

SERMON NOTES | Mark 5:1-20

5 They came to the other side of the sea, to the country of the Gerasenes.² And when Jesus had stepped out of the boat, immediately there met him out of the tombs a man with an unclean spirit.³ He lived among the tombs. And no one could bind him anymore, not even with a chain,⁴ for he had often been bound with shackles and chains, but he wrenched the chains apart, and he broke the shackles in pieces. No one had the strength to subdue him.⁵ Night and day among the tombs and on the mountains he was always crying out and cutting himself with stones.⁶ And when he saw Jesus from afar, he ran and fell down before him.⁷ And crying out with a loud voice, he said, "What have you to do with me, Jesus, Son of the Most High God? I adjure you by God, do not torment me."⁸ For he was saying to him, "Come out of the man, you unclean spirit!"⁹ And Jesus asked him, "What is your name?" He replied, "My name is Legion, for we are many."¹⁰ And he begged him earnestly not to send them out of the country.¹¹ Now a great herd of pigs was feeding there on the hillside,¹² and they begged him, saying, "Send us to the pigs; let us enter them."¹³ So he gave them permission. And the unclean spirits came out and entered the pigs; and the herd, numbering about two thousand, rushed down the steep bank into the sea and drowned in the sea.

¹⁴ The herdsmen fled and told it in the city and in the country. And people came to see what it was that had happened.¹⁵ And they came to Jesus and saw the demon-possessed man, the one who had had the legion, sitting there, clothed and in his right mind, and they were afraid.¹⁶ And those who had seen it described to them what had happened to the demon-possessed man and to the pigs.¹⁷ And they began to beg Jesus^[d] to depart from their region.¹⁸ As he was getting into the boat, the man who had been possessed with demons begged him that he might be with him.¹⁹ And he did not permit him but said to him, "Go home to your friends and tell them how much the Lord has done for you, and how he has had mercy on you."²⁰ And he went away and began to proclaim in the Decapolis how much Jesus had done for him, and everyone marveled.



August 2, 2026

WELCOME

Join Us!

Sunday Morning
1st Service: 8:30 am
Sunday School: 9:45 am
2nd Service: 10:45 am



Welcome to SHORE CHURCH

May you know the presence of God and the love of His people here.

GUESTS:

Please fill out a connect card from the pew pocket and place it in the offering box located behind the sanctuary.

NEXT STEPS:

Talk to a Pastor or Elder wearing a blue lanyard for next steps to grow and serve.

PRAYER REQUESTS:

Please fill out a prayer card from the pew pocket and place it in the designated Prayer Requests holders on the side aisles.

SUNDAY SCHOOL:

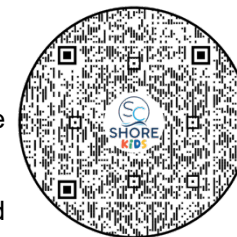
Connect with a small group in Sunday School. Classes are available for all ages. Sunday school meets at 9:45 a.m. each Sunday between the two services.



All Kids Ministries are on the lower level.

KIDS CHECK-IN:

All kids from newborn to 5th grade need to be checked in through the Kid's Kiosk in the lower level. Scan the QR code for check in instructions. Name tags need to be picked up at the Kiosk.



NURSERY: Age 0-2 years

Today: 1st Gary/Nona **SS:** Vicki/Shantel 2nd Kim Mast/Jenna
8:9: 1st TBA **SS:** TBA 2nd TBA

SHORE TOTS: 2 years-PreK

Today: 1st Kylie/Kellie S 2nd Brittany/Christi
8-9: 1st Marilyn/Emily R 2nd Sue/Ciera

KID'S CHURCH: K-Grade 5

Today: 1st Mauck's 2nd Ryan/Dora
8/9: 1st Doris/Wanda 2nd Bev/Fred

CONTACT US:

Lead Pastor: Nic Raber
Youth/Young Adult Pastor: Lance Miller
Worship Ministry Directory: Kara Short
Administrative Assistant: Kim Mishler
shoresaints@gmail.com
Shorechurch-in.org
260-768-4240

EVENTS

8/4 – Nurture 5pm
8/ 5 – Stewards 5:30
8/11 – Sewing
8/13 – Worship Com. 3:30
8/21 – RYLM Fundraiser
8/23 – Kid's Triathlon
8/30 – Women's Fellowship

PRAYERS & PRAISES

-Amanda Berkey – cancer healing
-Clara Bontrager – healing in leg and transition to new home
-Earl Gilleland – Cancer
- Rod Lantz - cancer
-Tracy Pelton – health concerns
--Freda Richardson – continued healing and physical therapy
-Dan Unternahrer – transitioning to new home
-Cormac Wallace – healing from recent hand surgery
-Those who can't attend church due to health issues.
-Unspoken requests
-Those who are grieving

Sermon Series

Good News

Today's Sermon

Saved from the Shackles