

You are the salt of the earth, but if salt has lost its taste, how shall its saltiness be restored? It is no longer good for anything except to be thrown out and trampled under people's feet.

Matthew 5:13



Volunteer Highlight: Kurt

After avoiding God's nudge to serve in Mariners Kids, Kurt finally agreed to teach for one week. He offered to teach whatever class had the greatest need and was told he'd be working with the 3-year-olds. At first he wondered, "What have I gotten myself into?" But now he's been teaching 3-year-olds for 30 years. "It's the most amazing, wonderful, fantastic thing I've ever done," said Kurt. "It's changed me in so many ways it's hard to recount. I'm a better person. I'm different, more loving, more caring. The little kids just change you. God does stuff."

Want to use your gifts to serve those in our community?
Go to marinerschurch.org and search **serve**

PRAYER

If you're in need of prayer, our prayer team is available at the **front of the Worship Center** after every service. To submit a prayer request online, email prayer@marinerschurch.org

WELCOME TO MARINERS CHURCH

WE'RE SO GLAD YOU'RE HERE!

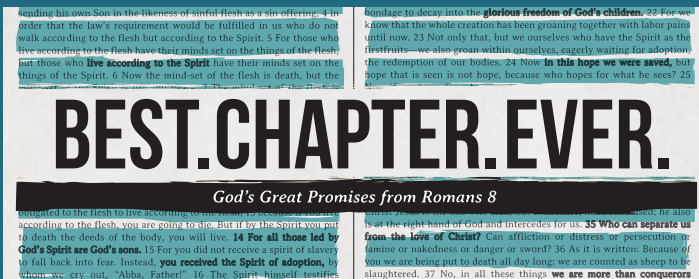


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We're so glad you're here! Our mission is to inspire people to follow Jesus and fearlessly change the world. If this is your first time here, we'd love to meet you! Here are your next steps:

- Visit the **Welcome Center** on the patio to find ways to get connected and opportunities to serve.
- Text **CONNECT** to 949.267.3131
- Attend our **New to Mariners** class to meet our pastors, learn who we are and how to get involved.

MESSAGE SERIES MAR 9 & 10



Romans 8 is packed with good news. *Best. Chapter. Ever.* is a verse by verse walk-through of this promise-packed chapter designed to help you discover more about the purpose, belonging, freedom and abundant life God has for you.



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GENEROSITY
SIMPLE & SECURE

We give because God first gave to us. We invite you to experience a life of generosity by **GIVING ONLINE** at **marinerschurch.org/give** or through the offering boxes located at the back of the Worship Center.

There's something for **everyone** at Mariners.

Visit **marinerschurch.org** for info on all our events

OUT OF THE ASHES

JOB 1-3

Tragedy by Definition

“An event causing great suffering, destruction, and distress, such as a serious accident, crime, or natural catastrophe.”

Lessons from the book of Job

- The book addresses the issue of how should the _____.
- The book gives wisdom as to how to _____ to God when everything is going _____.
- The book defends the absolute _____ and _____ of God

Job's Prosperity

Job 1:1-5

There was a man in the country of Uz named Job...Job was the greatest man among all the people of the east. Job 1:1-3

Job's Adversity

Job 1:6-2:13

Haven't you placed a hedge around him, his household, and everything he owns? You have blessed the work of his hands, and his possessions have increased in the land. ¹¹ But stretch out your hand and strike everything he owns, and he will surely curse you to your face.” Job 1:10-11

Job's Distress

Job 3

Why was I not stillborn; why didn't I die as I came from the womb? Job 3:11

Life Lessons

- Tragedies so often times are _____, but what is under our control is how we _____ to the tragedy.
- In times of _____ or severe _____ a person's character is cracked open and _____ to the world.
- As much as we want to believe it is not true, _____ falls on the unrighteous and the _____.
- Out of tragedy we experience grief which is the hardest experience in life to _____, in both the _____ and the _____.
- God has a consistent habit of both _____ and the _____ of those who go through tragedies...bringing life out of the ashes!