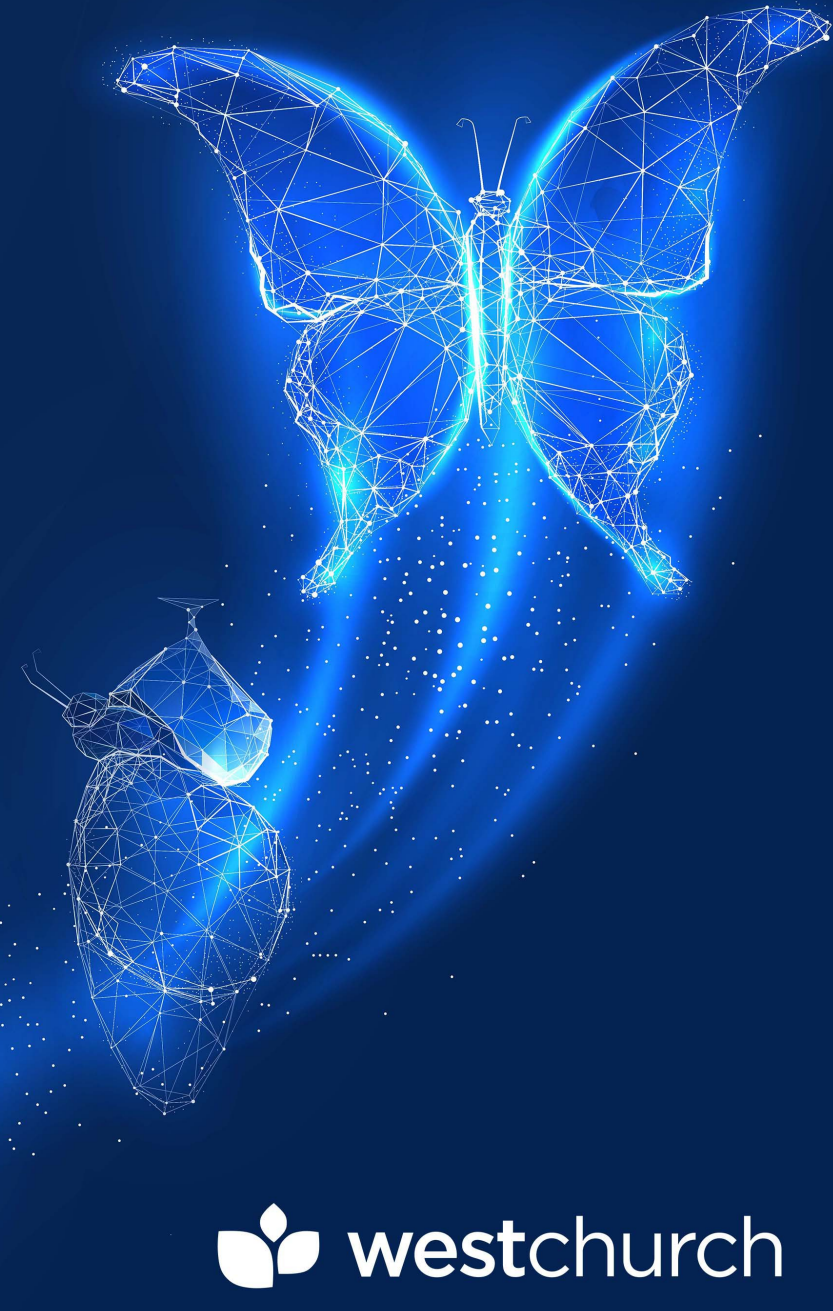


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<sup>23</sup> And he said to all, “If anyone would come after me, let him deny himself and take up his cross daily and follow me.



24 For whoever would save his life will lose it, but whoever loses his life for my sake will save it. 25 For what does it profit a man if he gains the whole world and loses or forfeits himself?



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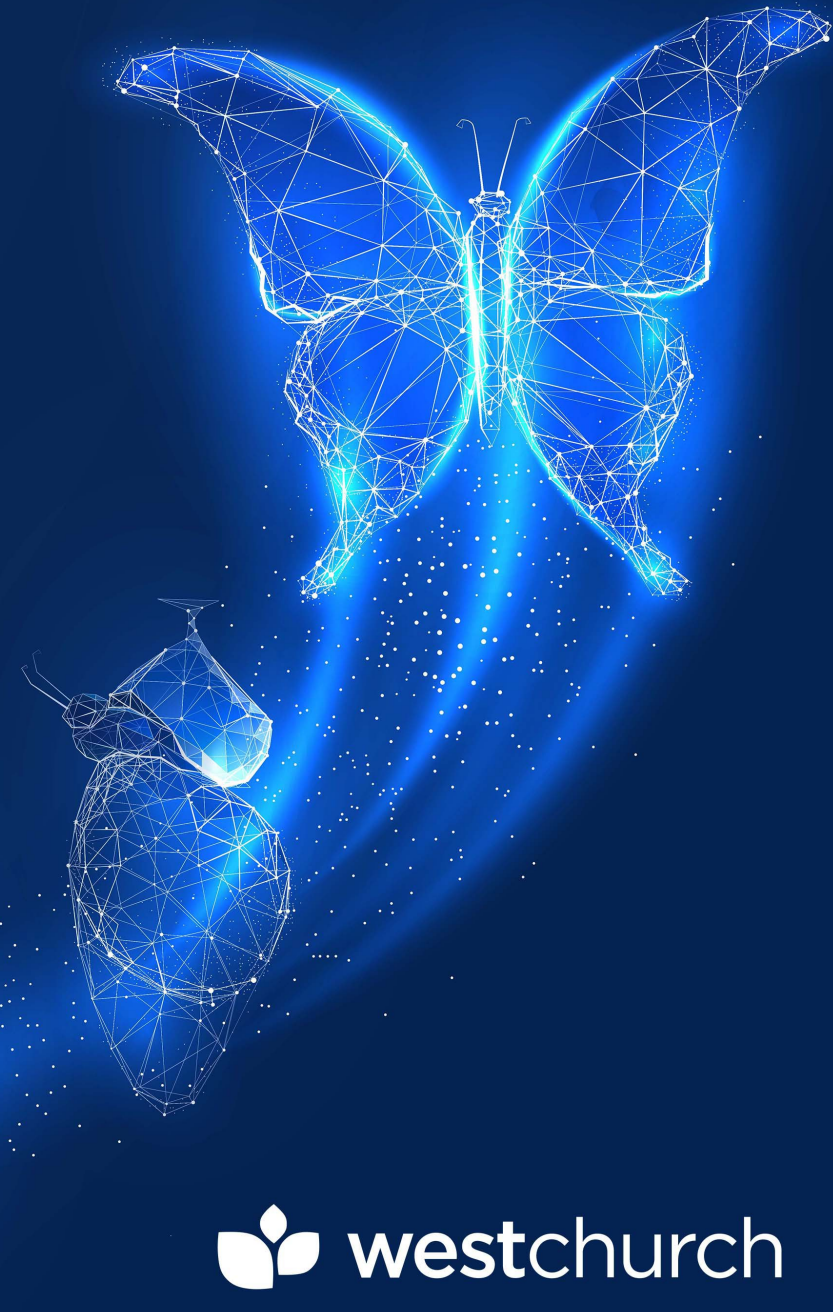
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...behold, with the clouds of heaven  
there came one like a son of man,  
and he came to the Ancient of Days  
and was presented before him.



<sup>14</sup> And to him was given dominion  
and glory and a kingdom,  
that all peoples, nations, and languages  
should serve him;  
his dominion is an everlasting dominion,  
which shall not pass away,  
and his kingdom one  
that shall not be destroyed.

—Daniel 7:13-14



<sup>3</sup> He was despised and rejected by men,  
a man of sorrows and acquainted with  
grief; and as one from whom men hide  
their faces

he was despised, and we esteemed  
him not.

<sup>4</sup> Surely he has borne our griefs  
and carried our sorrows;





yet we esteemed him stricken,  
smitten by God, and afflicted.  
5 But he was pierced for our  
transgressions;  
he was crushed for our iniquities;  
upon him was the chastisement that  
brought us peace, and with his  
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—Isaiah 53:3-5



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25 What good would it do to get  
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the real you?

—Luke 9:25 MSG



Self-help is no help at all. Self-sacrifice  
is the way, my way, to finding yourself,  
your true self.

—Luke 9:24 MSG



<sup>22</sup> to put off your old self, which belongs  
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