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3. Find the Gospel intersection







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"You aren't using your full strength, because you haven't asked me to help."

- Ojibwe folk tale







# Share each other's burdens, and in this way obey the law of Christ.

- Galatians 6:2







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We do not want you to be uninformed, brothers and sisters, about the troubles we experienced in the province of Asia.

- 2 Corinthians 1:8a



# We were under great pressure, far beyond our ability to endure, so that we despaired of life itself.

- 2 Corinthians 1:8b





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The Lord is my rock, my fortress, and my saviour;
my God is my rock, in whom I find protection.
He is my shield, the power that saves me, and my place of safety.

- Psalm 18:2





The righteous person faces many troubles, but the Lord comes to the rescue each time.

- Psalm 34:19



Yet I am confident I will see the Lord's goodness while I am here in the land of the living.

Wait patiently for the Lord.

Be brave and courageous.

Yes, wait patiently for the Lord.

- Psalm 27:13-14



The Lord rescues the godly; he is their fortress in times of trouble.

The Lord helps them, rescuing them from the wicked. He saves them, and they find shelter in him.

- Psalm 37:39-40



Give your burdens to the Lord, and he will take care of you. He will not permit the godly to slip and fall.

- Psalm 55:22





But when I am afraid, I will put my trust in you.

I praise God for what he has promised.

I trust in God, so why should I be afraid?

What can mere mortals do to me?

- Psalm 56:3-4



I look up to the mountains does my help come from there?

My help comes from the Lord, who made heaven and earth!

- Psalm 121:1-2















- Prayer meetings—Parents Room, Sundays 9:30am





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  - Prayer space after the service





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  - Prayer space after the service
    - Praying for each other







#### What stones are you trying to move?



#### Humble yourself before God's mighty power





#### Ask God for His help







O what peace we often forfeit,

O what needless pain we bear,

all because we do not carry

everything to God in prayer!



Have we trials and temptations?

Is there trouble anywhere?

We should never be discouraged;

take it to the Lord in prayer!



