

JUNE 26, 2021
“RESCUED FROM DOUBT”

Scripture Focus:
Matthew 14:22-33



CHRISTIAN DEVELOPMENT
Saturday at 6:00 pm

PREPARING FOR HIS RETURN



PASSIONATELY LEADING OTHERS TO CHRIST
SHIFTING INTO GEAR TO BE **USED BY GOD**



“If you keep yourself pure,
you will be a special utensil
for honorable use.
Your life will be clean,
and you will be ready
for the Master to use you
for every good work.”

2 TIMOTHY 2:21 NLT

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First Pentecostal Family Worship Center



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Experiencing the Fulfillment of **GOD'S PROMISE**

“But ye shall receive **POWER**, after that
the **HOLY GHOST** is come upon you:
and ye shall be witnesses unto me
both in Jerusalem, and in
all Judaea, and in Samaria, and
unto the uttermost part of the earth.”

Acts 1:8 KJV





DEFINITION: Doubt

Doubt is a feeling of uncertainty or lack of conviction.

DEFINITION: Solitude

- ▶ The **quality or state of being alone or remote from society: seclusion.**
- ▶ A lonely place (such as a desert); **aloneness**; state of being alone or solitary, by oneself

Solitude allows a person to **confront and meditate on his or her innermost feelings and thoughts.** In the process, it also breeds self-awareness and the ability to **hear God through Prayer and Meditation of God's word.**



DEFINITION: Isolation

Isolation is (chiefly uncountable) the state of being isolated, detached, or separated.

STORMS
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DOUBT

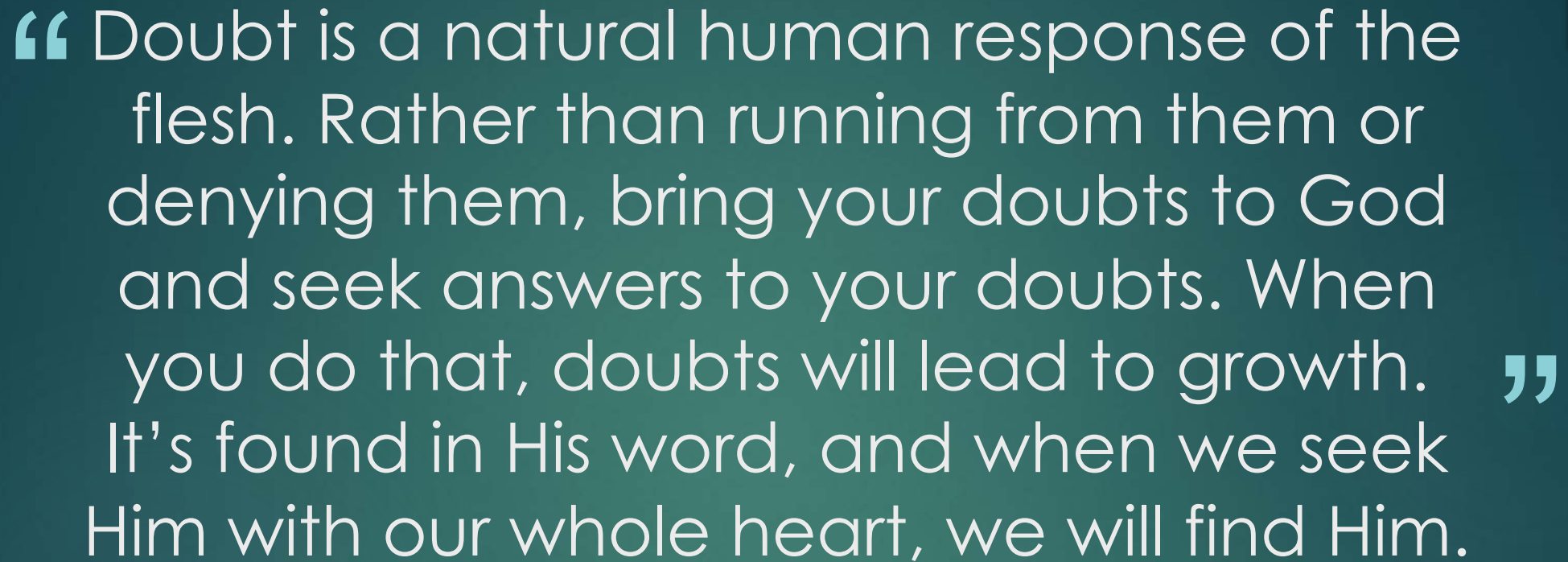
Jesus will allow us to go through storms.

Jesus is praying for you.

Never allow your storm to cause you to doubt God's Goodness or lose Faith in God's Power.

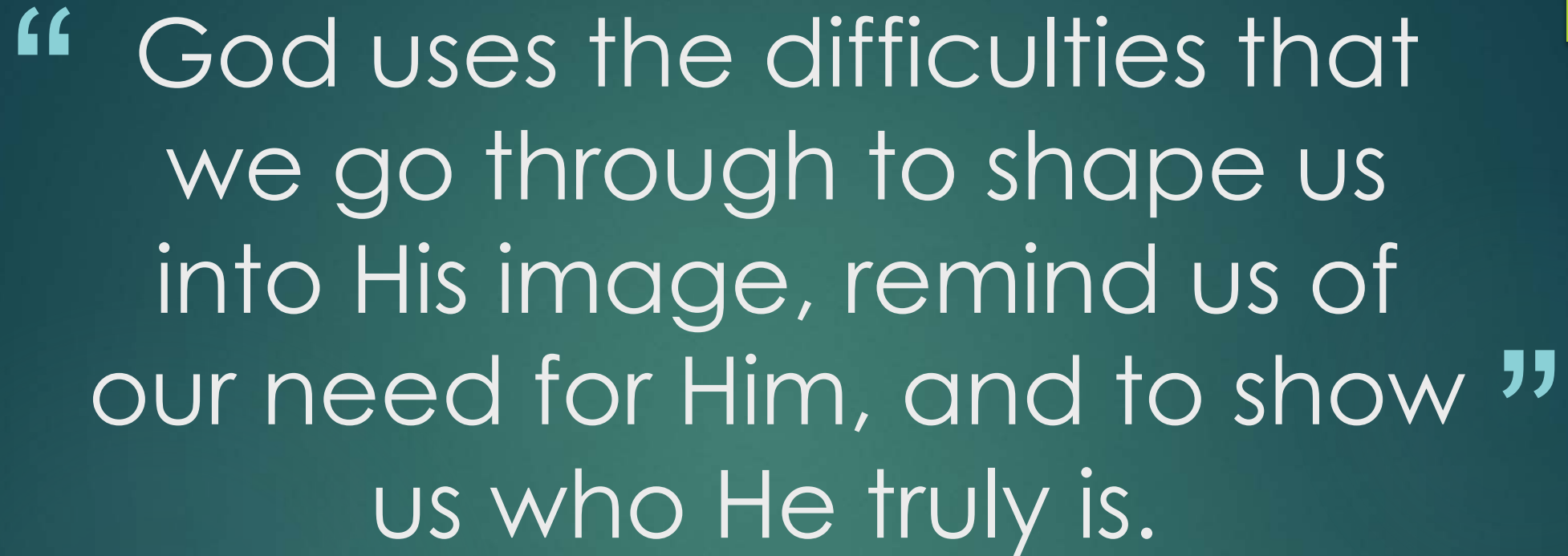
There is never a moment when the presence of God is far from us.

Our focus has to stay on Jesus; allow His words to comfort us and open other's eyes to the power of God.



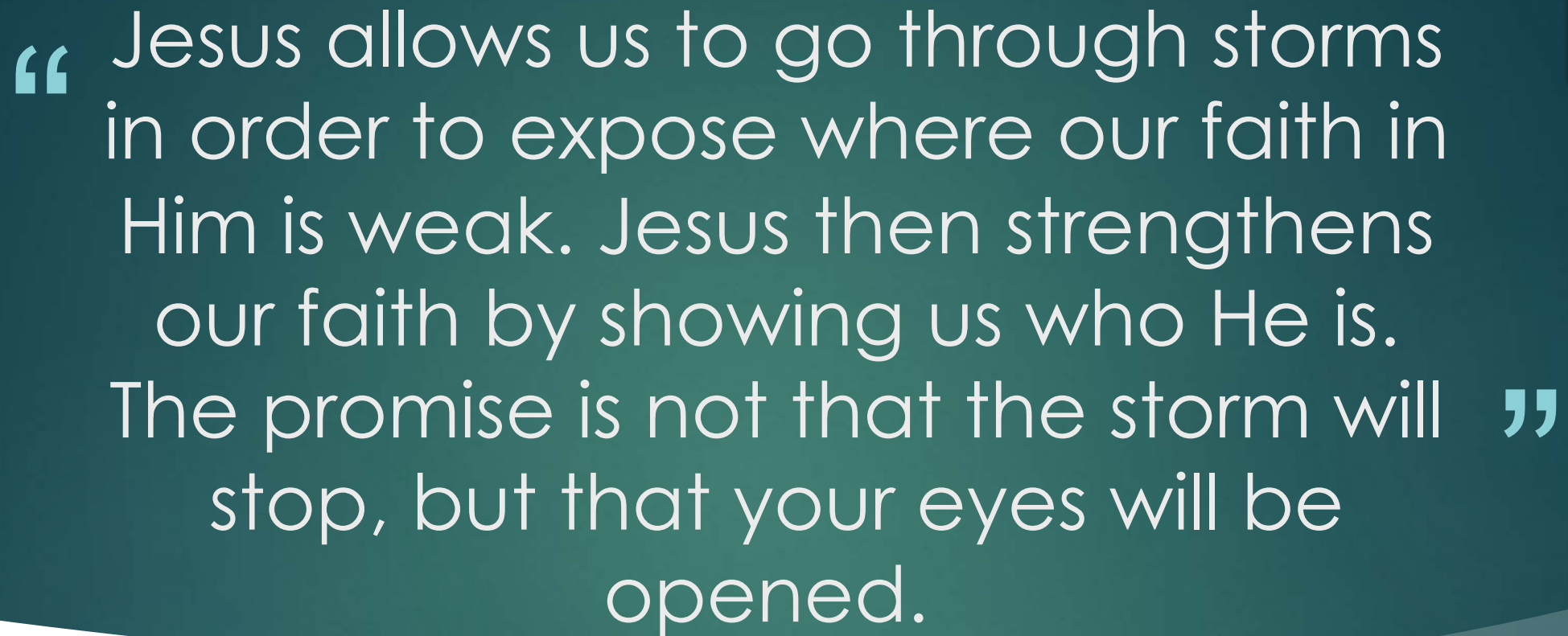
“ Doubt is a natural human response of the flesh. Rather than running from them or denying them, bring your doubts to God and seek answers to your doubts. When you do that, doubts will lead to growth. ”
It's found in His word, and when we seek Him with our whole heart, we will find Him.

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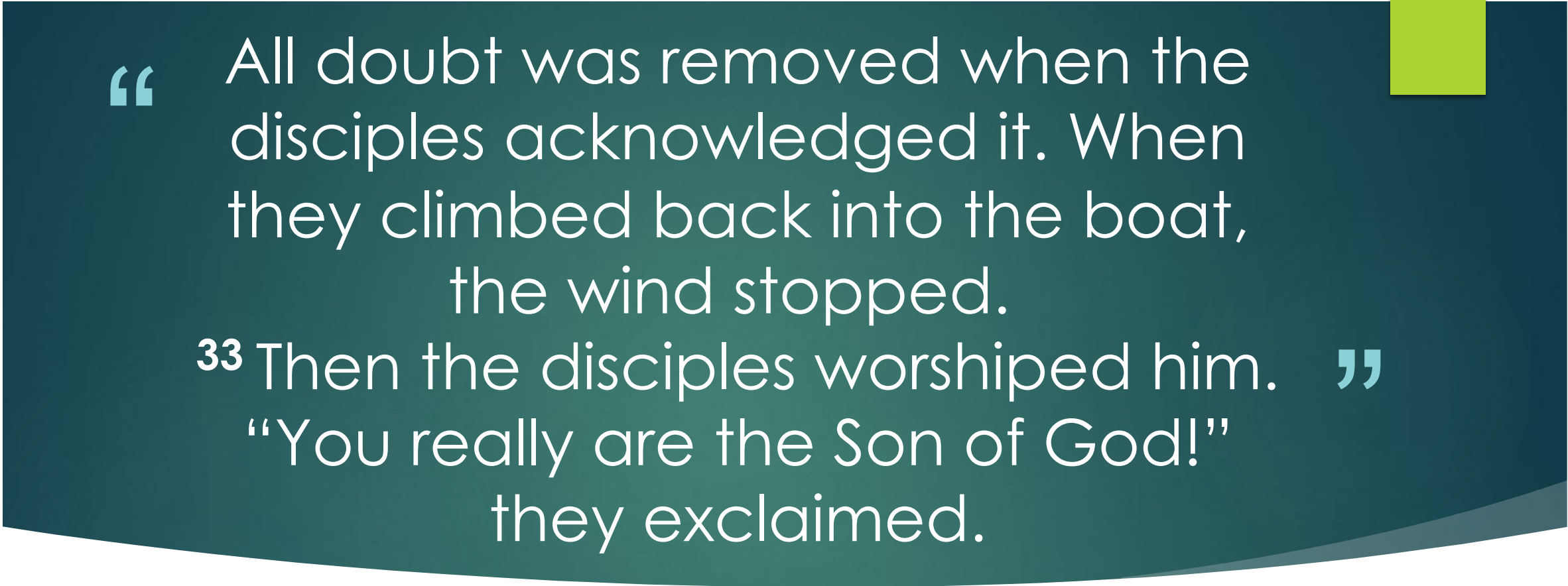
“ God uses the difficulties that we go through to shape us into His image, remind us of our need for Him, and to show us who He truly is. ”

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“ Jesus allows us to go through storms in order to expose where our faith in Him is weak. Jesus then strengthens our faith by showing us who He is. The promise is not that the storm will stop, but that your eyes will be opened. ”

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“ All doubt was removed when the disciples acknowledged it. When they climbed back into the boat, the wind stopped.

33 Then the disciples worshiped him. ”
“You really are the Son of God!”
they exclaimed.

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Icebreaker Question #1

In what ways will you use Jesus' practice of prayer in solitude as a model for your own devotional life?

Icebreaker Question #2

How can we
overcome doubts?

ADDITIONAL SCRIPTURES

All Scriptures are King James Version (KJV) unless otherwise noted


Jesus Went Alone to Pray

- ▶ Mark 6:46
- ▶ Luke 6:12
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- ▶ Luke 6:12
- ▶ Mark 1:35

Removing Doubt

- ▶ Romans 8:34
- ▶ James 1:6
- ▶ Psalms 34:18
- ▶ John 16:33
- ▶ Isaiah 40:31
- ▶ Matthew 6:6
- ▶ Luke 18:1

- ▶ 1 John 5:14
- ▶ Romans 8:26
- ▶ Jeremiah 32:27
- ▶ 1 Thessalonians 5:16-18
- ▶ Philippians 4:6-7



Ask Jesus
to grow
your little
faith!



Thank You
for Attending
Christian
Development

