

Power in the Delay

Quest Book:
Chapter 21

Mark 5:21-43

A. Jesus Worked Beyond Expectation.

1. Jairus expected his daughter to live.

“When Jesus had again crossed over by boat to the other side of the lake, a large crowd gathered around Him while He was by the lake. Then one of the synagogue leaders, named Jairus, came, and when he saw Jesus, he fell at His feet. He pleaded earnestly with Him, my little daughter is dying. Please come and put your hands on her so that she will be healed and live.’ So Jesus went with him.”

Mark 5:21-24a (NIV)

2. Jairus learned that his daughter was dead.

“While Jesus was still speaking, some people came from the house of Jairus, the synagogue leader. ‘Your daughter is dead,’ they said. ‘Why bother the teacher anymore?’ Overhearing what they said, Jesus told them, ‘Don’t be afraid; just believe.’ He did not let anyone follow Him except Peter, James, and John the brother of James.”

Mark 5:35-37 (NIV)

3. Jairus’ daughter was only sleeping.

“When they came to the home of the synagogue leader, Jesus saw a commotion, with people crying and wailing loudly. He went in and said to them, ‘Why all this commotion and wailing? The child is not dead but asleep.’ But they laughed at Him. After He put them all out, He took the child’s father and mother and the disciples who were with Him, and went in where the child was. He took her by

the hand and said to her, ‘Talitha Koum!’ (which means ‘Little girl, I say to you, get up!’) Immediately the girl stood up and began to walk around (she was twelve years old). At this they were completely astonished. He gave strict orders not to let anyone know about this, and told them to give her something to eat.” Mark 5:38-43 (NIV)

B. Jesus Worked in the Interruption.

1. The desperate posture led her to Jesus.

“A large crowd followed and pressed around Him. And a woman was there who had been subject to bleeding for twelve years. She had suffered a great deal under the care of many doctors and had spent all she had, yet instead of getting better she grew worse.” Mark 5:24b-26 (NIV)

2. The expectancy posture healed her.

“When she heard about Jesus, she came up behind Him in the crowd and touched His cloak, because she thought, ‘If I touch His clothes, I will be healed.’ Immediately her bleeding stopped and she felt in her body that she was freed from her suffering.” Mark 5:27-29 (NIV)

3. Jesus expected a confession with her faith.

“At once Jesus realized that power had gone out from Him. He turned around in the crowd and asked, ‘Who touched My clothes?’ ‘You see the people crowding against You,’ His disciples answered, ‘and yet You can ask, ‘Who touched Me?’ But Jesus kept looking around to see who had done it. Then the woman, knowing what had happened to her, came and fell at His feet and, trembling with fear, told Him the whole truth. He said to her, ‘Daughter, your faith has healed you. Go in peace and be freed from your suffering.’” Mark 5:30-34 (NIV)

C. Jesus to the Power of Twelve.

1. Twelve signifies the power of completion.

“It had a great, high wall with twelve gates, and with twelve angels at the gates. On the gates were written the names of the twelve tribes of Israel. There were three gates on the east, three on the north, three on the south, and three on the west. The wall of the city had twelve foundations, and on them were the names of the twelve apostles of the lamb.”

Revelation 21:12-14 (NIV)

2. Twelve signifies God’s faithfulness to bring His people through seasons of trial.

“So Joshua called together the twelve men he had appointed from the Israelites, one from each tribe, and said to them, ‘Go over before the ark of the Lord your God into the middle of the Jordan. Each of you is to take up a stone on his shoulder, according to the number of the tribes of the Israelites, to serve as a sign among you.”

Joshua 4:4-6a (NIV)

3. Twelve signifies the victory of God’s people over evil.

“Then I heard a loud voice in heaven say: ‘Now have come the salvation and the power and the kingdom of our God, and the authority of His Messiah. For the accuser of our brothers and sisters, who accuses them before our God day and night, has been hurled down. They triumphed over him by the blood of the lamb and the word of their testimony.’”

Revelation 12:10-11a (NIV)

Bottom Line:

Jesus is the completion of God’s promises.

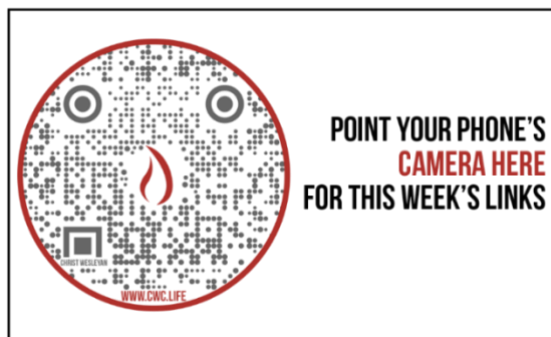
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Text: “Jesus” to 570-273-0088

Next Sunday:
Miraculous
The Signs and Wonders of Jesus Christ

Week 9: The Ultimate Wonder
Quest Book: Chapter 22

Milton Campus: Pastor Branden Mestach
Sunbury Campus: Pastor Billy Robel



Giving & Attendance Update

Giving last Sunday: 74.8%

Giving year to date: 88% of goal

Attendance Last Weekend: 1,667

Salvations to date: 74 | Baptisms to date: 51

“Reach the One” Campaign Update

158 – Pledges with 397 Total Participants

\$2,119,095.73 -Donations Anticipated by Nov. 2027

\$1,204,549.57 -Received Donations – 30% of \$4M Goal

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Upcoming Happenings:

Today, September 7th – Welcome Party! Well Fit Gym
(After second service)

Saturday, September 13th – Men’s and Women’s Breakfast
and Shoot. LoveHill Farm at 8:00am.

Sunday, September 14th – Born to Be Brave (Father/Son)
Event 6:30-8:30p

Wednesday, September 17th – Worship Onboarding @ 6p

*Pick up the latest copy of “CWC Now The Magazine” in
the foyer today for more information about all the
happenings here at CWC.*

Notetakers are History Makers

Looking for your next step at CWC?

Welcome Party – 1st Sunday of Every Month

- If you are new or if you’ve been around a bit and are looking to build friendships with others, our Welcome Party is for you! **Get to know others** who are newer at CWC as well as our welcome team and our pastors in a relational environment. There will be light refreshments and the opportunity to hear about our small groups, baptism, and your next step of Growth Track. If you’re asking the question, “*How can I make friends here,*” then this is for you! No registration is required, you can just show up. Look for the signs on the first Sunday of the month.

Growth Track – 3-week class on Sunday Mornings or Wednesday Nights

- Growth Track exists to help you learn about the vision of CWC, the gifts God has given you, and how you can use them in specific opportunities to serve at CWC. You’ll learn amongst others of how to become a vital part of the ministries of the church so that we can share the light of Christ with our communities. If you miss a class, don’t worry! Growth Track runs every month and we even have an online option you can participate in (though we recommend in-person if you can). You can see what classes are available by going to bit.ly/cwcgrowthtrack.

Membership Class – Once a quarter on Sundays after 2nd service

- Membership class is the last step of fully assimilating at CWC. Learn about our denomination, The Wesleyan Church and the bigger movement we are a part of across the world. This 3-hour class with the lead pastor provides you a place to **ask important questions about our beliefs as a church** and allows you to become eligible for our local board of administration. You also become eligible for denominational events like our district and general conferences. To sign up for our next class, let us know at the Hub or email: loretta.paulhamus@cwc.life