

Sunday Gathering Liturgy

Luke Upside Down, Jesus is
Lord

September 11, 2022

Luke: Upside Down

**Length
in mins**

**Audio/
Visual Band Person Vocals**

0:00 Call to Worship - Psalm 145:10-14

Good morning! Welcome to Antioch!

Each and every Sunday, we have the great privilege of gathering together and celebrating the work that God is accomplishing. Both around us and through us.

In each and every moment, God calls His people to see His kingdom at hand and rejoice that He is FOR us. Despite what the world tells us, despite what our flesh tells us, He IS for us. And He is using our mundane moments, our sorrowful moments, and our glorious moments to experience His unending power and faithful love.

Hear these words from Psalm 145 and say the underlined portion with me:

All your works shall give thanks to you, O Lord,
and all your saints shall bless you!

11 They shall speak of the glory of your kingdom
and tell of your power,

12 to make known to the children of man your mighty deeds,
and the glorious splendor of your kingdom.

13 Your kingdom is an everlasting kingdom,
and your dominion endures throughout all generations.

0:00 *His Mercy Is More* [Default Arrangement in E]

0:00 Song

0:00 Confession - Matthew 5:2-10

One humbling aspect of gathering together as a family is the reminder that we don't come together to put on a show. We arrive, stand and sing next to our brothers and sisters. We may be in a season of joyfully shouting His praise or we may be in a season of doubt, worshipping with a broken spirit. Sometimes it's hard to see that the Kingdom of God is around us (and in us) - because we bring so much bitterness, hurt, or brokenness to the table. We doubt that Jesus is all powerful, or that He will use His power to bring faith, healing, justice or restoration to our souls and the world around us.

Friends, Jesus has words for you and for me! In the middle of whatever is before you this morning. Hear this encouragement from Matthew 5:

2 And he opened his mouth and taught them, saying:

3 "Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.

4 "Blessed are those who mourn, for they shall be comforted.

5 "Blessed are the meek, for they shall inherit the earth.

6 "Blessed are those who hunger and thirst for righteousness, for they shall be satisfied.

7 "Blessed are the merciful, for they shall receive mercy.

8 "Blessed are the pure in heart, for they shall see God.

9 "Blessed are the peacemakers, for they shall be called sons of God.

10 "Blessed are those who are persecuted for righteousness' sake, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.

Now, let's join together with these words:

When we forego your Kingdom and look to the things of this world

Lord, forgive us

When we seek our own power, and not yours

Lord, forgive us

When we take vengeance for ourselves instead of trusting in your eternal justice

Lord, forgive us

0:00 *Holy Holy Holy* [Reawaken Hymns Arrangement in C]

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=-FpQuGRINg8>

0:00 Sermon - Luke 13:10-21

0:00 Communion - 1 Corinthians 11:23-28

0:00 *You Alone Can Rescue* [Winona G in B]

0:00 *All The Poor And Powerless* [Default Arrangement in A]

6:52 *Cornerstone* [Hillsong Worship in A]

0:00 Benediction

You may be seated. Thank you for joining us in today's gathering! We hope that you have experienced the welcome of Jesus.

Family Groups - We invite you to visit one of our Family Groups, which meet in homes throughout the week in order for us to grow in the context of deep relationships. If you would like to join one of them, there is info in the hallway, or talk with one of us and we'll make a direct connection for you.

Giving & Visitors - Also now is our time for giving—ushers please come forward. If you are a visitor with us this morning please grab a visitor card from the basket so we can get to know you more. You can give it to someone with a lanyard or leave it in your seat; the pen is yours to keep.

Antioch members, remember that giving is part of how we participate in God's mission. If you prefer to give digitally, visit our website or find us on GivApp.

Announcements

For everyone, here are a few ways to take the following steps:

1) Child Dedication- Next Sunday, Sept 18 - We will have a child dedication during the gathering. If you have attended a class in the past, you are welcome to participate in the dedication. Please let Tammy know this week.

2) Membership Class - Our next membership class will be next Sunday, September 18th at 9AM. If you are interested in learning more about how to become a member of Antioch please sign up on the side table.

3) Antioch Ladies, Save the Date! On October 7 & 8th we will gather together for a Fall Women's Weekend. Friday night from 7-9 we will have a bonfire and a smore's bar! Coffee, hot chocolate, and Apple Cider. The following morning we will gather together at Antioch from 9am-12. We have the pleasure of hearing Diane Schreiner share about her experience in ministering to women of every generation. Afterwards we will gather in groups to discuss questions and pray together. We hope to see you there!

Please RSVP to Crystal Kiefer through text or sign up on the sheet by the door. If you're interested in volunteering for this event, help is absolutely welcome! Just let Crystal or Katie know. Can't wait to share time together!

4) Food Pantry - This coming Saturday is food pantry week! Volunteers be there by 9:30 AM. Bill will be out of town so please forward all questions about pantry this week to _____. Please be in prayer for the many seeds that have been planted over these past months that they will continue to get watered and eventually be sown in Christ. That is our mission in all that we do - Intentional gospel relationships!

We begin each gathering with a call to worship and we end with a benediction, which is simply a reminder that we are blessed to be a blessing.

Church - Jesus. Is. Lord! He has conquered this worldly kingdom by bringing the Kingdom of God. Therefore, go, knowing that he has chosen us- His church to continue bringing that Kingdom to a world that so desperately needs a King.

The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ and the love of God the Father and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

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WE ARE SENT

6:52

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Audio

Dan Gilliss 

Jason Cox 

Band

Cello

Tim Donaldson

Keys

Noel Reynolds 

Vocals

Rebekah & Josh Flint

Worship Leader

Aaron Kiefer