

Kenai Christian Church

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#JesusStrong

Caring-Connecting-Communicating

March Forth!

Because We've Been Commanded

Some may argue that Matthew 28:18-20 gets overused within the Christian "circle" but I would argue that we cannot be reminded of these verses enough. Jesus said, "All authority has been given to Me in heaven and on earth. Go, therefore, and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, teaching them to observe everything I have commanded you. And remember, I am with you always, to the end of the age." Jesus wasn't suggesting that we tell the lost world about His saving grace, He was commanding that we do this. According to dictionary.com, command means "to direct with specific authority or prerogative; order" and "to require authoritatively; demand." This explains why Jesus starts His statement with establishing his credentials or authority. How much authority does Jesus possess? All authority in heaven and earth.

Respond to Jesus' Command

Something happens after we make our confession of faith and are baptized: we feel as if we have arrived. Like, that's it, that's the totality of our response. But actually, we haven't arrived when we give our lives to Jesus. In fact, we are just getting started. We have placed our lives, our everything at the feet of Jesus in submission to His authority. And He has commanded that we share Him with others. We must take a self-evaluation and ask, "What am I doing each day to respond to Jesus' command?" When we gather together in the church building and notice that there are empty seats, let that be a reminder of someone hasn't yet given their life to Jesus.

Time is Not Our Friend

The excuse that I use most to dodge my response to Jesus' command is that time is on my side. The older I get, the more I realize that this can't be farther from the truth! Regardless of our background, our economic status, our race, our gender, or our geographic location, and especially our age, we all have something in common: our bodies will not last and we will stand before God in judgement one day. When we feel the prompting of the Holy Spirit to share the love of Jesus with someone, let us remember Jesus command to do just that. Don't delay. Often, we think we have tomorrow to share with that person, but that just might not be the case. When you feel afraid or are nervous to share Jesus, remember that He is right there with you encouraging you along. On this March 4th, remember to march forth in the continual spread of the Good News that Jesus has saved us all from our sins!

Under His Command,

Adam

Upcoming Stuff:

- Even though it's March, it's never too early to start thinking about Summer Camp! We're taking our youth to summer camp July 6th -July 11th. Without giving too much away, all I'll say is that our speaker is pretty special this year. So mark your calendar and keep an eye out for camp forms. You kid isn't gonna want to miss this

**#JesusStrongYouth
NEWS**

Celebrations:

- The Lord did some phenomenal things at our Youth Winter Retreat! From the amount of people we had there, to the ways God stirred the hearts of everyone there. I can't even put into words how great winter retreat was this year. Not only did we have zero major injuries, but it was a time that I think everyone needed, especially me. One of the things I'm seeing and learning as the years go on is just how hungry this generation is for the Lord. While we did a lot of fun things and activities, many of our students kept saying how much they loved chapel and our speaker Bralyn. To see the students be engaged and excited to hear from Bralyn was encouraging. But to see them engaged in the fun activities was wonderful as well. It seemed that there was a good balance of students connecting with their peers, and them connecting with the Lord. One of my favorite things to witness was on Sunday at the end of chapel, we took communion together. I encouraged the students to not just take it themselves, but find their friends and take it together, praying for one another. As I look around the room, I see this beautiful moment of pockets of students and adults circling up and taking communion together. It was a great moment that showcased the students connecting with one another while they're connecting with God. To seek the Lord while linking arms with their brothers and sisters was a wonderful thing to see. Thank you for the prayers and support for our winter retreat and our youth in general. The Lord is still faithful to this generation. He's still reaching young people. He's still building up the next generation of leaders. And I'm excited to see what He does next.

Announcements



*Congratulations to
Ryan & Emily Saliga.
Eleanor Rose Saliga
was born on January
16th, 2026*

Long-time member of the congregation Jeanne Waldren
passed away on February 21st, 2026

Condolences to the Waldren Family. She will greatly be
missed.

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