

The Confident Life – Message 6

Announcements

Step 4 – Small Group Training // March 27, 11:15am // LCC Annex WC, SSC Warrior Room & GCC. Learn how to become a Small Group Host and help others grow in their relationship with God and with others. Register at ChurchoftheKing.com/growthtrack.

Easter Services

Dates	Little Creek	South Shore	Gulf Coast
Friday, March 25 th	5pm & 7pm		
Saturday, March 26 th	4pm & 6pm		6pm
Sunday, March 27 th	8am, 9:30am &	9:30am & 11:30am	9:30am & 11:30am
	11:30am		

Easter Egg Hunts

Dates	Little Creek PLAZA	City Park , Shelter #1 (South Shore)	AJ Holloway Sports Complex (Gulf Coast)
Friday, March 25 th	6:15-7pm	12-2pm	
Saturday, March 26 th	5:15-6pm		9:30-11:30am
Sunday, March 27 th	10:45-11:30am		
	12:45-1:30pm		

Warm-up

What is something you can remember being scared to do initially, but realized it was easy once you stepped out in faith?

Word and Application

We are learning how to walk in confidence through Jesus on a daily basis. Often times, confidence is the deciding factor between winning and losing in life. Confidence in the New Testament is defined very

powerfully as boldness, openness, free and fearless assurance, cheerful courage, without hiding, and without ambiguity.

- 1. **Read Hebrews 10:34-35**. What is the "great reward" mentioned in this verse? Why does this give you confidence?
- 2. **Read I John 5:1-5.** You are an overcomer! What confidence does this give you?

3. Read 1 John 5:13, John 3:16.

We must be certain to put our confidence in God and not in ourselves first in every area of life. Do you have the confidence your sins are forgiven and heaven is your eternal home?

Three Ways We Walk In Confidence As Believers

1. The confidence of eternal life.

Read John 3:16.

Confident living is knowing your eternal dwelling place is with God. This is not based on your feelings but is based on the truth of God's Word and His faithfulness to us. Have you honestly committed your life to Christ? If so, know by faith that you are His child.

2. The confidence of answered prayer.

Prayer is the direct line of communication between our spirit and God. Often times prayers are answered by simply changing our heart and attitude about a particular situation, not necessarily getting it answered the way we wanted it. How has prayer impacted your relationship with God?

Read Hebrews 4:16.

How does Hebrews 4:16 give you confidence in communicating to God?

Describe the difference in praying for God's provision to see your will be done compared to praying for God's will to be done on earth through your life.

3. The confidence of victory over sin and Satan.

The power to live victorious over sin is *available* to the child of God. When we are born of God we have the power through the Lord Jesus Christ to overcome all sin in our lives. What confidence does that give you in your salvation?

Read 1 John 5:18-21 and John 14:6.

What power does sin have in the life of a child of God?

What are some practical steps you can apply to grow in confidence in your identity in Christ?

Prayer

Close in prayer by thanking God for the provision that is made available to all who accept Jesus Christ as their Savior. Thank God for the truth He gives us that brings confidence. Pray for those in your life that need to see God's truth. Pray for specific needs in your group.