

JOIN US FOR...

LEARNING TO LOSE

A NEW SERMON SERIES BASED ON LUKE 9:21-27

TODAY'S WORSHIP

January 10, 2021, 10am

"For those who want to save their life will lose it, and those who lose their life for my sake will save it. What does it profit them if they gain the whole world, but lose or forfeit themselves?" Luke 9:24-25

King of Glory

Welcome & Announcements

Offering

Children's Message: "Jesus And The Bullies"

How Far Love Goes

Congregational Prayer

Special Music: *I Shall Not Want*, Kristin Wilson

Sermon — "Learning to Lose" (Part 1) — Pastor Paul Stephen Olson

Communion & Benevolence Offering

When I Survey (The Wonderful Cross)

Benediction

Postlude

EVENTS THIS WEEK

TODAY: 7:15-9:45am Hope Avenue (in front of the church)

10 am Sunday Worship Service (in person and on Facebook)
<https://www.facebook.com/ElimChurchMpls/live>

4 pm Sunday Discipleship Class: This is a study on the book of James.
You can join the class by calling this number: 605.313.5815.

M-Sat: 12 noon Daily Online Prayer Meeting
URL: <https://meet.google.com/ast-cxmh-ykk>
Phone: +1 401-684-3085 PIN: 724 649 481#

Mon: 10 am Ladies' Monday Bible Study is on the Bible using *The Story* by Randy Frazee.
(You can join the class by using the link and/or phone number above.)

Wed: 5:30 pm Wednesday Wave with Mrs S (online)
<https://meet.google.com/qgh-rjyr-zae>

6-7 pm *Re-Covering in God* Bible Study. Contact Sue Watlov Phillips
(suewatlovp@aol.com) for more information.

6:30-8 pm Youth Group (Online)

Fri: 8:00 am Men's Bible Study meets on Zoom. Email Stephen Murck (smurck@gmail.com)
for connection information.

January 19th, the 3rd Tuesday of the Month, 7-8 pm Freedom in Christ recovery event

UPCOMING EVENTS and NEWS

Children's Ministry: Families who sign up at Deb@elimchurch.com will receive a discussion guide that goes with the Children's Message on Sunday. *Join Ms. S. for Wednesday Wave at 5:30 online.* Sign on to the google meet to connect. <https://meet.google.com/qgh-rjyr-zae>

Daily Prayer and Scripture: Reminders for daily prayer will be sent out using the prayer email list prayerweb@elimchurch.com. If you would like to receive these reminders, please send an email to join to info@elimchurch.com

FREEDOM IN CHRIST -- Tuesday night, January 19, 7-8pm (Third Tuesday of the month)

Are you struggling with sin? No? The words in 1 John 1:10 state, "If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves and the truth is not in us." Sin comes in many forms: idolatry (placing anything before God whether it's work, relationships, family, drugs, alcohol, sex, food, etc.), anger, unforgiveness, gossip, complaining, dishonesty, seeing the speck in your brother's eye while missing the log in your own. Sin is our universal problem and at Freedom in Christ we're living in the Solution! At Freedom in Christ we learn through the 12 Steps of AA to be "Doers of the Word" (James 1:22).

This recovery event is led by Jay Cope, a recovery coach and intervention specialist. Please contact Pastor Becky for more information. See the events for this week for how to connect on Zoom.

We pray for wisdom, discernment, unity and healing for our government officials. In this uncertain time, we look to you Lord with faith and trust.

SERMON NOTES

“Learning to Lose” (Part 1)

Pastor Paul Stephen Olson

Sermon Text (NIV): Luke 9:21-27,

- 21 *Jesus strictly warned them not to tell this to anyone.*
- 22 *And he said, “The Son of Man must suffer many things and be rejected by the elders, chief priests and teachers of the law, and he must be killed and on the third day be raised to life.”*
- 23 *Then he said to them all: “If anyone would come after me, he must deny himself and take up his cross daily and follow me.*
- 24 *For whoever wants to save his life will lose it, but whoever loses his life for me will save it.*
- 25 *What good is it for a man to gain the whole world, and yet lose or forfeit his very self?*
- 26 *If anyone is ashamed of me and my words, the Son of Man will be ashamed of him when he comes in his glory and in the glory of the Father and of the holy angels.*
- 27 *I tell you the truth, some who are standing here will not taste death before they see the kingdom of God.”*

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