

Tithes and Offerings



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Order of Worship
March 16, 2025
Second Sunday of Lent

We Gather to Worship God

Welcome
Worship in Song
Call to Worship
Worship in Song
Prayer

We Listen to the Word

Sermon Series: ALIVE
Sermon: "Part II. Disappointment"

We Come to the Table

Prayer of Confession and Consecration
The Lord's Prayer
We Eat and Drink Together
We Celebrate the Eucharist in Song
Prayer

We Go to Live in the Reign of God

Community Life
Doxology
Blessing and Sending

*Words to music, responsive readings and
The Lord's Prayer will be on the screen*



Easter Eggstravaganza

Sign up to serve!



Petting Zoo
Crafts & Games
Bounce House



Saturday, April 12 2025
10:00-11:30am

Egg Hunt
Easter Bunny
Free Food

Register at tablelifechurch.org/egg/

Scripture Readers Needed for Good Friday



ARE YOU ABLE AND WILLING TO READ A SHORT SCRIPTURE DURING
OUR GOOD FRIDAY SERVICE THE EVENING OF APRIL 18TH?
ALL AGES ARE WELCOME.
EMAIL PASTORKRIS@TABLELIFECHURCH.ORG

SENIOR CHAT-N-CHEW GATHERING

11:30am Tuesday, March 18
The Gathering Place



A fun time
of food, fellowship, and
devotion for our 55+
crowd! Bring a friend.

For a complete list of ongoing ministries and upcoming events,
please visit tablelifechurch.org.

Doggy Bag-

Some questions to chew on:



1. It was said "When it comes to opportunities, hope and disappointment swing on the same hinges." Do you agree? Have you ever been afraid to have hope again after a major disappointment?
2. What is significant about the Shunammite woman building Elisha a room? How do you know when to wait on God to open a door and when God is waiting for you to make your own door?
3. Why do you think the woman declined asking Elisha for anything? Have you ever had difficulty accepting someone's blessing? What did you learn?
4. While we may not literally close the door on a dead body, we may have to figuratively close the door on things, thoughts, and people that are destructive and threaten to steer us away from life and kill hope. What are those things for you?
5. How do we stay open to God's work and miracles after experiencing disappointment? Why is hope so important?

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Please fill out a
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in the seats in front of
you. Or you can fill one
out online.



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If you'd like to talk personally and confidentially w/Pastor Kris about your relationship with Christ, please email pastorkris@tablelifechurch.org or call

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ALIVE

"Part II. Disappointment"

Pastor Kris Beckert

What doors do you walk through on a daily basis?

I. The 2nd Story of Resurrection in the Bible: _____ and the Shunammite _____

- Elisha was mentored by the prophet Elijah and takes over the ministry when Elijah goes to heaven
- The Shunammite woman is _____
- She builds a _____ for Elisha to stay in when he comes through the area

2 Kings 4:11-13 One day when Elisha came, he went up to his room and lay down there. ¹² He said to his servant Gehazi, "Call the Shunammite." So he called her, and she stood before him. ¹³ Elisha said to him, "Tell her, 'You have gone to all this trouble for us. Now what can be done for you? Can we speak on your behalf to the king or the commander of the army?'" She replied, "I have a home among my own people."

- In other words, she's saying "My family takes care of me. I don't need anything."
- But Elisha is persistent and knows she does have a need

2 Kings 4:14-15 "What can be done for her?" Elisha asked. Gehazi said, "She has no son, and her husband is old."

¹⁵ Then Elisha said, "Call her." So he called her, and she stood in the doorway.

II. Opening the Door to Hope Again:

1. Take the _____ and build the _____

2 Kings 4:16-17 "About this time next year," Elisha said, "you will hold a son in your arms." "No, my lord!" she objected. "Please, man of God, don't mislead your servant!" ¹⁷ But the woman became pregnant, and the next year about that same time she gave birth to a son, just as Elisha had told her.

- At the beginning of 1 Kings 4, there was no _____
- The woman's first act of obedience led the way to God's act of a miracle

2. Shut the _____ on death

- However, a time later, the woman's son dies suddenly

2 Kings 4:21-25 She went up and laid him on the bed of the man of God, then shut the door and went out. ²² She called her husband and said, "Please send me one of the servants and a donkey so I can go to the man of God quickly and return." ²³ "Why go to him today?" he asked. "It's not the New Moon or the Sabbath." "It's all right," she said. ²⁴ She saddled the donkey and said to her servant, "Lead on; don't slow down for me unless I tell you." ²⁵ So she set out and came to the man of God at Mount Carmel.

- She shut the door to conceal the boy's death and prevent funeral arrangements from being made
- She rushes to see _____

2 Kings 4:28 "Did I ask you for a son, my lord?" she said. "Didn't I tell you, 'Don't raise my hopes'?"

2 Kings 4:32-35 When Elisha reached the house, there was the boy lying dead on his couch. ³³ He went in, shut the door on the two of them and prayed to the Lord. ³⁴ Then he got on the bed and lay on the boy, mouth to mouth, eyes to eyes, hands to hands. As he stretched himself out on him, the boy's body grew warm. ³⁵ Elisha turned away and walked back and forth in the room and then got on the bed and stretched out on him once more. The boy sneezed seven times and opened his eyes.

3. Open the _____ and go out

2 Kings 4:36-37 Elisha summoned Gehazi and said, "Call the Shunammite." And he did. When she came, he said, "Take your son." ³⁷ She came in, fell at his feet and bowed to the ground. Then she took her son and went out.

- "Go out" = "yatza" = also signifies a new freedom and state of relationship with God

Hebrews 11:35 Women received back their dead, raised to life again.

Big Idea:
