

CROSS CHURCH



JULY 18-19, 2026

FAMILY FEATURE PART 3: DARKEST HOUR

"This country will be subjected somehow to a tremendous invasion. I shall be in command of the defenses of London, and...it will fall to me to save the capital and save the Empire."

– CHURCHILL, 1891

2 KINGS 18:2 He was twenty-five years old when he became king, and he reigned in Jerusalem twenty-nine years...

2 KINGS 18:5-7, 2 KINGS 18:13, 2 KINGS 18:19

IN THE DARKEST HOUR:

1. Attacks Begin With Intimidation.

2 KINGS 18:30-31 Do not let Hezekiah persuade you to trust in the Lord when he says, 'The Lord will surely deliver us;... "Do not listen to Hezekiah...

2. Find the Strength to Push On.

HEBREWS 10:39 But we do not belong to those who shrink back and are destroyed, but to those who have faith and are saved.

3. Prayer Changes Things.

2 KINGS 19:1 'When King Hezekiah heard this, he tore his clothes and put on sackcloth and went into the temple of the Lord.

2 KINGS 19:15 And Hezekiah prayed to the Lord: "Lord, the God of Israel, enthroned between the cherubim, you alone are God over all the kingdoms of the earth. You have made heaven and earth.

FOR A BELIEVER, PRAYER IS NOT A LAST RESORT, IT IS A FIRST RESPONSE!

JAMES 5:16 ...The earnest prayer of a righteous person has great power and produces wonderful results.

"May 26th. Blackest day of all. This was the National Day of Prayer"

– NEVILLE CHAMBERLAIN

"I still cannot understand how it is that the (Germans) have allowed us to get [our troops] off in this way. It is a miracle that we have been able to do it in the face of all the bombing and gunning"

– GENERAL IRONSIDE

ROMANS 8:31 What, then, shall we say in response to these things? If God is for us, who can be against us?

ROMANS 8:37 No, in all these things we are more than conquerors through him who loved us.

TABLE TALK:

Take the time for intentional conversations and questions with your friends and family based on this weekend's message!

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What is the Holy Spirit speaking to me today, and how can I apply it?

DIVE NIGHT

7TH - 12TH GRADE
WEDNESDAY AT 7PM

CROSSWALK CLASSES

SUNDAY AT 10:15AM

21 DAYS OF PRAYER

AUGUST 01-21

FIRST THURSDAY

AUGUST 05

DIVE BACK TO SCHOOL BASH

AUGUST 07

CROSSKIDS MOVE UP

AUGUST 08-09

CHILD DEDICATIONS

AUGUST 08-09

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