# August 24, 2025; 10:30 AM – 12:00 PM The Gospel To Rome "Commissioned To Proclaim"

### Today's Message:

"For if I preach the gospel, that gives me no ground for boasting. For necessity is laid upon me. Woe to me if I do not preach the gospel!"

1 Corinthians 9:16

The core of the Gospel is faith. Faith in Christ Jesus as the Son of God and Son of Man, who made full intercession for us before His Father. As Isaiah saw the glory of the Lord of hosts, he was instantly convicted of his sinful state. We, too, must realize that we are woeful sinners in need of a Savior. Jesus is just that Savior, sinless and full of righteousness. He is able to save all who trust wholly in Him and call upon His name for forgiveness and mercy. We therefore, like Paul, will come to realize that it is the good news of the resurrection of Jesus and His victory over sin and the grave, that we, too, can be like those in Rome – with a faith anchored in Christ and demonstrated by our witness to the world. Let us encourage one another to tell the story of redemption through the blood of Christ.

### **Order of Service:**

**Welcome & Opening Prayer** 

**Opening Old Testament Scripture:** Isaiah 6:1-13 (ESV)

Praise In Song With Praise Team: "I See The Lord"

"We Give You Glory"
"Your Grace Is Enough"

Prayers: Special Prayers & Specific Requests & Testimonies

Offering: At entrance in the foyer, via mail or online (go to Giving in the

Connect menu on our web site).

Presentation: Kathy Fritzell on Joni & Friends Family Camp - Thank You!

**Announcements:** (next column)

Praise In Song: Hymn# 144 - "Blessed Assurance"

Today's New Testament Scripture: Romans 1:8-17 (ESV)

**Closing Prayer** 

#### Announcements and Calendar Events (also see our web site calendar).

**Today - Church Fellowship Cookout:** Please stay for social time and lunch after worship; everyone is welcome, including your family and friends. The church will provide grill items, beverages & salad; while additional items or desserts folks can bring are always very much appreciated.

Men's Bible Study, 2nd & 4th Tuesdays, 7:00 PM, August 26th: Zoom Bible Study – J.I. Packer's "Knowing God", Pastor Mac will send an email with a link. pastor@baycommunity.org

Praise Team Practice, Wednesdays, 7 PM, August 27th, September 3rd, 10th, 17th & 24th: For those who may be interested in joining the Praise Team, please come join us!

Prayer Conference Call, Thursdays, 7 PM, August 28th, September 4th, 11th, 18th & 25th: Prayer is the first work for Christians and the Church and God's house shall be a house of prayer! Join us as we unite in prayer to see God at work. You can join via telephone conference call: Call 774-220-4000, enter the ID code 02532 to join the Mobile Prayer Meeting.

Ladies Devotional Zoom Meeting, 1st & 3rd Tuesdays, 7 PM; September 2nd & 16th: Zoom Bible Study - "Bad Girls of the Bible", Moe Smith will send an email with a link. <a href="moe@baycommunity.org">moe@baycommunity.org</a>

Men's Breakfast, 1st Saturday of the Month, September 6th, 7:30 AM: Join Pastor Mac Smith and the men of Bay Community for some fellowship time, as we chat, connect and discuss the Bible how it is a part of our lives, and try to make it a bigger part of our lives.

**NEAR 2025 Women's Conference, September 26th & 27th:** NEAR is a sacred gathering for women who desire a deeper, more intimate walk with God. Through worship, teaching, and prayer, you will draw near to Him and experience the richness of His presence. Held at the Cape Cod Bible Alliance Church in Brewster; 26th 7:30 PM - 9 PM, 27th - 9 AM - 3 PM. See our web site calendar for registration info.

#### TO OUR GUESTS

We are glad to have you worship with us as we praise Jesus Christ the Lord in song, prayer, testimony, and the study of His Word. Please fill out a guest card if this is your first time here and let us know how we can best help you to grow in the Lord so that we can serve Him together. Nursery care is available, let us know your needs. Children's Church is available downstairs for children in grades kindergarten through 4th grade after the Announcements & Hymn. Lots of additional information is available on our web site, including prayer requests. Also, if your address or contact information changes, please let us know.

#### WHO WE ARE

Bay Community is an Upper Cape Cod church, reaching individuals to help each one discover that knowing and worshiping God is the true meaning and purpose in life, and this can only be done through a personal relationship with Jesus Christ and the filling of the Holy Spirit. We meet for celebration in worship as a community and in gatherings throughout the week.

Our Motto: "Connecting people with God to advance the Kingdom of God"

*Our Vision:* Bay Community's vision is to help people become all that God wants them to be by connecting them with God.

*Our Mission:* We strive to be a welcoming congregation; celebrating the love of God through small group gatherings; leading people to a personal relationship with Jesus Christ; teaching them to live lives of integrity, to become a benefit to their community and the world.

As a member of The Christian and Missionary Alliance, we believe that Jesus is our Savior, Sanctifier, Healer and Coming King; see the C&MA statement of faith. We are a member of the New England District of the C&MA, along with approximately 50 other churches throughout the region. We share a common purpose to see people throughout New England come to a saving knowledge of Jesus Christ as their Lord and Savior. To find other Alliance churches, go to: <a href="https://www.cmalliance.org">www.cmalliance.org</a> & "Find A Church".

If you have a need - physical or spiritual, our Church Leaders are ready to assist you as much as possible. In addition to Pastor Mac, you may call **Bay Cares** (our service committee assisting others) through Jackie Swanson at 508-295-3019.

## Bay Community Alliance Church



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