

Today's Key Points

Know what

- Last week we started a new series called 'Eyewitnesses' in which we are looking at four people who wrote first hand accounts of Jesus' life. These accounts are called Gospels which means 'Good News.'
- The first was Matthew, a Jewish tax collector who left his work to follow Jesus. Matthew wrote the first 'Gospel'.
- Today we look at a young man called Mark. He was one of the twelve disciples of Jesus but ran away when Jesus was arrested and was in such a hurry that he threw off his clothes to escape.
- After Jesus had gone to Heaven and sent the Holy Spirit Mark was one of the disciples who took the Good News about Jesus to Asia and Europe.
- Mark wrote the second 'Gospel'. It is the shortest Gospel, often known as the action Gospel because it focuses on what Jesus did. It was probably written for Christians in Rome.

So What:

- The Gospel is good news for us too. It shows us the way to God.
- Christian faith is not just about talk but about action. Following Jesus is exciting and can take us in surprising directions.

Now what:

- Let us take action and follow Jesus, even if it means a radical change in the way we live.
- Let us offer our gifts and abilities to God to help others.



Welcome to Foundation



The Call of Mark



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Happy Birthday !



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God is great!

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=xeKeW7U>
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Give Me Oil in My Lamp

Give me oil in my lamp, keep me burning
Give me oil in my lamp, I pray
Give me oil in my lamp, keep me burning
Keep me burning 'til the break of day

Sing hosanna, sing hosanna
Sing hosanna to the King of Kings
Sing hosanna, sing hosanna
Sing hosanna to the King



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Give me joy in my heart, keep me praising
Give me joy in my heart, I pray
Give me joy in my heart, keep me praising
Keep me praising 'til the break of day

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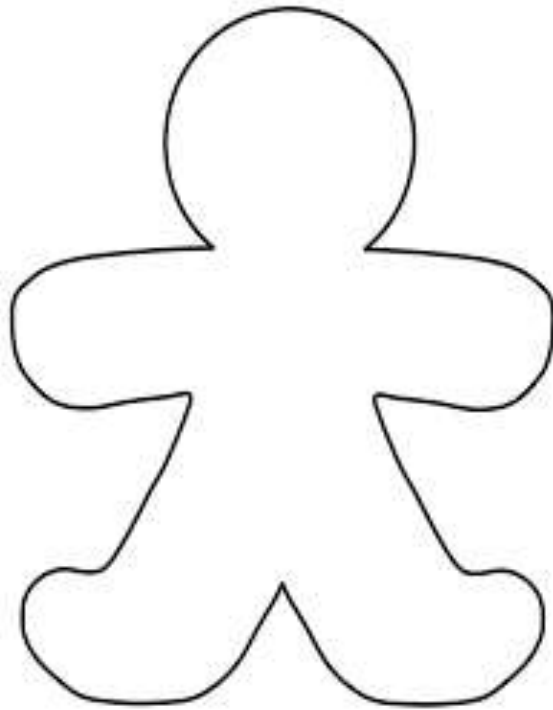
Give me peace in my heart, keep me resting
Give me peace in my heart, I pray
Give me peace in my heart, keep me resting
Keep me resting 'til the break of day

Sing hosanna, sing hosanna
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If I go climbing

If I go climbing, climbing, climbing.
If I go climbing, God is there.
If I go climbing on the highest mountain,
God is there 'cause He is everywhere.

If I go rowing, rowing, rowing.
If I go rowing, God is there.
If I go rowing on the widest river,
God is there 'cause He is everywhere.



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- If I go swimming, swimming, swimming.
If I go swimming, God is there.
If I go swimming to the bottom of the ocean,
God is there 'cause He is everywhere.

If I go driving, driving, driving.
If I go driving, God is there.
If I go driving far away.
God is there, 'cause He is everywhere.



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If I go flying, flying, flying.
If I go flying, God is there.
If I go flying on the biggest aeroplane,
God is there, 'cause He is everywhere.

If I go sleeping, sleeping, sleeping.
If I go sleeping, God is there.
If I go sleeping on the darkest night,
God is there, 'cause He is everywhere.

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Prayer

Dear Lord,

Thank you that you love us and care for us.

Please help us to worship you and learn more about you today.

Amen



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**Our Father in heaven,
Hallowed be your name.**



Your Kingdom come,



Your will be done



On earth as in heaven.

Give us today our daily bread,



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And forgive us our sins,



As we forgive those who sin against us.



**Lead us not into temptation, but
deliver us from evil.**



**For the Kingdom, the power and
the glory are yours,
Now and forever,
Amen.**



ICAP

I'm gonna jump up and down

I'm gonna jump up and down,
Gonna spin right around,
Gonna praise Your Name forever.
Gonna shout out loud,
Gonna deafen the crowd,
Gonna send my praise to heaven.



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I will run this race and I will never stop.
I'll follow Jesus till the day I drop.
I can do all things through Christ who
strengthens me.
When you've got such a lot,
When you've got not a lot,
What? Be happy!



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I'm gonna jump up and down,
Gonna spin right around,
Gonna praise Your Name forever.
Gonna shout out loud,
Gonna deafen the crowd,
Gonna send my praise to heaven.



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What are they doing?



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Eyewitness Accounts

Four Gospels

Named after the people who wrote them.

- Matthew: a tax collector
- **Mark**
- Luke
- John

Today we learn about **Mark, also called John Mark.** (**John** his Jewish name; **Mark** his roman name)



When Mark Ran Away



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What do we know about Mark?

- He was a Jew. His mother had a large house in Jerusalem.
- He became one of Jesus' twelve disciples but we know very little about him.
- He is believed to be the disciple who ran away naked when Jesus was arrested in order to escape capture himself.
- After Jesus had returned to heaven Mark worked with Paul and Barnabas to bring the Good News to Asia and Europe.
- He wrote the second Gospel, focusing on what Jesus did. He probably wrote it to Christians in Rome.



Key verse

Jesus went into Galilee, preaching the Good News from God. He said, “The right time has come. The kingdom of God is near. Change your hearts and lives and believe the Good News!”

Mark 1. 14 - 15



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Allelu, Allelu,

Allelu, allelu, allelu alleluia

Praise ye the Lord!

Allelu, allelu, allelu, alleuia

Praise ye the Lord!

Praise ye the Lord! Alleluia

Praise ye the Lord! Alleluia

Praise ye the Lord! Alleluia

Praise ye the Lord!



What does that mean to me.?

So What:

- The Gospel is good news for us too. It shows us the way to God.
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What must I do now?

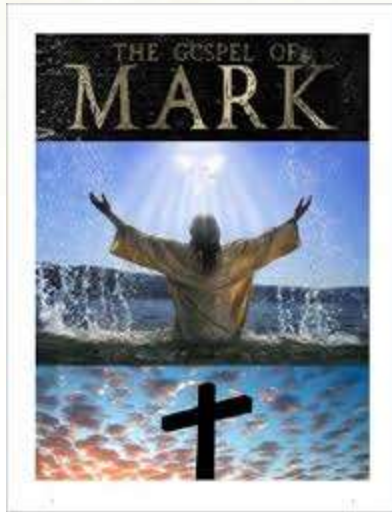
Now what:

- Let us take action and follow Jesus, even if it means a radical change in the way we live.
- Let us offer our gifts and abilities to God to help others.
- We can start by reading Mark's Gospel.



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Mark's Gospel



If You're Happy and You Know It

If you're happy and you know it,
clap your hands

If you're happy and you know it,
clap your hands

If you're happy and you know it,
And you really want to show it,

If you're happy and you know it,
clap your hands



If you're happy and you know it,
stamp your feet
If you're happy and you know it,
stamp your feet
If you're happy and you know it,
And you really want to show it,
If you're happy and you know it,
stamp your feet



If you're happy and you know it,
Say Amen

If you're happy and you know it,
Say Amen

If you're happy and you know it,
And you really want to show it,
If you're happy and you know it,
Say Amen



If you're happy and you know it, do all three
(clap clap, stamp stamp, Amen)

If you're happy and you know it, do all three
(clap clap, stamp stamp, Amen)

If you're happy and you know it,
And you really want to show it,

If you're happy and you know it, do all three
(clap clap, stamp stamp, Amen)



Who shall we pray for today?

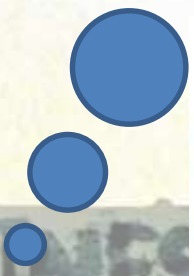


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Let's Worship God with an Offering



What can we give to God?



He's got the whole world in His hands

He's got the whole world in his hands,
He's got the whole world in his hands,
He's got the whole world in his hands,
He's got the whole world in his hands.



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He's got you and me brother in his hands,
He's got you and me brother in his hands,
He's got you and me brother in his hands,
He's got the whole world in his hands.



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He's got you and me sister in his hands,
He's got you and me sister in his hands,
He's got you and me sister in his hands,
He's got the whole world in his hands.



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He's got everybody here in his hands,
He's got everybody here in his hands,
He's everybody here in his hands,
He's got the whole world in his hands.



He's got the whole world in his hands,
He's got the whole wide world in his hands,
He's got the whole world in his hands,
He's got the whole world in his hands.



The Grace

May the grace of our Lord
Jesus Christ,
the love of God and the
fellowship of the Holy Spirit
be with us all, for evermore.
Amen



Gift Month



Gift Day



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Next Sunday

9:31 Family Service

9:45: Foundation

Toddler Groups this week



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