

TODAY'S DATE APRIL 13, 2025

SERVICE TIMES 9 & 10:30 AM

NURSERY (BIRTH-4) | KIDS (K-6) & YOUTH (6-12) Opens at 10:15 AM Dismissed after worship



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PALM SUNDAY

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TODAY'S SPEAKER

SCOTT WILLIAMS LEAD PASTOR

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Luke 19:35-36 "They brought it to Jesus, threw their cloaks on the colt and put Jesus on it. As he went along, people spread their cloaks on the road."

Before a season of _____ there's almost always a season of

When God _____ one thing it's because He's positioning you to receive a _____ thing

CLOAK: HIMATION - an ____ clothing, robe, _____



1 TAKE OFF YOUR CLOAK OF

Luke 9:2-3

We don't pursue	
we pursue	

Change ______where your comfort zone _____

Replace the cloak of _____ with a cloak of



2 TAKE OFF YOUR CLOAK OF

Matthew 23:5-6; Ephesians 2:3-5; I Peter 5:5

When you live by the _____ of men, you will die by their _____

My success is not dependent upon my to achieve

Your success has already been determined because of what Jesus did on the cross

Take of the cloak of _____ and replace it with a cloak of _____

God is not impressed by your _____, He is attracted to your _____

3 TAKE OFF YOUR CLOAK OF

Mark 10:49-50; Isaiah 61:3

You can't look _____ while trying to move _____

Until you let go of what _____, you will never take hold of what .

Replace the cloak of _____ with a cloak of _____

- What is your favorite coat, jacket or outer garment? What about it makes it your favorite?
- 2 Sometime we hang onto things in our life that hinder us from moving forward. For example some hang onto bitterness, unhealthy relationships or even toxic friendships. How can hanging on to those negative things hinder us from what God has for us?
- B How can the cloak of comfort keep us from allowing Jesus to step into our situations in life? Does God call us to a life of comfort? If no, what kind of life has He called us to?
- 4 Why do we find it so difficult to step out of our comfort zone?
- 5 The cloak of recognition is the next cloak that can keep us from moving forward. How does the desire to be recognized hinder us in our walk with Christ?
- 6 Read Matthew 25:5. What was the motive of the Pharisees?
- You have already achieved ultimate success when you accept Jesus. Explain how that is true?
- B The cloak of yesterday keeps us from moving into tomorrow's victories. How can living in the past keep you stunted in your spiritual walk?
- Dook at what Christ wants to bestow on you. Does this sound like a fair trade? Isaiah 61:3 "to bestow on them a crown of beauty instead of ashes, the oil of joy instead of mourning, and a garment of praise instead of a spirit of despair."

EVENT CALENDAR

THE LATEST



PRAYER NIGHT 7:00 PM - 8:00 PM ▼ Freedom Church Sanctuary

MEN'S BIBLE STUDY 8:00 AM - 9:00 AM ▼ Freedom Church Café

PRIMETIMERS LUNCH (55+) 11:30 AM ▼ Olive Garden in Folsom



GOOD FRIDAY SERVICE 6:00 PM Come for a time of worship and reflection



EASTER SUNDAY

9:00 & 10:30 AM Services Be sure you pick up some invites this Easter!



GRANDPARENTS UNITED

10:00 AM in Freedom Church Café 6 week class - see Marilyn Halk for info



🛆 BAPTISM SUNDAY During the 10:30 AM Service

Contact Pastor Scott to sian-up



MEN'S CONFERENCE

\$60 Super Early Bird Tickets (limited) Sign up in the lobby

ANNOUNCEMENTS

EASTER AT FREEDOM CHURCH

April 20 at 9 & 10:30 AM

We'd love for you to join us for a special Easter celebration! Invite cards are available, so be sure to grab a few and invite friends and family to experience the joy of Easter with us! Egg Stuffing - April 15 at 1:00 PM

If you have some small, wrapped candy and/ or toys that can fit inside Easter eggs we are accepting donations until Tuesday morning! Then, if you're available to help stuff eggs, join us Tuesday at 1 PM. Thank you for your support!

LADIES' TEA

Saturday, May 3 at 11 AM

Spring is here and that means our annual Ladies' Tea is right around the corner! You are invited to join us on Saturday, May 3rd at 11 AM.

Come hear amazing testimonies and enjoy a traditional English tea lunch. Tickets are on sale for \$20 per person or \$100 for a table of six. Kids 10 and under are free. This event is one you do not want to miss!

