

A sunset or sunrise over a field with a large white sheet draped over a hill in the background. The sky is a mix of purple, blue, and orange. The foreground shows some dry grass and a small branch.

ENCOURAGE

ONE ANOTHER

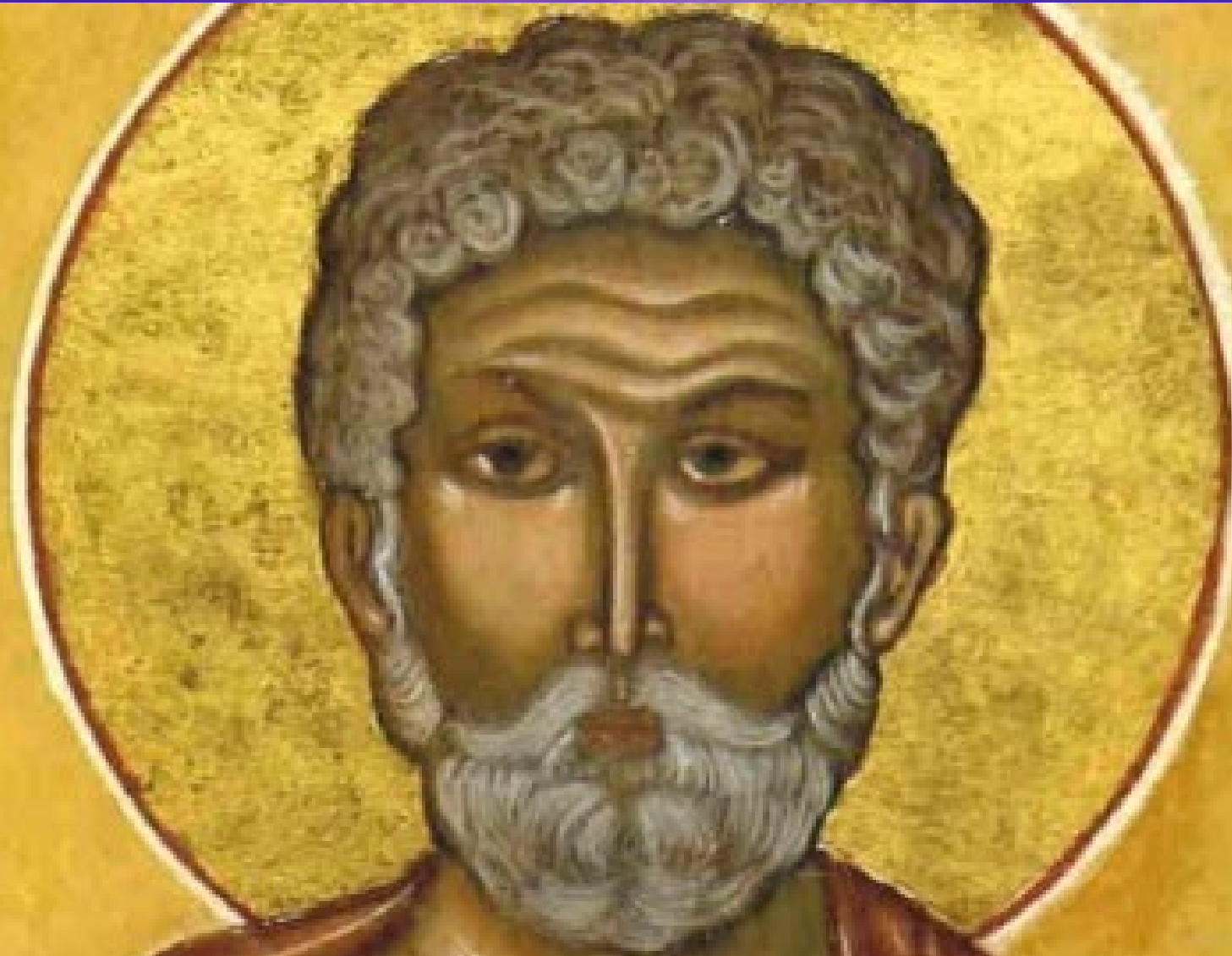


The God of Endurance and Encouragement

ROMANS 15:6

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bible

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-1 Thessalonians 4:18

Romans 15:4-7

For whatever was written in former days was written for our instruction, that ***through endurance and encouragement of the Scriptures we might have hope.***

May ***the God of endurance and encouragement*** grant you to live in harmony with one another...



gather

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Hebrews 10:22-25

...let us draw near with a true heart in full assurance of *faith*...

Let us hold fast the confession of our *hope* without wavering, for he who promised is faithful.

And let us *consider how to stir up one another* to love and good works, not neglecting to *meet together*, as is the habit of some, but *encouraging one another*, and all the more as you see the Day drawing near.



hope

1 Thessalonians 5:2-14

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For you yourselves are fully aware that *the day of the Lord* will come like a thief in the night...
For *God has not destined us for wrath, but to obtain salvation* through our Lord Jesus Christ...

Therefore *encourage one another and build one another up*, just as you are doing...
admonish the idle, *encourage the fainthearted*,
help the weak, be patient with all.



support

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Galatians 6:1-3

Brothers, if anyone is caught in any transgression, you who are spiritual should restore him in a spirit of gentleness. Keep watch on yourself, lest you too be tempted.

Bear one another's burdens, and so fulfill the law of Christ.

For if anyone thinks he is something, when he is nothing, he deceives himself.



speech Ephesians 4:29-31

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Let no corrupting talk come out of
your mouths, but only such as is ***good***
for building up, as fits the occasion,
that it may ***give grace*** to those who
hear.



prophecy

1 Corinthians 14:1-4

Pursue love, and earnestly desire the spiritual gifts, especially that you may prophecy...

...the one who **prophesies** speaks to people for their **upbuilding and encouragement and consolation.**

The one who speaks in a tongue builds up himself, but the one who prophesies builds up the church.

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remember ^{John 10:30-31, 39-40}

[Jesus said] "I and the Father are one."

The Jews picked up stones again to stone him... Again they sought to arrest him, but he escaped from their hands.

He went away again across the Jordan *to the place where John had been baptizing at first, and there he remained.*

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- *stir up one another*
- *hope*
- *bible*
- *remind*
- *prophecy*
- *celebrate*

