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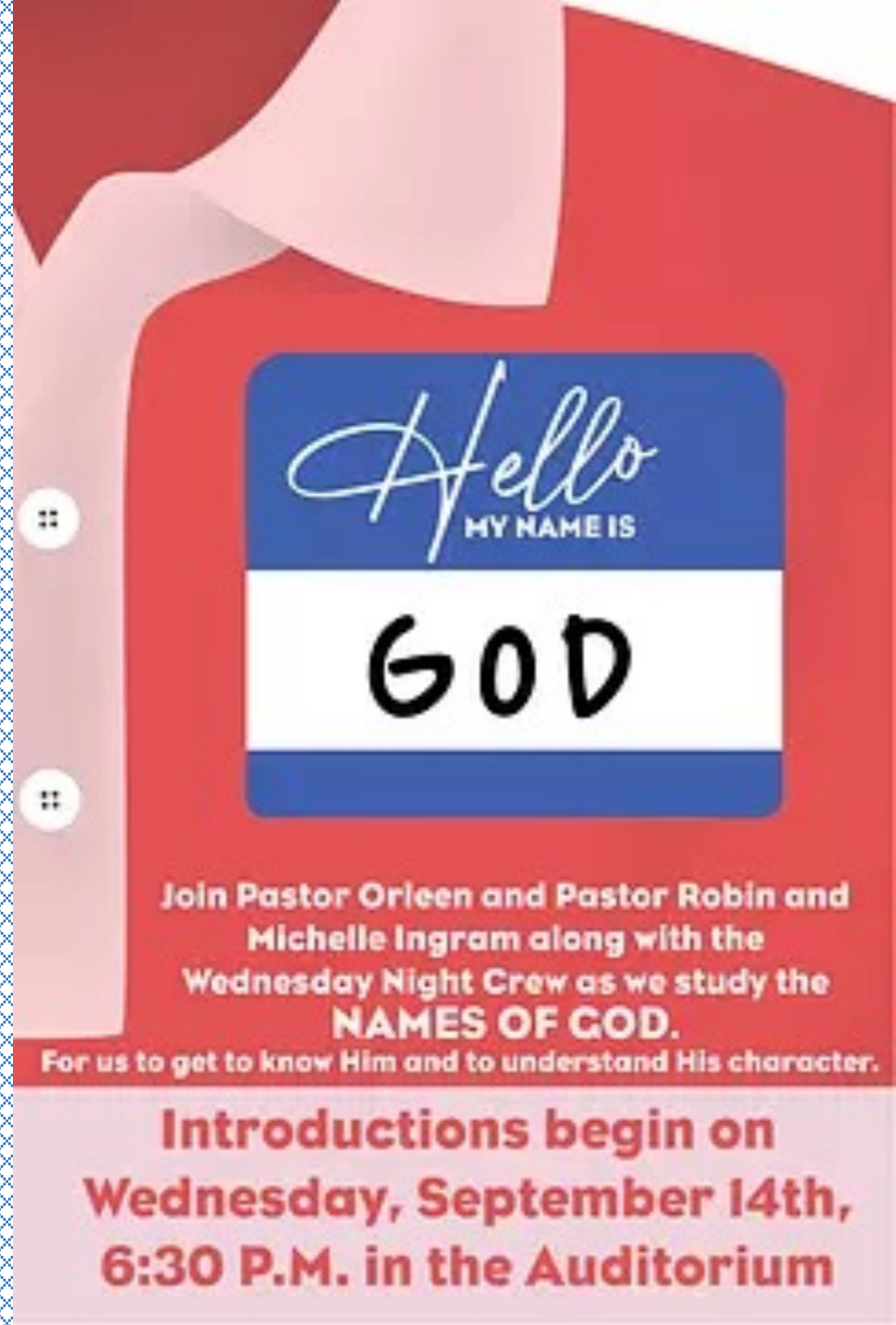
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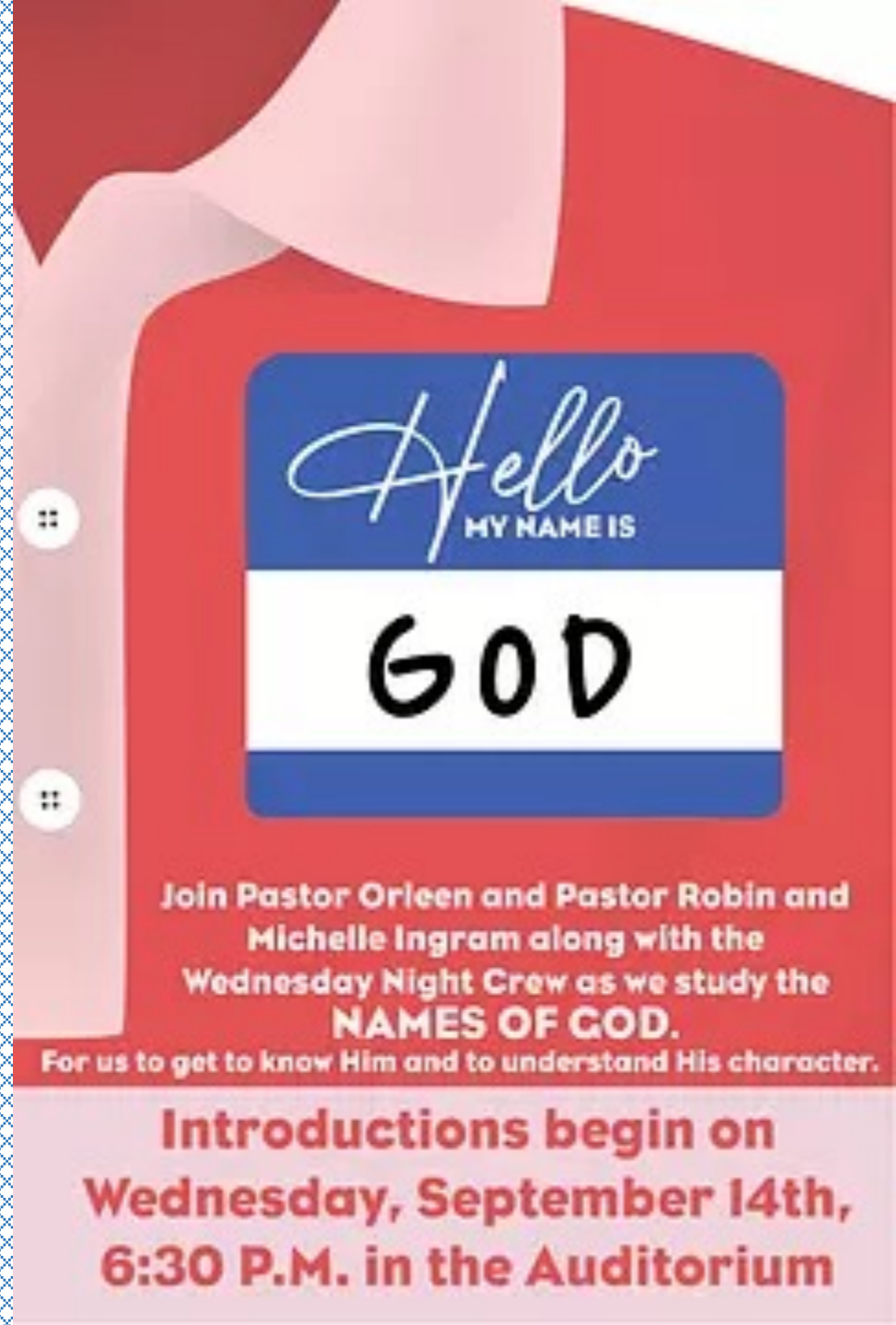
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- **ELOHIM – The Most High God**
 - Creator of All
 - God of Abraham
- **YAHWEH – The Lord**
 - Redeemer
 - Could AND would use His power

- **OT – over 1000's of years**
- **NT – 6 decades**
- **OT – reveals God accurately**
- **NT – reveals God fully**

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**How does God
reveal Himself
more fully in the
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John's association – Father & Son are One

- Begins in the prologue: 1:1 the Logos was in the beginning, was with God, & was God
- The End - 20:28 – Thomas says to Jesus “My Lord and my God”
- 5:18: Jesus – accused of making himself equal with God
- 10:33 – making Himself God
- 1:14 – uniquely from the Father
- 1:18 – He reveals the Father
- 6:46 – Jesus has a special relationship to God, for it is only he who has seen the Father
- 8:19 – To know the Son is to know the Father
- 14:9 – To see the Son is to see the Father

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Matthew
6:9-13

⁹ In this manner, therefore, pray:

Our Father in heaven,
Hallowed be Your name.

¹⁰ Your kingdom come.

Your will be done

On earth as *it is* in heaven.

¹¹ Give us this day our daily bread.

¹² And forgive us our debts,
As we forgive our debtors.

¹³ And do not lead us into temptation,
But deliver us from the evil one.
For Yours is the kingdom and the power
and the glory forever. Amen

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Matthew
6:9-13

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| • The Prayer | The Kingdom Attitude |
| • Our Father... | Affirms a personal relationship with God |
| • In heaven... | Recognizes God as Lord over all |
| • Hallowed be Your name... and real | Honors God as living, powerful, |
| • Your kingdom come... lives | Accepts God's right to rule in our |
| • Your will be done... Submits completely | to God's will now as a guide to life |
| • on earth as it is in heaven... on earth | Recognizes God's involvement in |
| • Give us this day our... our daily | experiences and His supply of our |
| • daily bread... needs | Expresses readiness to live as a |
| • Forgive us our debts as... forgiven | and forgiving people |
| • we also have forgiven* ... | Asks protection from the |
| • Lead us not into... trials always associated | with establishing God's kingdom |
| • temptation, but deliver... on earth. | |
| • us from evil* ... | |

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As Lord,

- the Father forgives (8:22),
- sends angels to rescue the saints (12:7)
- punish the wicked (v. 23),
- opens hearts to receive the gospel (16:14).
- In fact the gospel is itself the “word of the Lord Jesus” (19:10).

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Abba

What does this mean for us who have been adopted by God?

Our Part:

- It means that we owe no allegiance to our old masters (Gal. 3:26–4:7).
- We now owe total allegiance to God the Father,
- all that we have is his.

God's part:

- commits himself to guide us
- discipline us, that we might bring credit to his household.
- He has given us the Holy Spirit to guarantee our release from all that once enslaved us (Gal 4:6–7).
- The Spirit's presence assures us that at the resurrection we will experience fully every benefit belonging to God's heirs (Rom. 8:23)

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Creator

What does this mean for us?

God's part: Colossians 3:10

- NLT - ¹⁰ Put on your new nature, and be renewed as you learn to know your Creator and become like him
- NKJV – and have put on the new *man* who is renewed in knowledge according to the image of Him who created him

Our Response:

- Acknowledge Him as the source of our new life
- reflect His character in our words and deeds.
- when we as believers undergo trials, trust ourselves to God as a faithful Creator, relying completely on His wisdom, knowledge, love, and power.

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God of all Grace

What does this mean for us?

1 Peter 5:10

- “Grace” is one of those terms given unique meaning in Scripture.
- First century, the Greek word used in the New Testament, *charis*,
 - simply meant to show kindness or favor.
 - conveyng gratitude for a favor.
- In the New Testament Epistles, the word’s rather mild approval of a pleasing human quality became a technical theological term to communicate the deep realities that lay at the heart of what God has done for us in Christ.

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And you *He made alive*, who were dead in trespasses and sins,² in which you once walked according to the course of this world, according to the prince of the power of the air, the spirit who now works in the sons of disobedience,³ among whom also we all once conducted ourselves in the lusts of our flesh, fulfilling the desires of the flesh and of the mind, and were by nature children of wrath, just as the others.

⁴ But God, who is rich in mercy, because of His great love with which He loved us,⁵ even when we were dead in trespasses, made us alive together with Christ (by grace you have been saved),⁶ and raised *us* up together, and made *us* sit together in the heavenly *places* in Christ Jesus,⁷ that in the ages to come He might show the exceeding riches of His grace in *His* kindness toward us in Christ Jesus.⁸ For by grace you have been saved through faith, and that not of yourselves; *it is* the gift of God,⁹ not of works, lest anyone should boast.¹⁰ For we are His **workmanship**, created in Christ Jesus for good works, which God prepared beforehand that we should walk in them.

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God of all Comfort

What does this mean for us?

- Comforts us in all our troubles: 2 Corinthians 1:3
Blessed *be* the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of mercies and God of all comfort,
- So that I can comfort others “with the comfort with which we ourselves are comforted by God (v. 4)
- In our distress God comforts us, providing the encouragement we need to live through our most difficult times. Ultimately, it is only God who can bring us through. He is indeed the “God of all comfort.”

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God of Love & Peace

What does this mean for us?

- *eros*, was associated with sexual desire and passion.
- *philia*, was associated with friendship and mutual enjoyment of a relationship.
- *agape*, conveyed fondness.
 - The New Testament adopted this third word and transformed it by using it as the defining term for God's attitude toward human beings as expressed in Jesus Christ.

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Romans
5:6-10

God of Love & Peace

What does this mean for us?

⁶ For when we were still without strength, ⁱn due time Christ died for the ungodly. ⁷ For scarcely for a righteous man will one die; yet perhaps for a good man someone would even dare to die. ⁸ But God demonstrates His own love toward us, in that while we were still sinners, Christ died for us. ⁹ Much more then, having now been justified by His blood, we shall be saved from wrath through Him. ¹⁰ For if when we were enemies we were reconciled to God through the death of His Son, much more, having been reconciled, we shall be saved by His life.

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What does this mean for us?

- The *New International Encyclopedia of Bible Words* notes that “in the Epistles, ‘peace’ is most often that restored wholeness that Jesus brings to our relationship with God and others, although this cannot be separated from the inner sense of well-being that accompanies them” New Testament verses that use this title suggest several aspects of the peace that God provides.
- Release from fear – Romans 16:20
- Fellowship with God – Philippians 4:9
- Inner transformation & wholeness – 1 Thessalonians 5:23; Hebrews 13:20-21

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1 John
1:5-10

God is Light

What does this mean for us?

This is the message which we have heard from Him and declare to you, that **God is light** and in Him is no darkness at all. If we say that we have fellowship with Him, and walk in darkness, we lie and do not practice the truth. But if we walk in the light as He is in the light, we have fellowship with one another, and the blood of Jesus Christ His Son cleanses [literally, “keeps on cleansing”] us from all sins. If we say that we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us. If we confess our sins, He is faithful and just to forgive us our sins and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness. If we say that we have not sinned, we make Him a liar, and His word is not in us.

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God of Love & Peace

What does this mean for us?

- Where there is light, nothing is hidden or misrepresented. In the light, everything is exposed for what it actually is. John thus is saying that to have fellowship with God we must “walk in the light” (v. 7). We must live our life with God with uncompromising honesty.
- It is only by being honest about the true nature of our sinful thoughts and deeds that we open ourselves up to God’s transforming power.

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What does it matter to me?

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