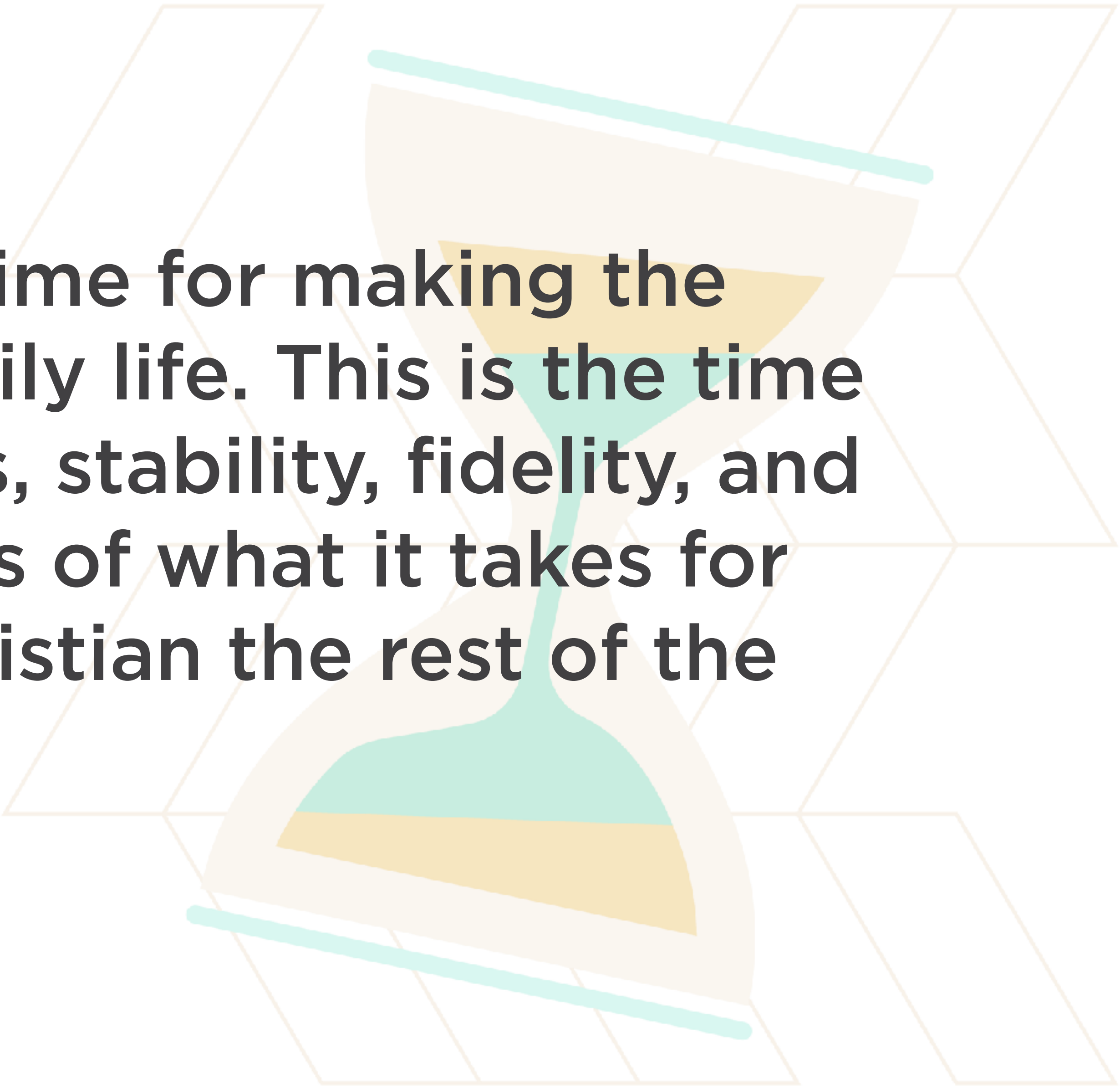


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# (Un)Ordinary Time



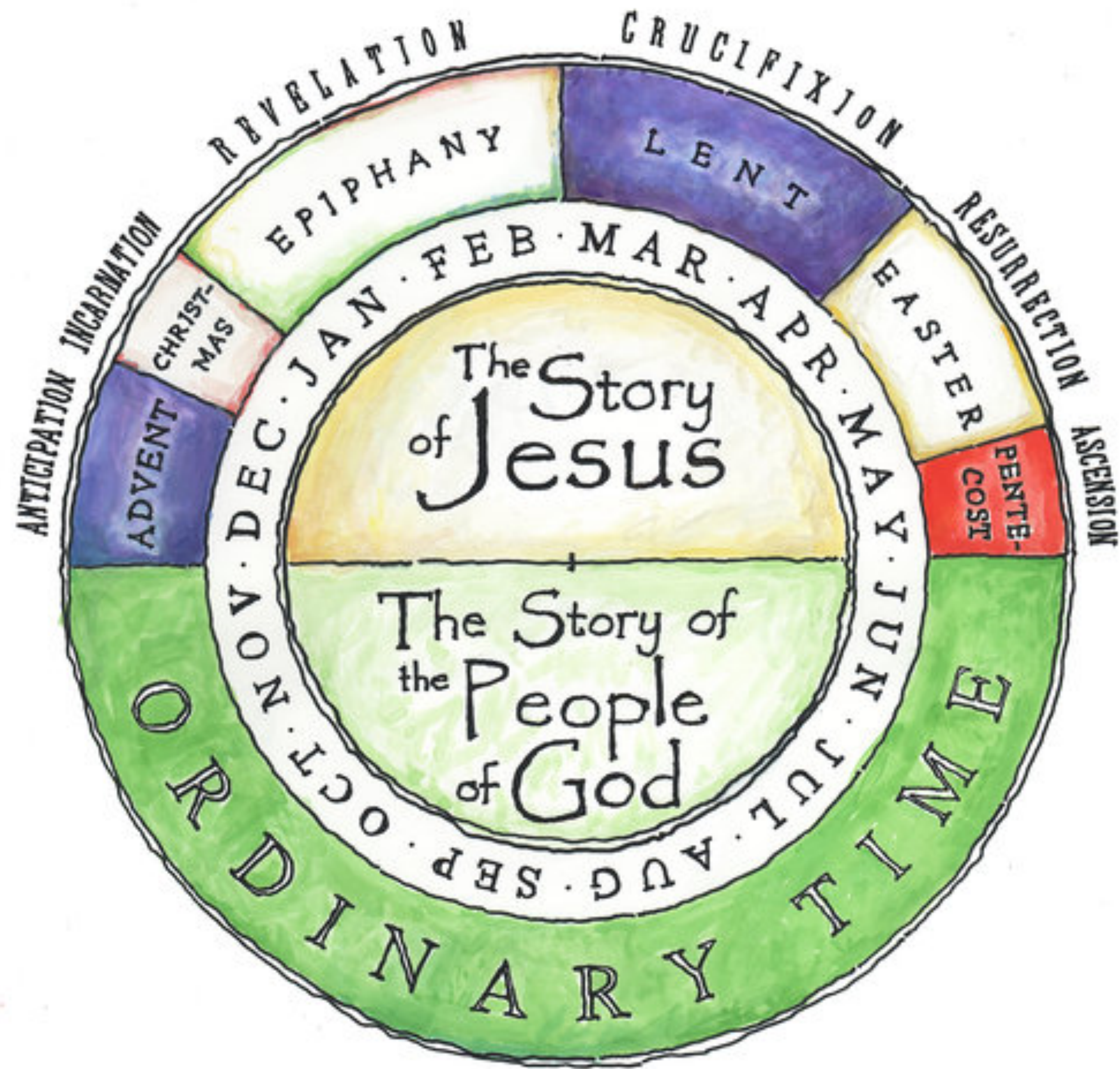


**Ordinary Time is a time for making the faith the force of daily life. This is the time that makes dailiness, stability, fidelity, and constancy the marks of what it takes for Christians to be Christian the rest of the year.**

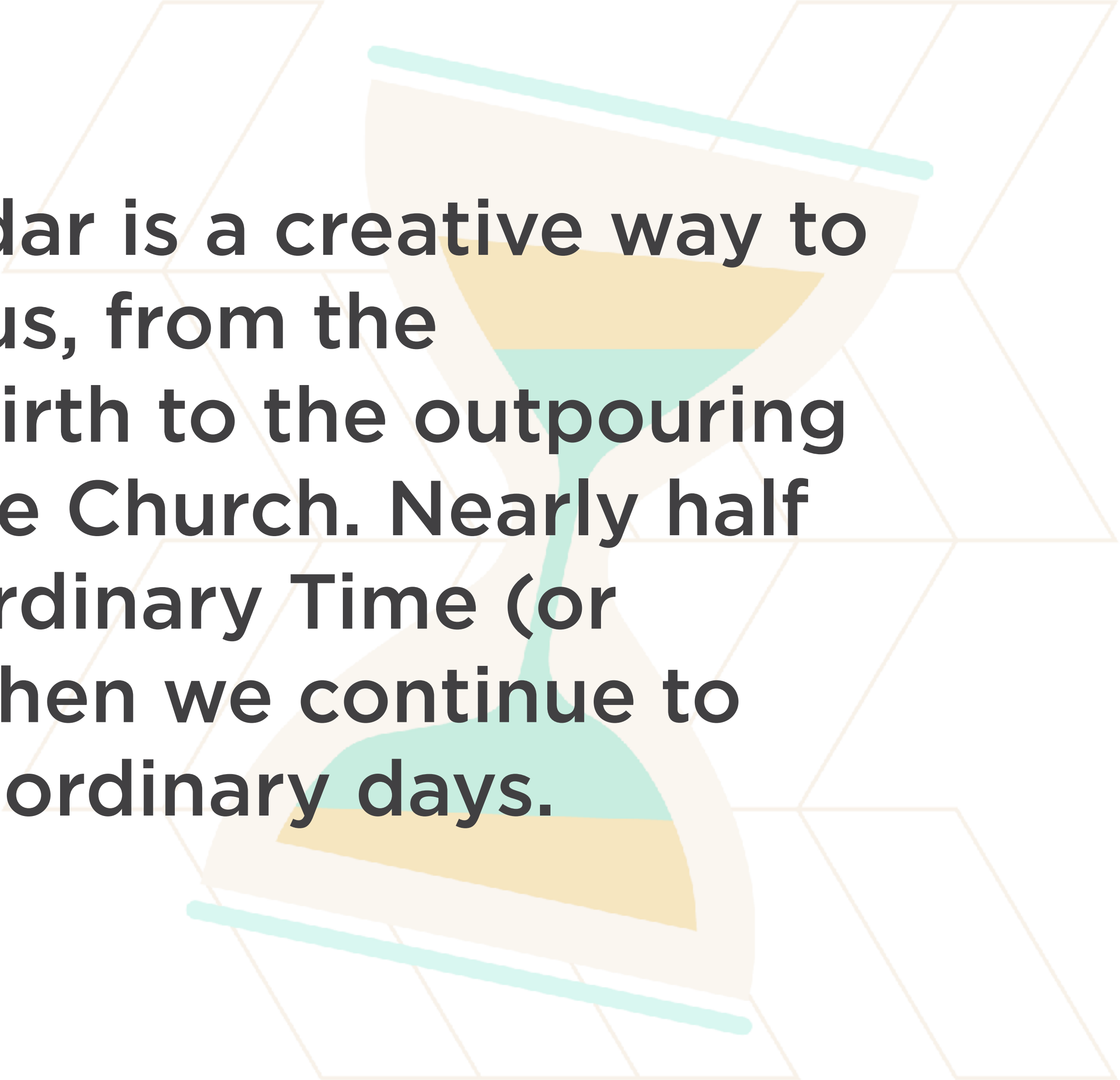
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# **Matthew 9:35-10:8**









**The Christian calendar is a creative way to tell the story of Jesus, from the anticipation of his birth to the outpouring of his Spirit upon the Church. Nearly half of the calendar is Ordinary Time (or “Kingdom Time”) when we continue to follow Jesus during ordinary days.**

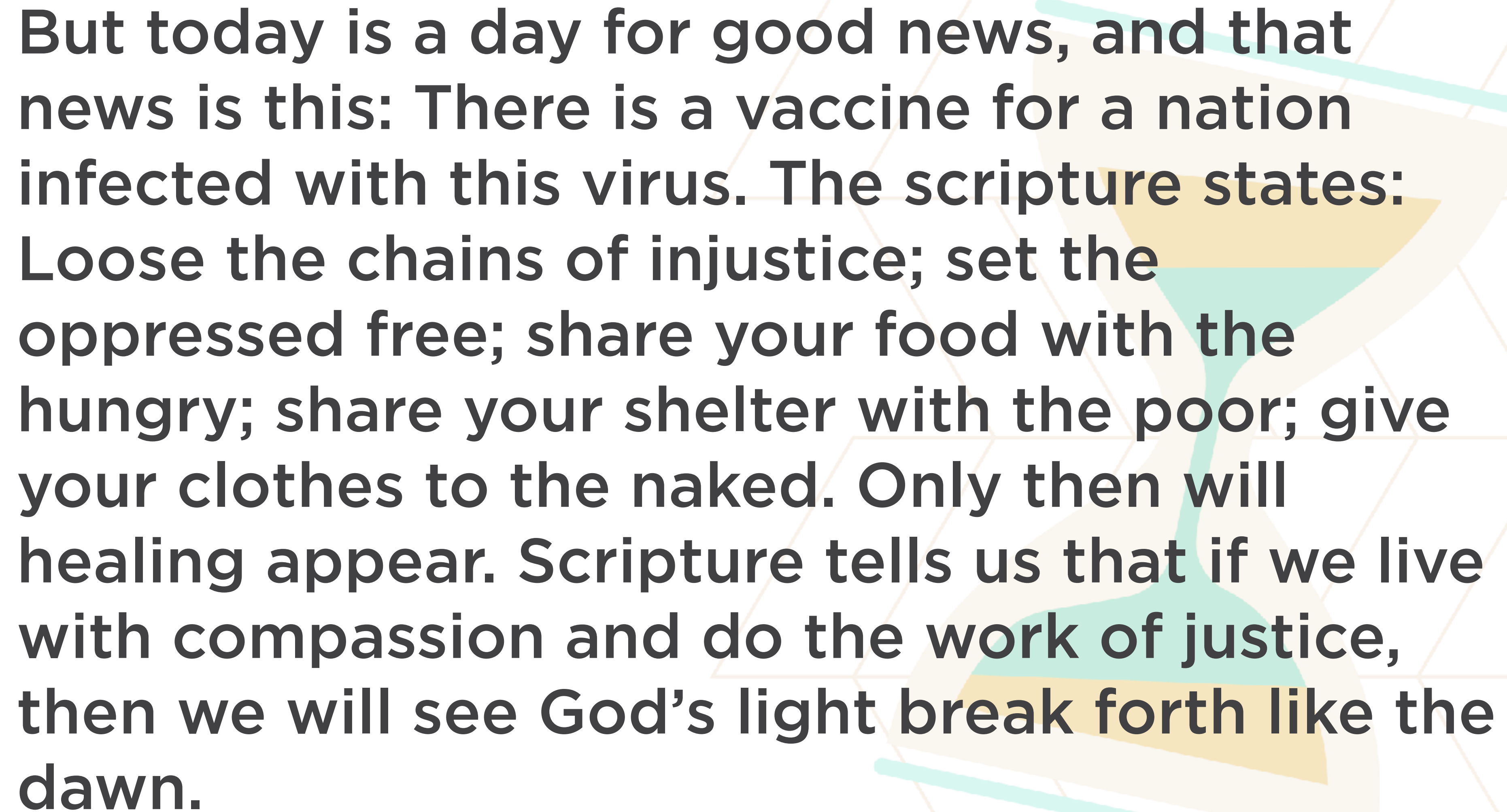
**Matthew 9:35**

**Matthew 4:23**









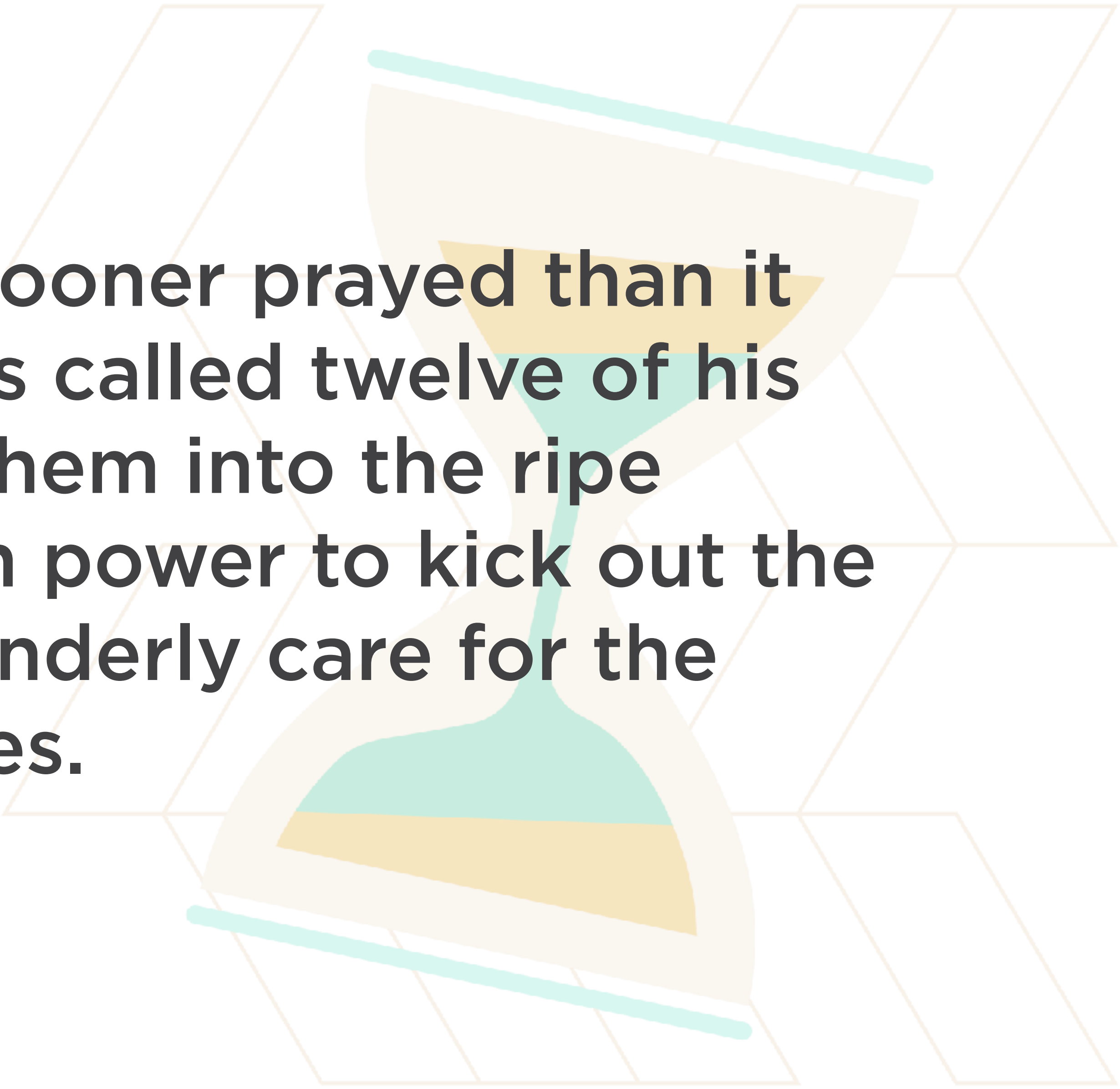
**But today is a day for good news, and that news is this: There is a vaccine for a nation infected with this virus. The scripture states: Loose the chains of injustice; set the oppressed free; share your food with the hungry; share your shelter with the poor; give your clothes to the naked. Only then will healing appear. Scripture tells us that if we live with compassion and do the work of justice, then we will see God's light break forth like the dawn.**

**Otis Moss III**

# Matthew 9:36-38



**Matthew 10:1**



**The prayer was no sooner prayed than it was answered. Jesus called twelve of his followers and sent them into the ripe fields. He gave them power to kick out the evil spirits and to tenderly care for the bruised and hurt lives.**

**Matthew 10:1 [MSG]**



# Matthew 10:7-8



