## NOTES C. Get Out of the Boat: Mt 14:29-30 "Then Peter got down out of the boat, walked on the water and came toward Jesus." - Stepping out of your boat Faith- Heb II: I "Now faith is being sure of what we hope for and certain of what we do not see." Risk- Uncertainty; possibility of danger; taking a chance Taking Jesus at His word- "Come" - Walking by faith III. A Sinking Feeling: A. Looking Down: Matt.14:29-30 - He saw the wind (its' effects; waves; spray: struck by surf) - He became afraid - doubt - He started to sink (implies slowly; as faith waned, Peter physically sank) Fear began to replace Peter's faith! B. Learning a Lesson: Matt.14:31 — "You have so little faith!" (Observation) - "Why did you doubt?" Eves fixed on Jesus! (Heb.12:2) C. A New Perspective: Matt.14:33 Mt 14:32-33 "And when they climbed into the hoat, the wind died down. Then those who were in the boat worshiped him, saying, "Truly you are the Son **of God."** (Worship- Matt.28:9; 28:17; Luke 24:15) \* Those who walk by faith—see Jesus differently!



#### THIS WEEK

Today	9:30 am	Bible Discovery Hour
	10:30 am	Worship Service

Monday 3:30 pm Children's Bible Class

6:30 pm Deacon's Meeting

**Tuesday** 10:00 am Ladies Bible Study

1:30 pm Prayer

Wednesday 3:30 pm Children's Bible Class

6:15 pm Hub

(Paul's Bible Study, Brad's Bible Study, Grade 4-6 Bible Study, Divorce Care, Life 360 starts at 5:30pm)

**Thursday** 10:00 am Stepping Stones

7:00 pm Worship Practice

Friday 7:00 pm Youth Group

**Sunday** 9:30 am Bible Discovery Hour

10:30 am Worship Service

Annual Meeting (after Service)

6:00 pm Prayer Time

#### **Parents Please Note:**

Activity boxes are available for older children to use during the service.

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#### Annual General Meeting - November 20th 2022:

A light lunch will be provided. 2023 Budgets are available on the ledge

- one per family please.

#### Nomination Committee Report:

The Nomination Committee has recommended the following, and this individual has agreed to allow their names to stand for the position listed:

Deacon: Craig Pateman





Shoeboxes are due back to church November 20th



Save the Date

Christmas

Banquet

Friday, December 9th

We are finalizing the numbers, they will be out soon. Any Thanksgiving offerings will go to the mortgage if donated today on.

Nov 20th following the annual meeting we want to go watch The Chosen in theaters. If you would like to join, please talk to Jerel today or tomorrow at 403-348-7205 or jerelyu@gmail.com.

They will be showing Season 3 the first two episodes.

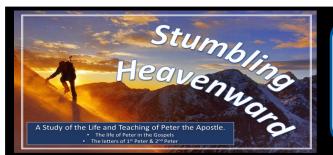
3:45pm in Red Deer at Galaxy Cinemas



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### "A SINKING FEELING"

Scripture: Matt.14:22-36 Jn.6:16-24; Mk.6:47-56

Review: Jesus fed the 5000

He sent the people home
Disciples sent to their boat
Jesus went off alone to pray

#### I. Sent Into a Storm:

- **A. East Wind** (Sirocco)- off the desert; scorching; powerful
  - Spent hours fighting the storm
     (till 3:00 or 4:00 in the morning)
  - Mk.6:48 "Jesus saw them straining at their nars"
- **B. Walking on the Water** Jesus goes out to meet them...
  - Mk.6:48 "about to pass by" (?)
  - Ghost (Phantom)- afraid
  - "Take courage. It is I. Don't be afraid." (Matt.14:27)
- Comparing the Gospels:

Matthew adds a story that the others have left out (Matt.14:28-36; also Matt.16:9)

#### II. Impulsive Peter:

# A. What are you thinking? Matt. 14:28-29 "Lord, if it's you," Peter.

Matt. 14:28-29 <sup>\*</sup>Lord, if it's you," Peter replied, "tell me to come to you on the water." "**Come,**" he said.

- School of Discipleship (Jn.14:12)
- B. Peter's Personality— (Sanguine?)

Strengths: Confident; Outgoing; Passionate; Zealous; Keen; Eager; Courage; Optimistic; Insightful; Sociable

Weaknesses: Impulsive; Impetuous; Spontaneous; Reactive; Rash; Cowardly; Exaggerates; Headstrong;

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