Memorize the verse of the week: Isaiah 40:31 But they that wait upon the LORD shall renew their strength; they shall mount up with wings as eagles; they shall run, and not be weary; and they shall walk, and not faint. KJV

### **Announcements:**

- Your Tithe, Offerings & Support are greatly appreciated!
- **C**ommunion is the 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of each month.
- Next Bible Study is Wednesday 1/10/2024, at 10:30 am Bible Stories that will change your life!
- Turn your TV to TBN (Channel 14 if you live here)
- Memorial Service for Bill Schroeder 2/10/2024 1:00 pm

# Two Goals for 2024

- 1. To Hide God's word in our Hearts
- 2. So that we will come to know the Lord better, as we walk with Him.

# Pray for the people of Israel

If you need prayer, please let us know Pastor Steve & Janie Schroeder 303-809-7789 Remember God Loves You and so do we!

www.masterscommunitychurch.org – coming soon





When you discover who God is you will learn that Faith is not about religion, it is about a Relationship

A personal relationship with God involves prayer, fellowship, trust and daily contact with Him

### 1/7/2024 Today's Music

Leading Worship Ric Rogers

In The Garden I Surrender All It is No Secret On Holy Ground



Scripture Isaiah 40:28-31

28 Do you not know? Have you not heard? The Lord is the everlasting God, the Creator of the ends of the earth. He will not grow tired or weary, and his understanding no one can fathom.

29 He gives strength to the weary and increases the power of the weak.

30 Even youths grow tired and weary, and young men stumble and fall;

31 but those who hope in the Lord will renew their strength. They will soar on wings like eagles; they will run and not grow weary, they will walk and not be faint. NIV

#### Romans 13:11b-14

... our salvation is nearer now than when we first believed. The night is nearly over; the day is almost here. So let us put aside the deeds of darkness and put on the armor of light. Let us behave decently, as in the daytime, not in orgies and drunkenness, not in sexual immorality and debauchery, not in dissension and jealousy. Rather, clothe yourselves with the Lord Jesus Christ, and do not think about how to gratify the desires of the sinful nature. NIV (sin for righteousness)

#### 2 Corinthians 4:16-18

16 Therefore we do not lose heart. Though outwardly we are wasting away, yet inwardly we are being renewed day by day. 17 For our light and momentary troubles are achieving for us an eternal glory that far outweighs them all.

18 So we fix our eyes not on what is seen, but on what is unseen. For what is seen is temporary, but what is unseen is eternal. NIV

Romans 8:37 ... in all these things we are more than conquerors through Him who loved us. NIV

#### **Today**

Soar on Wings Like Eagles

#### Background

- Isaiah means "The Lord saves"
- 1-39 = Judgement for sin
- 40-66 = Forgiveness, Comfort & Hope
- Chapter 39 The Babylonians would invade Jerusalem,
- Chapter 40 John the Baptist and Salvation of the Lord
- **V 28** God made everything & He is stronger and smarter than us

V 29 & 30 – He is our source, whether we are young or old

- V 31 Hope, renewed strength, soar on wings, run & walk
  - Hope in/wait upon = To wait expectantly To trust God completely and serve Him Faithfully
  - Renew = to exchange weakness for strength (bad thoughts for good) (dirty clothes for clean)
    See Romans 13:11b-14

Augustine – 386 AD a child saying, "Take it and read it." He became the Bishop of Hippo

- \* God's strength to revive and refresh us when we feel exhausted from suffering and difficulty
- Soar on eagle wings to rise above the fray and soar
- Run & Walk spiritually Endless energy to continue

## All this is possible if we keep our focus on Jesus

See 2 Corinthians 4:16-18 & Romans 8:37