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Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name.

Your kingdom come. Your will be done
on earth as it is in heaven.

Give us each day our daily bread.

Forgive us our sins, as we also
forgive everyone who sins against us.

And lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from the evil one.

For yours is the kingdom and the power
and the glory forever and ever. Amen.

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When Jacob awoke from his sleep, he thought,
“Surely the Lord is in this place, and I was not
aware of it.”

He was afraid and said, “How awesome is this
place! This is none other than the house of God;
this is the gate of heaven.”

Genesis 28:10-19

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One of his disciples said to him, “Lord, teach us to pray....” He said to them, “When you pray, say:...

Luke 11:1-4

Your Father knows what you need before you ask him. “This, then, is how you should pray:

Matthew 6:9-13

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“Our Father”

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But while he was still a long way off, his father saw him and was filled with compassion for him; he ran to his son, threw his arms around him and kissed him.

Luke 15:11-32

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When you pray
say "Father"

God is the kind
of father who...

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He's an abundant
more-than-enough
father who loves
to bless others.

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He defends us
from our
accusers.

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Allows us to
make our
mistakes.
But he's ready &
longing for us to
come running
back home...

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He's merciful, not
punishing us for
our mistakes.

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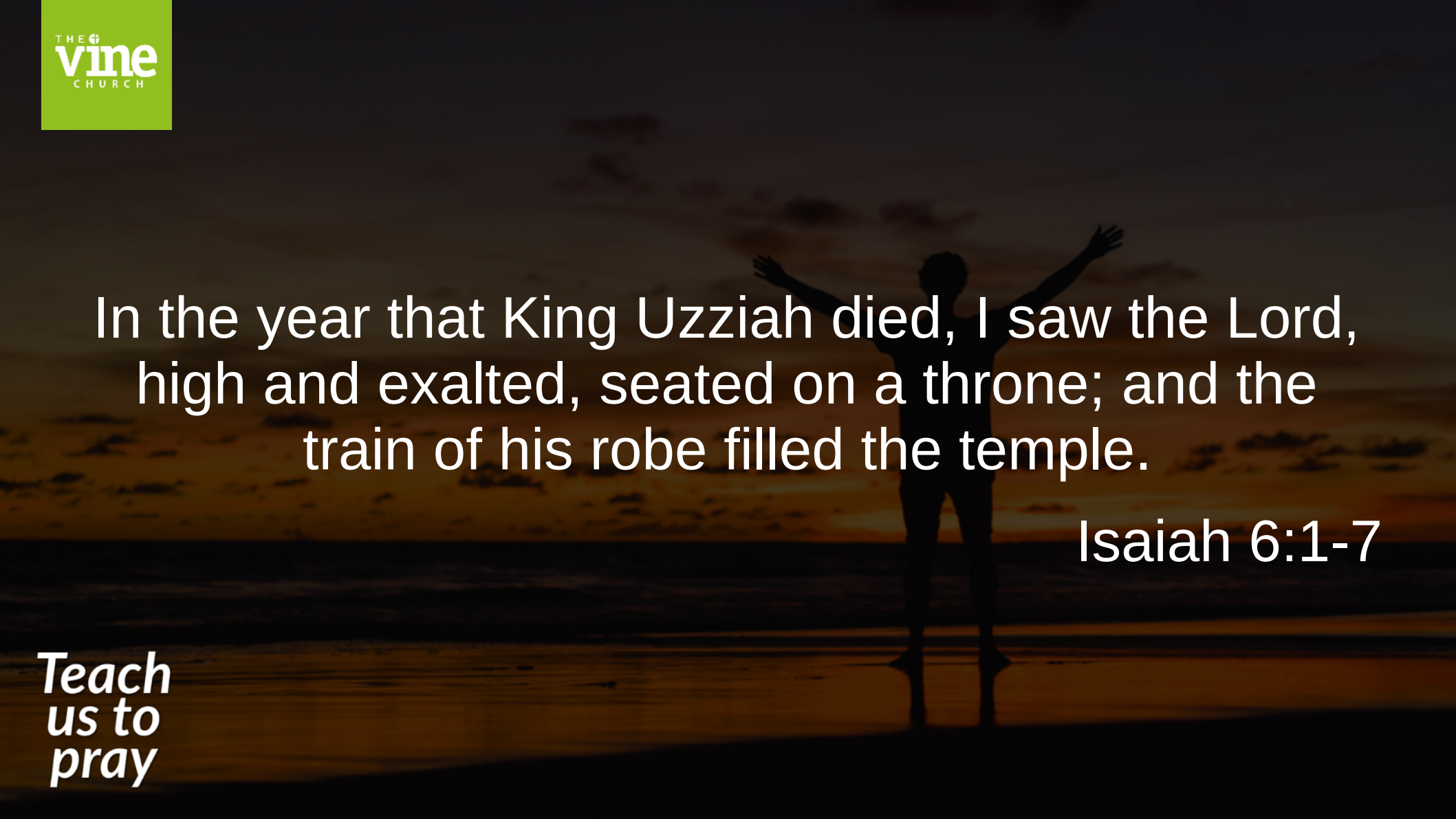
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“Our Father in Heaven”

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In the year that King Uzziah died, I saw the Lord,
high and exalted, seated on a throne; and the
train of his robe filled the temple.

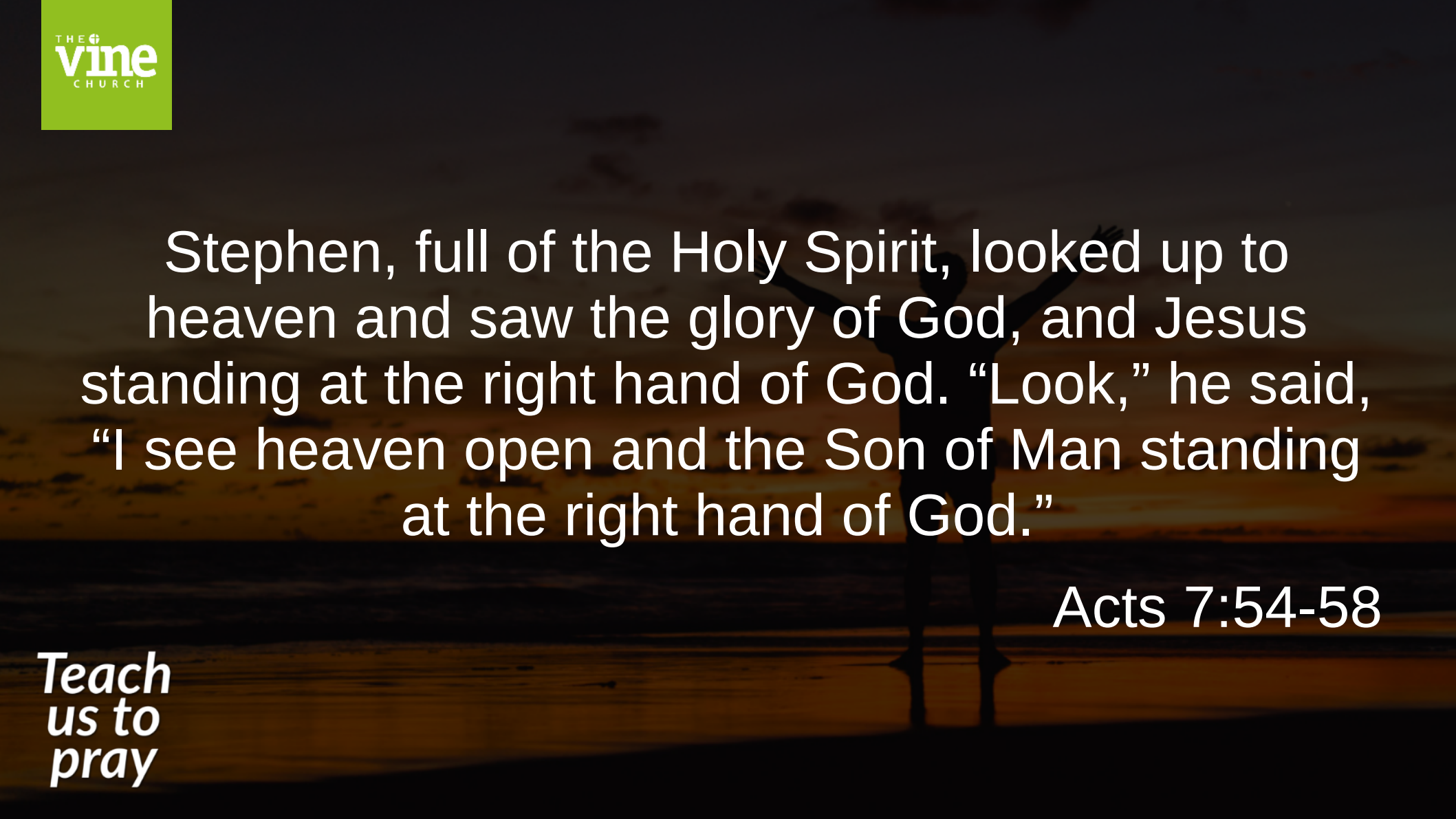
Isaiah 6:1-7

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Moses and Aaron, Nadab and Abihu, and the seventy elders of Israel went up and saw the God of Israel. Under his feet was something like a pavement made of lapis lazuli, as bright blue as the sky.

Exodus 24:9-11

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Stephen, full of the Holy Spirit, looked up to heaven and saw the glory of God, and Jesus standing at the right hand of God. “Look,” he said, “I see heaven open and the Son of Man standing at the right hand of God.”


Acts 7:54-58

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I ... was on the island of Patmos because of the word of God and the testimony of Jesus. On the Lord's Day I was in the Spirit, and I heard behind me a loud voice like a trumpet, which said: "Write on a scroll what you see and send it to the seven churches

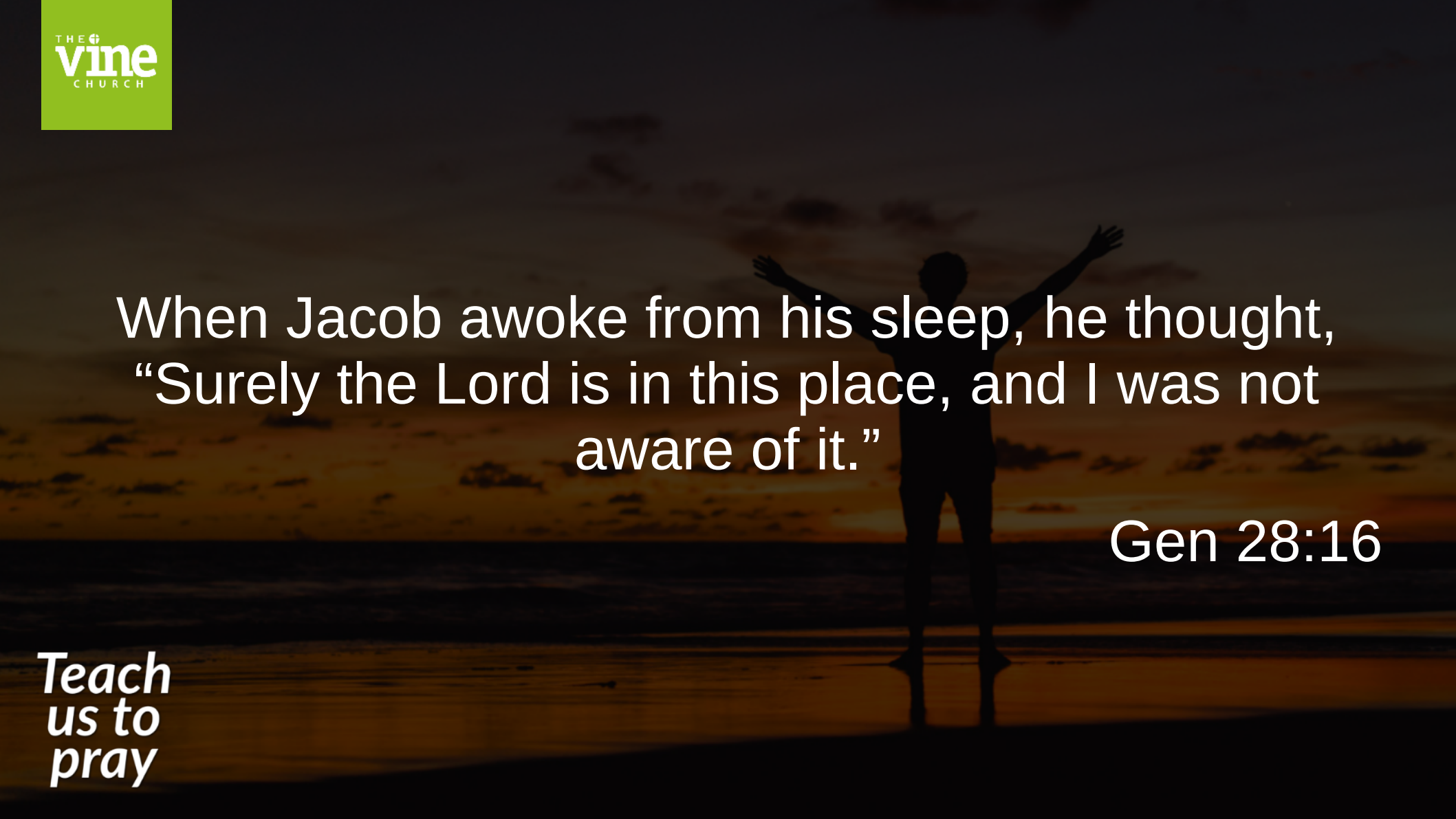
Revelation 1:9-11

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Heaven is accessible from *anywhere*,
not just particular earthly locations.

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Gen 28:16

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“Hallowed be Your
Name.”

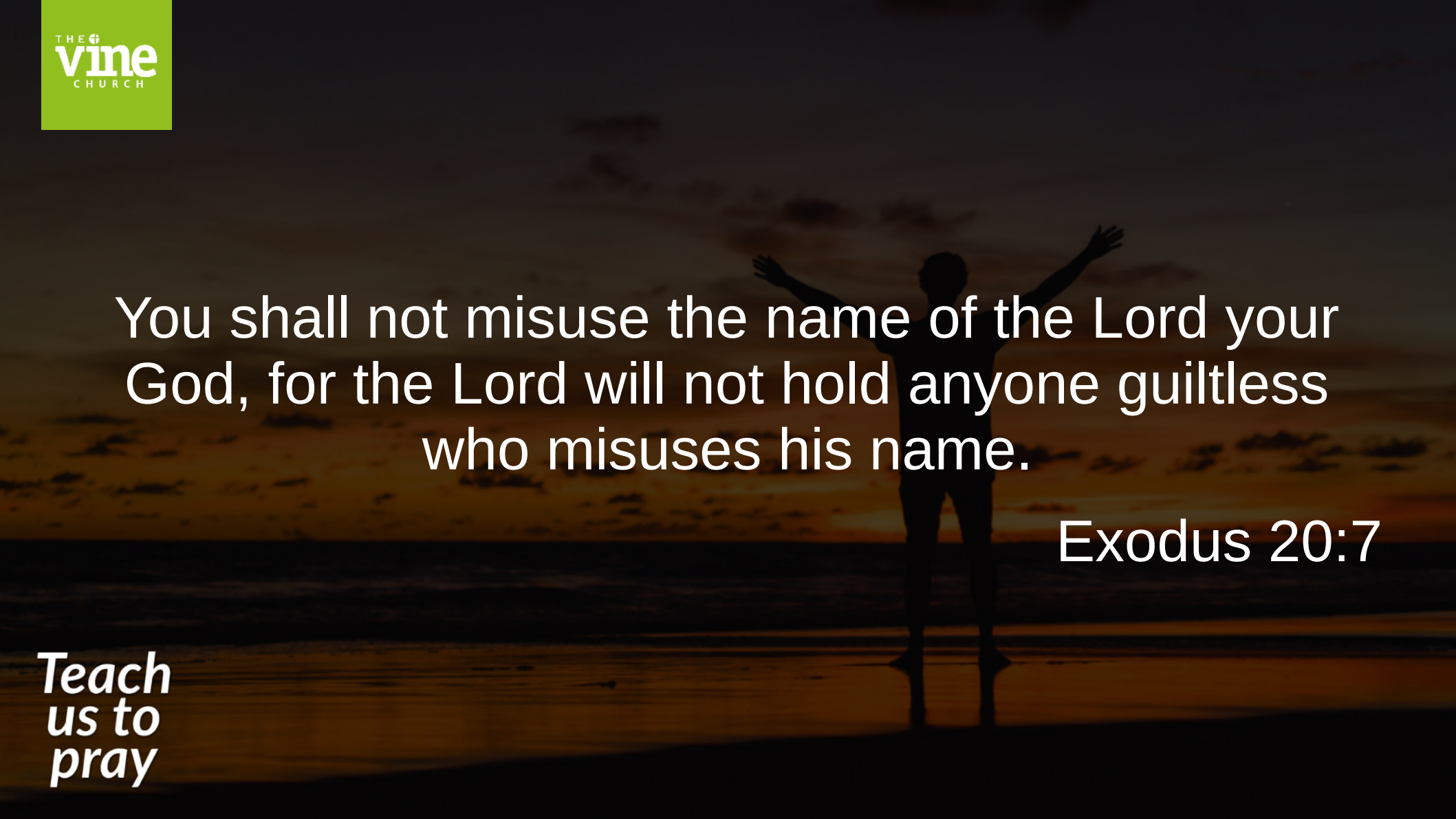
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Hallow verb

“to give something great
importance and respect”

Cambridge Dictionary

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You shall not misuse the name of the Lord your
God, for the Lord will not hold anyone guiltless
who misuses his name.

Exodus 20:7

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Questions for reflection:

1) Are there *particular* places that I think of meeting with God? Why is that?

2) In what ways can I elevate the God's name?