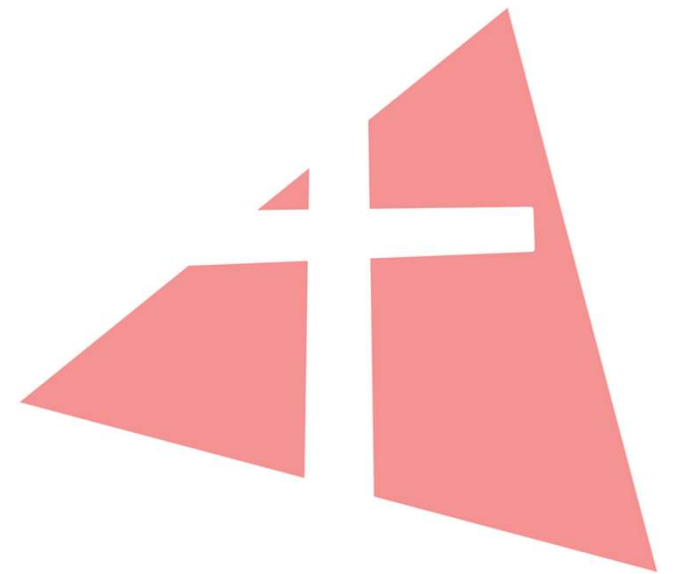
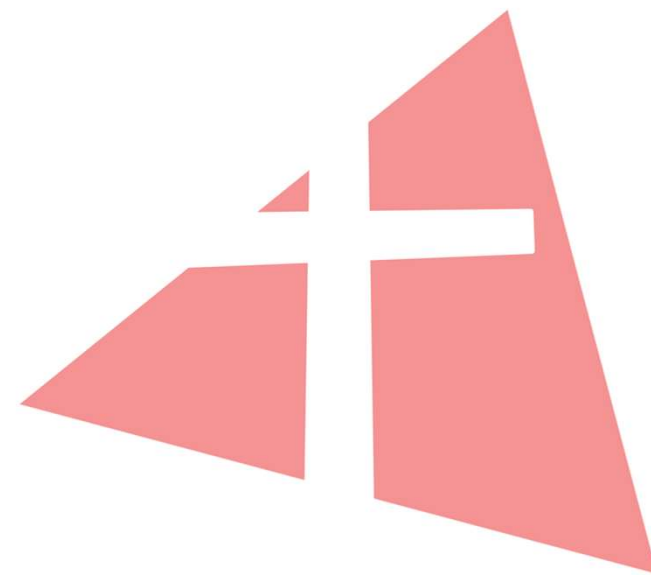


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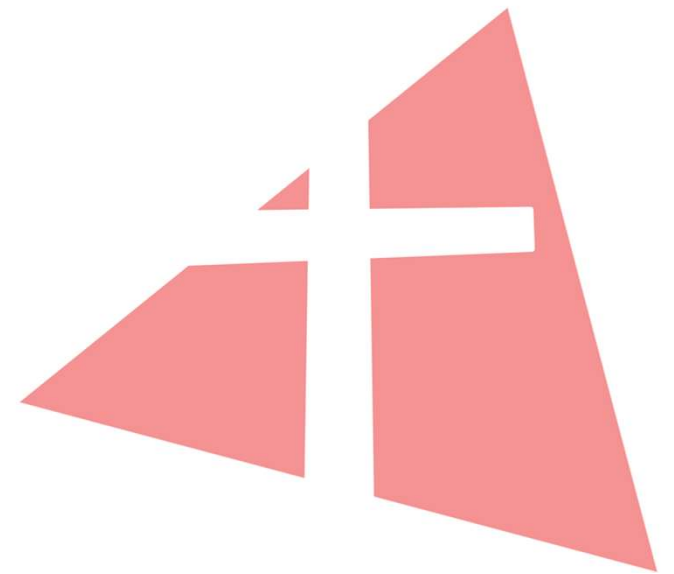
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- Outreach
- Faith



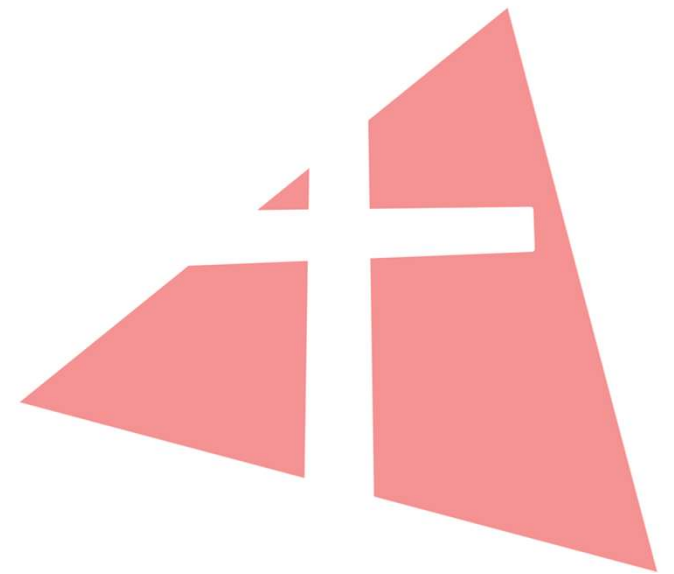
# Coming with Boldness and Expectations

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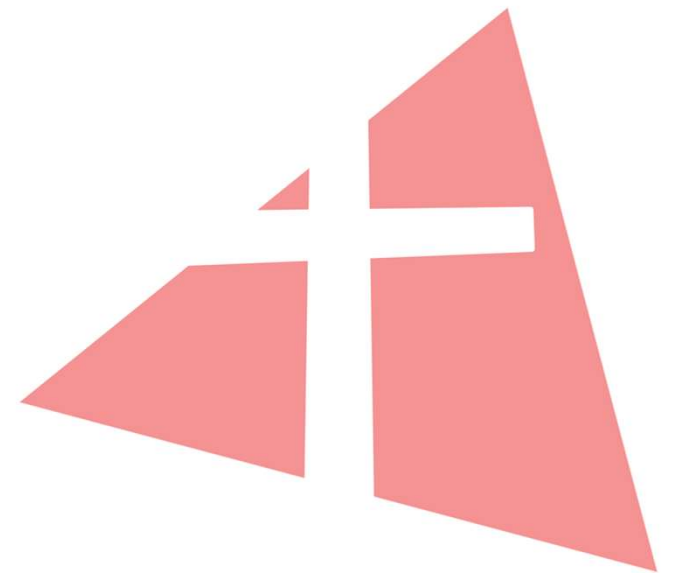
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- **Faith**
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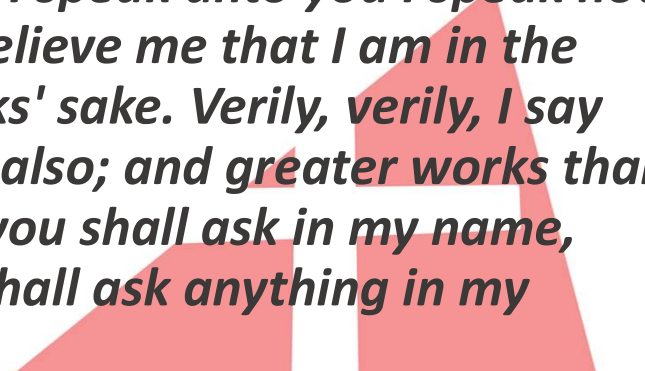
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- **Praying with boldness**
- **Praying with expectations**



# Praying with Expectations

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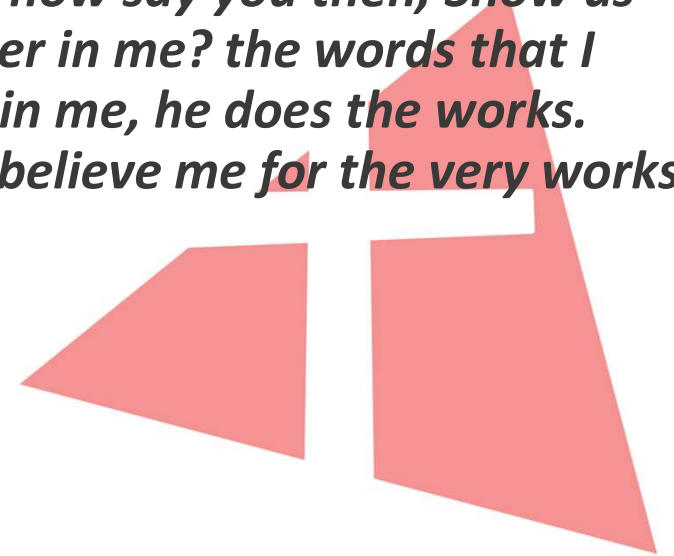
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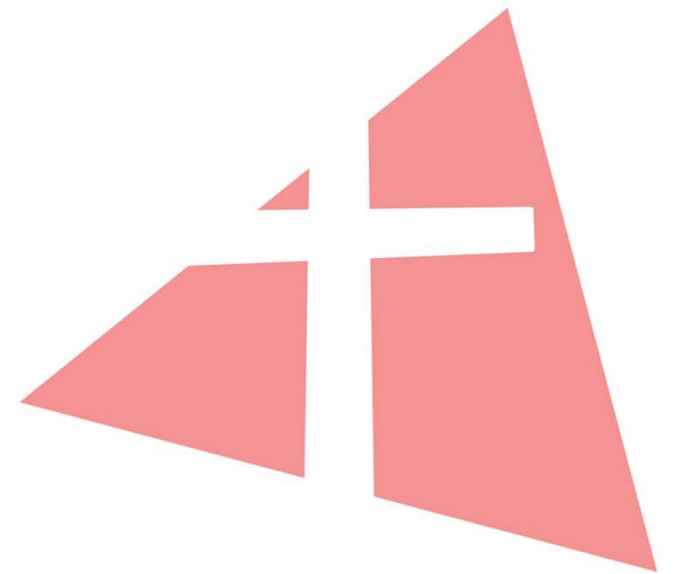
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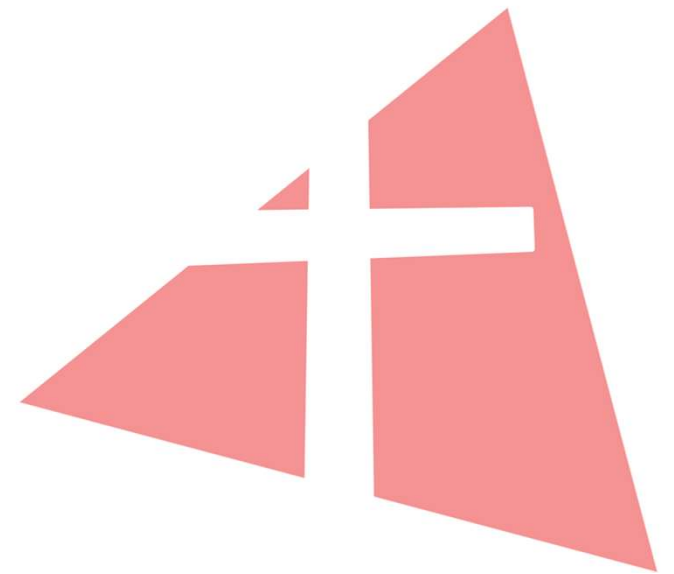
# The Key

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# Examples

- **Moses divided the Red Sea**
- **Hannah prayed for a child**
- **Nehemiah prayed for Jerusalem**
- **Elijah prayed for fire from heaven**
- **Peter prayed for a woman to be raised from the dead**
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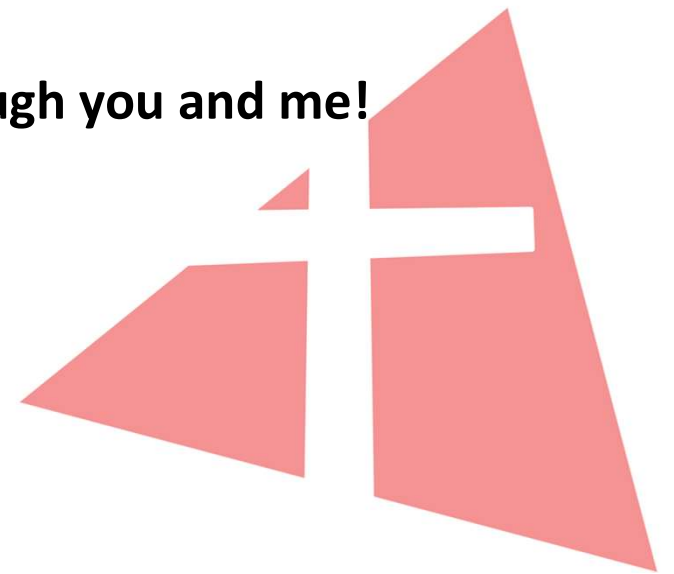
# Elijah

*James 5:17 Elijah was a man subject to like passions as we are, and he prayed earnestly that it might not rain: and it rained not on the earth for three years and six months.*



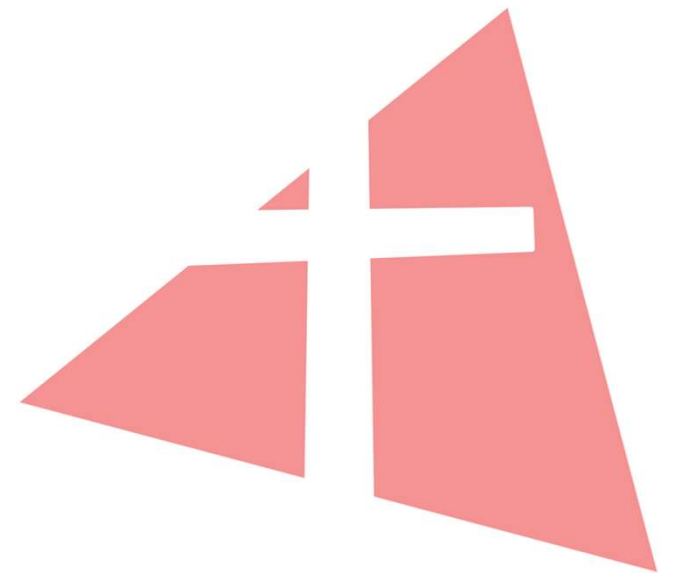
# The Result

- **God can do any miracle we read about in the Bible again through you and me!**



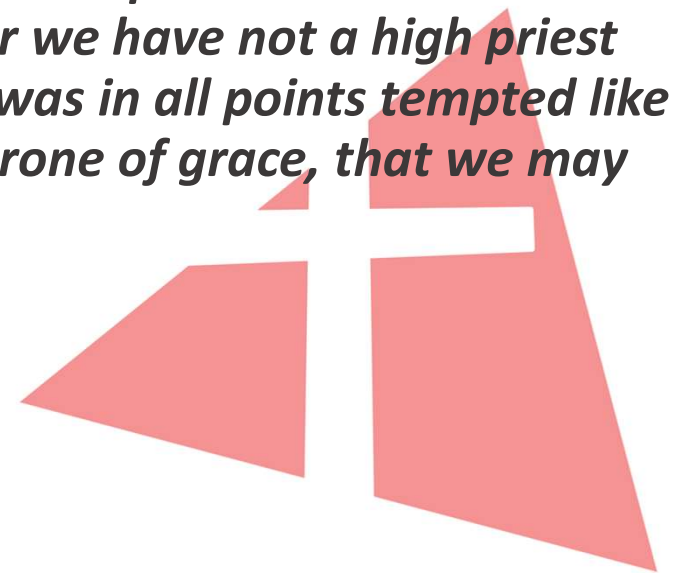
# Praying with boldness

- **Many Christians lack boldness in their prayers**



# Praying with boldness

*Hebrews 4:14-16 Seeing then that we have a great high priest, that is passed into the heavens, Jesus the Son of God, let us hold fast our profession. For we have not a high priest who cannot be touched with the feeling of our weaknesses; but was in all points tempted like we are, yet without sin. Let us therefore come boldly unto the throne of grace, that we may obtain mercy, and find grace to help in time of need.*



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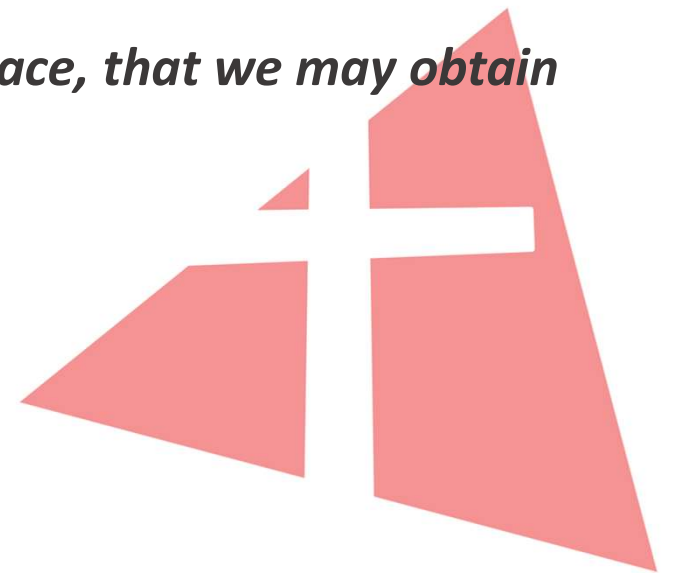
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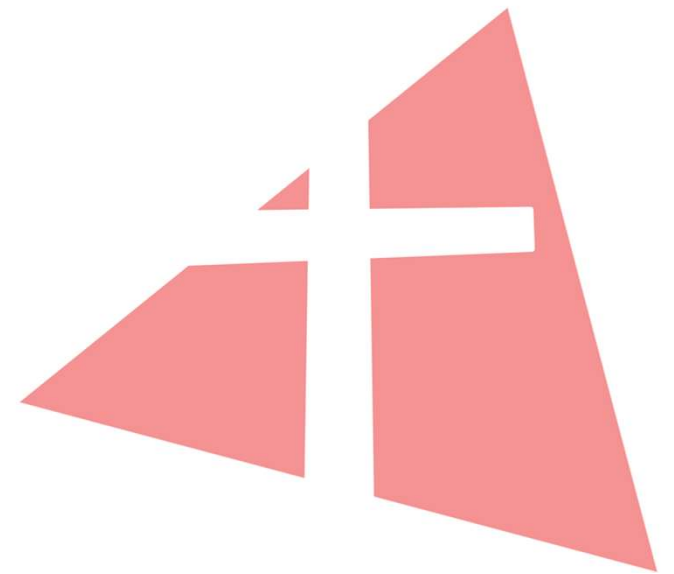
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# In Conclusion

- **Jesus wants us to pray with expectations**
- **Jesus wants us to pray with boldness**





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