

# Spirit and Truth Fellowship

of Knoxville



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Sunday, August 9, 2020 – 10:00 A.M.  
Neals Landing

Praise and Worship ..... David Spakes, Randy & Rachel Henderson  
Prayer Requests, Birthdays, Anniversaries ..... Randy Henderson  
Special Music ..... Rachel Henderson  
Break .....  
Announcements ..... Randy Henderson  
Dismiss Children to Kid's Place ..... Sheila Spakes  
Sermon: "Choices" ..... David Spakes

## Announcements

If you have any Tithes or Offerings to give, drop them into the box located on the literature table in the back of the sanctuary.

If you are attending the Drive-Up Church Service or watching the recorded service online, make your donation online at <http://give.spirit-and-truth.net>.



Next Weekly Church Service.....Sunday, August 16 @ 10:00 A.M.  
Location: Neals Landing – 241 Neals Landing Road, Suite 201, Knoxville, TN 37924

STFK Movie Night .....Friday, August 28 @ 8:00 P.M.  
Location: Neals Landing – 241 Neals Landing Road, Suite 201, Knoxville, TN 37924

Next Monthly Singing Service.....Sunday, August 30 @ 10:00 A.M.  
Location: Neals Landing – 241 Neals Landing Road, Suite 201, Knoxville, TN 37924

Krypto Con.....Saturday, September 12 @ 10:00 A.M. to 6:00 P.M.  
Location: Jubilee Banquet Facility – 6767 Jubilee Center Way, Knoxville, TN 37912

## Prayer Requests

Yadi and 12 other players on the St. Louis Cardinals baseball team – COVID-19 positive  
Crystal (Leanne Lambert’s daughter, Marinda’s friend) – hospitalized for COVID-19 and pancreas not functioning, renal failure (kidneys started working a little on Thursday)

Stacy’s father – he fell and was pretty banged up, but thankfully no broken bones

Stacy’s mother – she is recovering from cataract surgery on August 5th

Stacy – traveling mercies as she goes to Vermont to visit her parents, returning in Sept.

Brittany Mallicoat (Sheila’s coworker and friend) – recovering from gastric bypass surgery on Friday

Family of Laura Olumstad – Laura was Sheila’s coworker/friend, passed away recently

TJ Cantwell – Saturday morning he “laid over” his bike (crashed), he is mostly okay except for some road rash on his leg and some broken ribs

Megan – cheer tryouts on Monday

Kaelyn (daughter of one of Rachel’s friends) – she is in the hospital

Steve’s mom (Steve is Rachel’s friend) – she has a lot of medical issues

Darla (Rachel’s friend) – her cancer came back

Connie – got overheated walking Saturday, did something to reinjure shoulder and back

## Upcoming Church Outreach

[Krypto Con \(September 12\)](#) — This is a one-day con for comic and toy vendors and local artists presented by Krypto Comics in North Knoxville. It will take place on Saturday, September 12 at the Jubilee Center located behind the store at 6767 Jubilee Center Way, Knoxville, TN 37912. Social distancing policies will be in place, and there may be a cap on the number of people allowed in the building at one time.



[Great Smoky Mountain Comic Expo \(October 3-4\)](#) — This is Newport’s first ever Comic Con! It will take place on Saturday and Sunday, October 3-4 at 1043 Cosby Highway, Newport, TN 37821. There will be celebrity guests, vendors, artists, Q&A panels, and a cosplay contest. Spirit and Truth Fellowship of Knoxville will be located in the vendor area in booth V33.



[Yama-Con \(December 11-13\)](#) — Yama-Con is an annual three-day anime convention held at the LeConte Center located at 2986 Teaster Lane, Pigeon Forge, TN 37863. Spirit and Truth Fellowship of Knoxville has been participating with this con since 2014, and we have held our Sunday church service at the con since 2018.



## Sermon: "Choices"

### The Promised Land

**Numbers 13:1-2,25,27-28,30-31; 14:10-11**

1. The choice presented by 38 of the spies was certain \_\_\_\_\_ .
2. The choice presented by Caleb and Joshua was \_\_\_\_\_ by trusting in God.

### Jesus Messiah

**John 12:37-38,41-48**

3. The choice presented by Jesus is to be \_\_\_\_\_ by trusting in God.
4. The other choice is to reject Jesus and God. In that case, you are \_\_\_\_\_ by the truth that Jesus spoke.

### God's Plan for You

**Jeremiah 29:11-14**

5. The choice offered to you is a \_\_\_\_\_ filled with \_\_\_\_\_ .
6. Otherwise, you remain a \_\_\_\_\_ where you are currently being held.



Answers:  
(1) defeat  
(2) victory  
(3) saved  
(4) judged  
(5) future, hope  
(6) captive

## Numbers 13:1-2,25,27-28,30-31; 14:10-11 (GW)

<sup>1</sup> The Lord said to Moses, <sup>2</sup> “Send men to explore Canaan, which I’m giving to the Israelites. Send one leader from each of their ancestors’ tribes.”

<sup>25</sup> Forty days later, they came back from exploring the land.

<sup>27</sup> This is what they reported to Moses: “We went to the land where you sent us. It really is a land flowing with milk and honey. Here’s some of its fruit. <sup>28</sup> But the people who live there are strong, and the cities have walls and are very large...

<sup>30</sup> Caleb told the people to be quiet and listen to Moses. Caleb said, “Let’s go now and take possession of the land. We should be more than able to conquer it.” <sup>31</sup> But the men who had gone with him said, “We can’t attack those people! They’re too strong for us!”

*[Chapter 14]* <sup>10</sup> But when the whole community of Israel talked about stoning Moses and Aaron to death, they all saw the glory of the Lord shining at the tent of meeting. <sup>11</sup> The Lord said to Moses, “How long will these people treat me with contempt? How long will they refuse to trust me in spite of all the miraculous signs I have done among them?”

## John 12:37-38,41-48 (NLT)

<sup>37</sup> But despite all the miraculous signs Jesus had done, most of the people still did not believe in him. <sup>38</sup> This is exactly what Isaiah the prophet had predicted:

“LORD, who has believed our message?

To whom has the LORD revealed his powerful arm?”

<sup>41</sup> Isaiah was referring to Jesus when he said this, because he saw the future and spoke of the Messiah’s glory. <sup>42</sup> Many people did believe in him, however, including some of the Jewish leaders. But they wouldn’t admit it for fear that the Pharisees would expel them from the synagogue. <sup>43</sup> For they loved human praise more than the praise of God.

<sup>44</sup> Jesus shouted to the crowds, “If you trust me, you are trusting not only me, but also God who sent me. <sup>45</sup> For when you see me, you are seeing the one who sent me. <sup>46</sup> I have come as a light to shine in this dark world, so that all who put their trust in me will no longer remain in the dark. <sup>47</sup> I will not judge those who hear me but don’t obey me, for I have come to save the world and not to judge it. <sup>48</sup> But all who reject me and my message will be judged on the day of judgment by the truth I have spoken.

## Jeremiah 29:11-14 (GW)

<sup>11</sup> I know the plans that I have for you, declares the LORD. They are plans for peace and not disaster, plans to give you a future filled with hope. <sup>12</sup> Then you will call to me. You will come and pray to me, and I will hear you. <sup>13</sup> When you look for me, you will find me. When you wholeheartedly seek me, <sup>14</sup> I will let you find me, declares the LORD. I will bring you back...from the place where you are being held captive.

# We Want To See Jesus Lifted High

## Verse

We want to see Jesus lifted high  
A banner that flies across this land  
That all men might see the truth and know  
He is the way to heaven

## Chorus 1

We want to see / we want to see  
We want to see Jesus lifted high  
We want to see / we want to see  
We want to see Jesus lifted high

## Bridge

Step by step we're moving forward  
Little by little taking ground  
Every prayer a powerful weapon  
Strongholds come tumbling down  
And down and down and down

## Chorus 2

We're gonna see we're gonna see  
We're gonna see Jesus lifted high  
We're gonna see we're gonna see  
We're gonna see Jesus lifted high

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# **Whose Report Do You Believe?**

## **Verse**

**Whose report will you believe**

**We shall believe the report of the Lord (4x)**

## **Chorus**

**His report says I am healed**

**His report says I am filled**

**His report says I am free**

**His report says victory**

# This Is How We Overcome

## Verse 1

Your light broke through my night  
Restored exceeding joy  
Your grace fell like the rain  
And made this desert live

## Chorus

You (have) turned my mourning into dancing  
You have turned my sorrow into joy

## Verse 2

Your hand lifted me up  
I stand on higher ground  
Your praise rose in my heart  
And made this valley sing

## Bridge

This is how we overcome  
This is how we overcome  
This is how we overcome  
This is how we overcome

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# More Love More Power

## Verse

More love more power  
More of You in my life  
More love more power  
More of You in my life

## Chorus 1

And I will worship You with all of my heart  
And I will worship You with all of my mind  
And I will worship You with all of my strength  
For You are my Lord

## Chorus 2

And I will seek Your face with all of my heart  
And I will seek Your face with all of my mind  
And I will seek Your face with all of my strength  
For You are my Lord

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