

PURPOSE CHURCH

SUNDAYS 8:30am | 10:00am | 11:30am

APRIL 19, 2026



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GREAT QUESTION

HOW THE BIBLE ADDRESSES OUR BIGGEST ISSUES WITH GOD



WELCOME TO PURPOSE CHURCH!

Are you new to Purpose Church?

We are so glad you are here! We want to meet you, answer any questions you might have, and help you get connected. Come to the Connect Center located in the Lobby after the service to meet our friendly team and pick up a free gift!

NEXT STEPS AT PURPOSE

We believe every person has a *next step* to take. We are here to help you discover and take yours.

Have you decided to follow Jesus?
Do you want to get baptized?
Do you need hope, healing and support?
Are you looking for meaningful community?

Head to: purposechurch.com/nextsteps



EVERYONE EVERYWHERE FOLLOWING JESUS

PRAYER

We would love to pray with you!
Please stop by the prayer room
after the service or submit a
prayer request online.
purposechurch.com/prayer

GIVING

We believe that generous people
transform the world! Offering
boxes are available in the lobby on
Sundays or you can give online.
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HOW CAN YOU BELIEVE THERE'S ONLY ONE TRUE FAITH?

April 19, 2026 / Pastor Eric Holmstrom

THE _____ WITH THE ELEPHANT ANALOGY

Romans 10:9, 13

Acts 4:12

John 10:9

John 14:6

DO ALL _____ LEAD TO GOD?

_____ ATHEISM

CHRISTIANS MUST _____ WITH OTHER BELIEFS BIBLICALLY

KNOW & SHARE

1 Peter 3:15

SERVE

Matthew 5:14-16

THE _____ ONLY CHRISTIANITY OFFERS

In **Islam**, paradise comes through obeying the Five Pillars and your good deeds.

In **Hinduism**, liberation comes through Karma (good works), Bhakti (devotion), Jnana (knowledge).

In **Buddhism**, enlightenment comes through following the Eightfold Path (right living, thinking, discipline).

In **Atheism**, truth is subjective and leads to selfishness with no justifiable consequences.

In **Christianity**, salvation is available to everyone who believes in Jesus Christ.

John 1:14, 18

Ephesians 2:4, 8-9

HOW CAN I BEGIN FOLLOWING JESUS?

*Jesus, I **CONFESS** that my sin is a problem I can't fix.
I **BELIEVE** that you died on the cross to forgive me.
I **TRUST** that you rose from the dead proving you are God.
I **RECEIVE** you as my Lord and Savior.
Today and every day, I **CHOOSE** to follow you!*

YOUR NEXT 5 STEPS

- #1 - Let us **KNOW**.
- #2 - **READ** your Bible.
- #3 - **PRAY** daily.
- #4 - **JOIN** a Life Group.
- #5 - **SHARE** Jesus with someone.

NEXT SUNDAY with DR. HUGH ROSS:

DID NOAH'S FLOOD ACTUALLY HAPPEN?

REFLECT | DISCUSS | PRACTICE

1. **REFLECT:** How did you sense God speaking to you through the sermon and Bible verses?
2. **DISCUSS:** Read Romans 10:9, 13. Do you believe all the world religions basically lead people to God and how does that sit with you?
3. **DISCUSS:** Read John 14:6 and Acts 4:12. How do these verses challenge the idea that "all paths lead to God"? What makes Jesus' claim different from other religious leaders?
4. **DISCUSS:** Read Matthew 7:13-14. Jesus describes a narrow and a wide path. Why do you think most people prefer the "wide road"? What makes the narrow road difficult?
5. **DISCUSS:** Read 1 Peter 3:15 and Acts 17:2-3. What does it look like to share your faith with both truth and gentleness? Which is harder for you; boldness or respect and why?
6. **PRACTICE:** This week, engage in a conversation with someone who believes differently than you do. Ask them to share with you about your faith and what they believe. Ask God to help you serve them, love them, and share with them what you believe as a follower of Jesus!

Fill in the blanks: PROBLEM, PATHS, CHALLENGING, DIALOGUE, ANSWER

