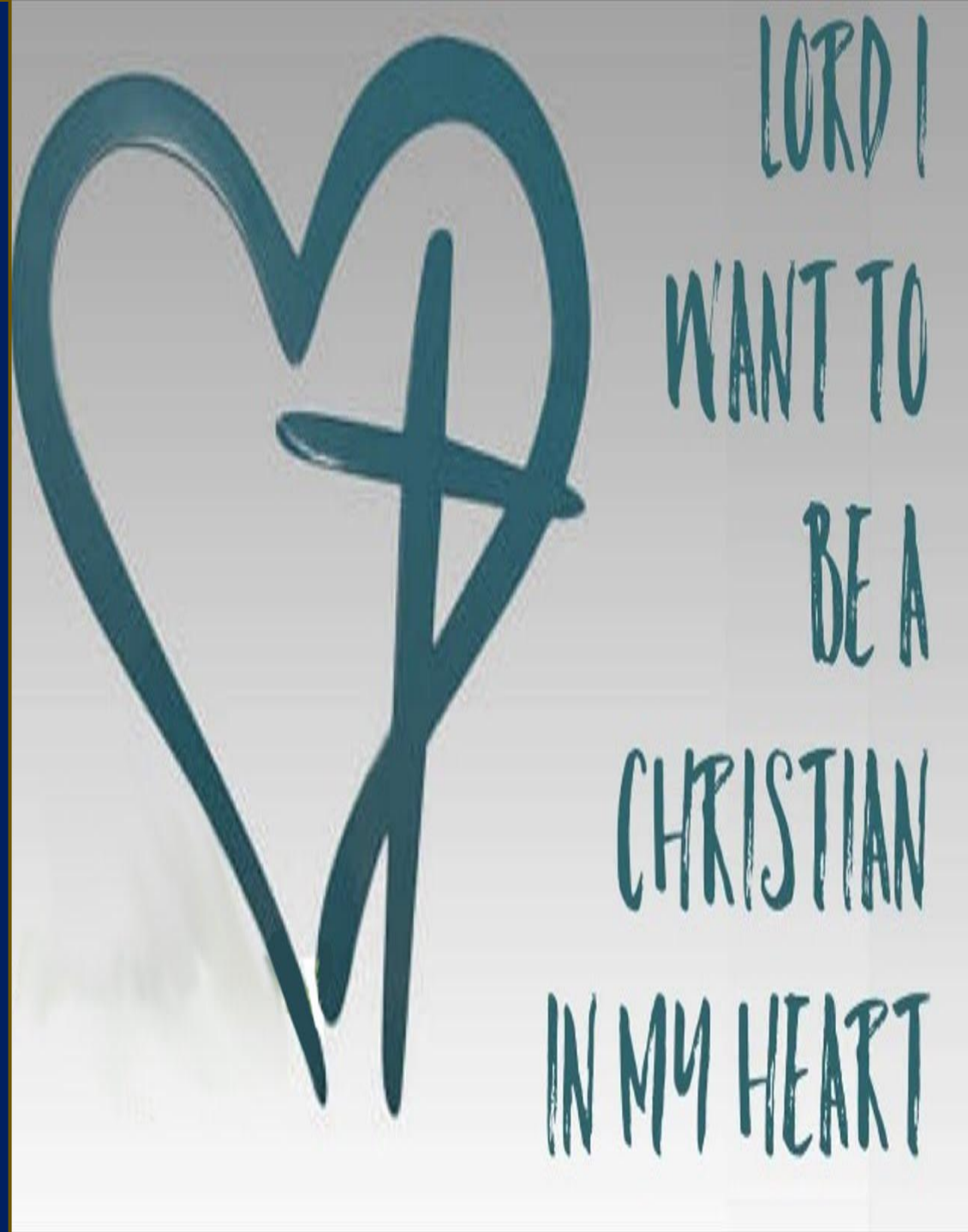
**Lord, I want to be a
Christian
in my heart, in my heart.
Lord, I want to be a
Christian in my heart.
In my heart, in my heart,
Lord, I want to be a
Christian in my heart.**



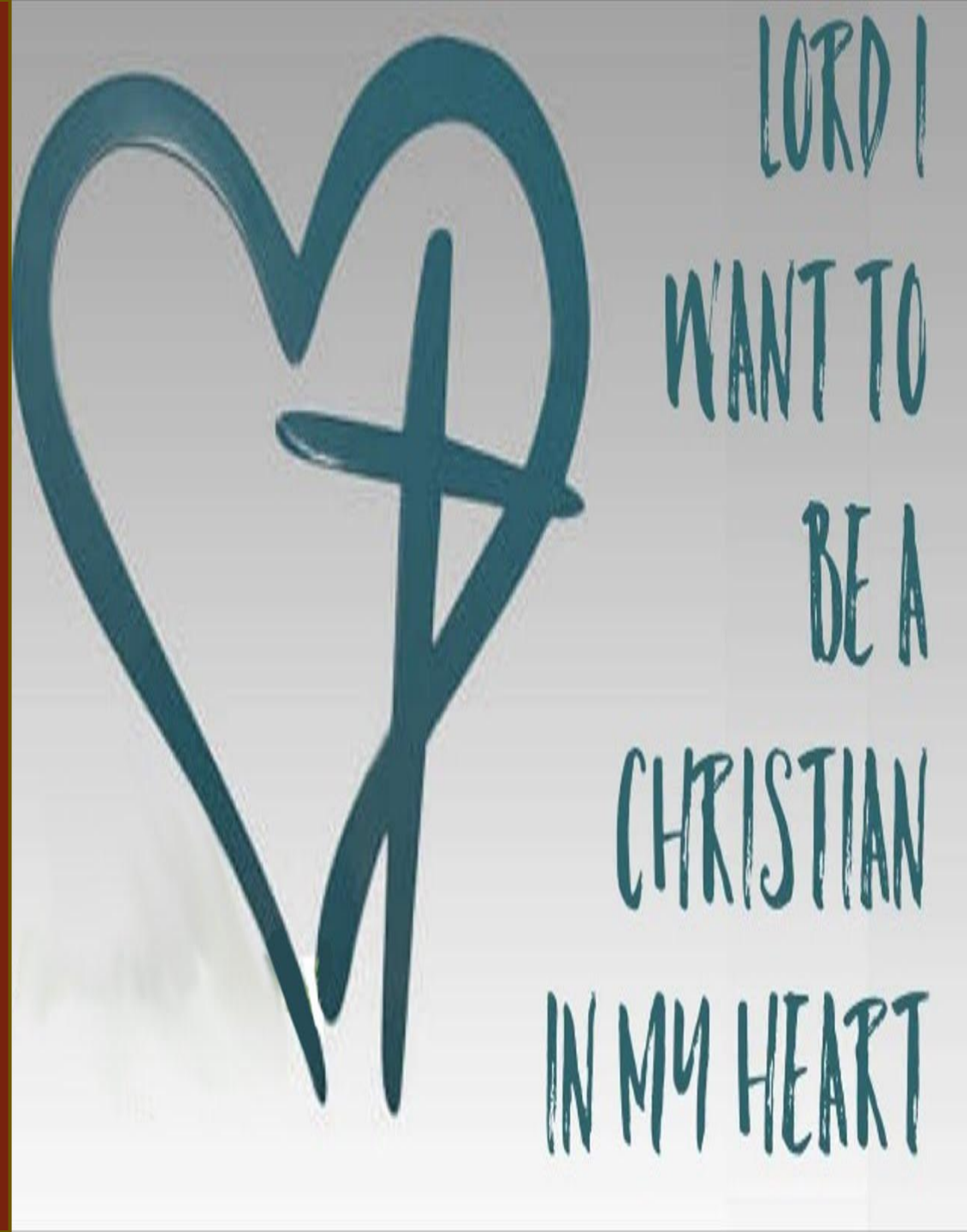
**Lord, I want to be
more loving
in my heart, in my heart.
Lord, I want to be more
loving in my heart.
In my heart, in my heart,
Lord, I want to be more
loving in my heart.**



**Lord, I want to be
more holy
in my heart, in my heart.
Lord, I want to be more
holy in my heart.
In my heart, in my heart,
Lord, I want to be more
holy in my heart.**



**Lord, I want to be
like Jesus
in my heart, in my heart.
Lord, I want to be like
Jesus in my heart.
In my heart, in my heart,
Lord, I want to be like
Jesus in my heart.**



The United Church of Christ Book of Worship reminds us that “the invitation and the call [to the supper] celebrate not only the memory of a meal that is past, but an actual meal with the risen Christ that is a foretaste of the heavenly banquet at which Christ will preside at the end of history.”



*No matter who you are
No matter where you are
on life's journey
You are welcome here!*





The Lord be with
you.

And also with you.

Lift up your hearts.

**We lift them to
you, Lord.**

Let us give thanks to
the Lord our God.

**It is right to praise
you, Lord.**



It is right, and a good
and joyful thing,
Always and
everywhere to give
thanks to you,
Holy Triune God, Father,
Son and Holy Spirit.
From the rising of the
sun to its setting
your name is praised
among all peoples.



Therefore we praise
you,
**joining our voices
with your people
on earth**
and all the company
of heaven
**who for ever sing
this hymn to the
glory of your name:**



Holy, holy, holy, Lord,
God of power and
might

**Heaven and earth
are full of your
glory.**

Hosanna in the
highest!

**Hosanna in the
highest!**



Blessed is the One
who comes

**In the name of
the Lord.**

Hosanna in the
highest!

**Hosanna in the
highest!**



You are holy, Almighty
One!

**Blessed are you,
Jesus Christ!**

In the power of the
Spirit

**you created all things,
blessed them,
and called them good.**



You called to
yourself a
people

**To make your
mercy and
truth known in
all the world.**



We betrayed your
calling;

**You were
faithful.**

We wandered
from the way;

**You called us to
return, and led
us home.**



On the night of your betrayal, Lord Jesus, you took bread, blessed it, broke it, gave it to your disciples and said,

"This is my body which is given for you. Do this in remembrance of me."



You did the same with the cup after the supper, saying, **"This cup that is poured out is the new covenant in my blood."**



Christ has come
among us.
Christ has died.
Christ has risen.
**Christ will come
again.**



Pour out your Spirit on us
Pour out your Spirit on us
Pour out your Spirit on these
gifts

**Pour out your Spirit on
these gifts**

Make these gifts the body and
blood of Christ

**Make us, through them,
Christ's body alive in the
world.**

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**Blest be the tie
that binds
our hearts in
Christian love;
the fellowship of
kindred minds
is like to that
above.**

COME,
FOLLOW ME



We are created
in God's image.
**God made us beautiful
from the start.**

We are the apple
of God's eye.
**Let us walk forward as the
children of God. Amen.**

COME,
FOLLOW ME



**BE THOU MY WISDOM, AND
THOU MY TRUE WORD,
I EVER WITH THEE AND
THOU WITH ME, LORD;**

**THOU AND THOU ONLY,
FIRST IN MY HEART,
HIGH KING OF HEAVEN, MY
TREASURE THOU ART.**

