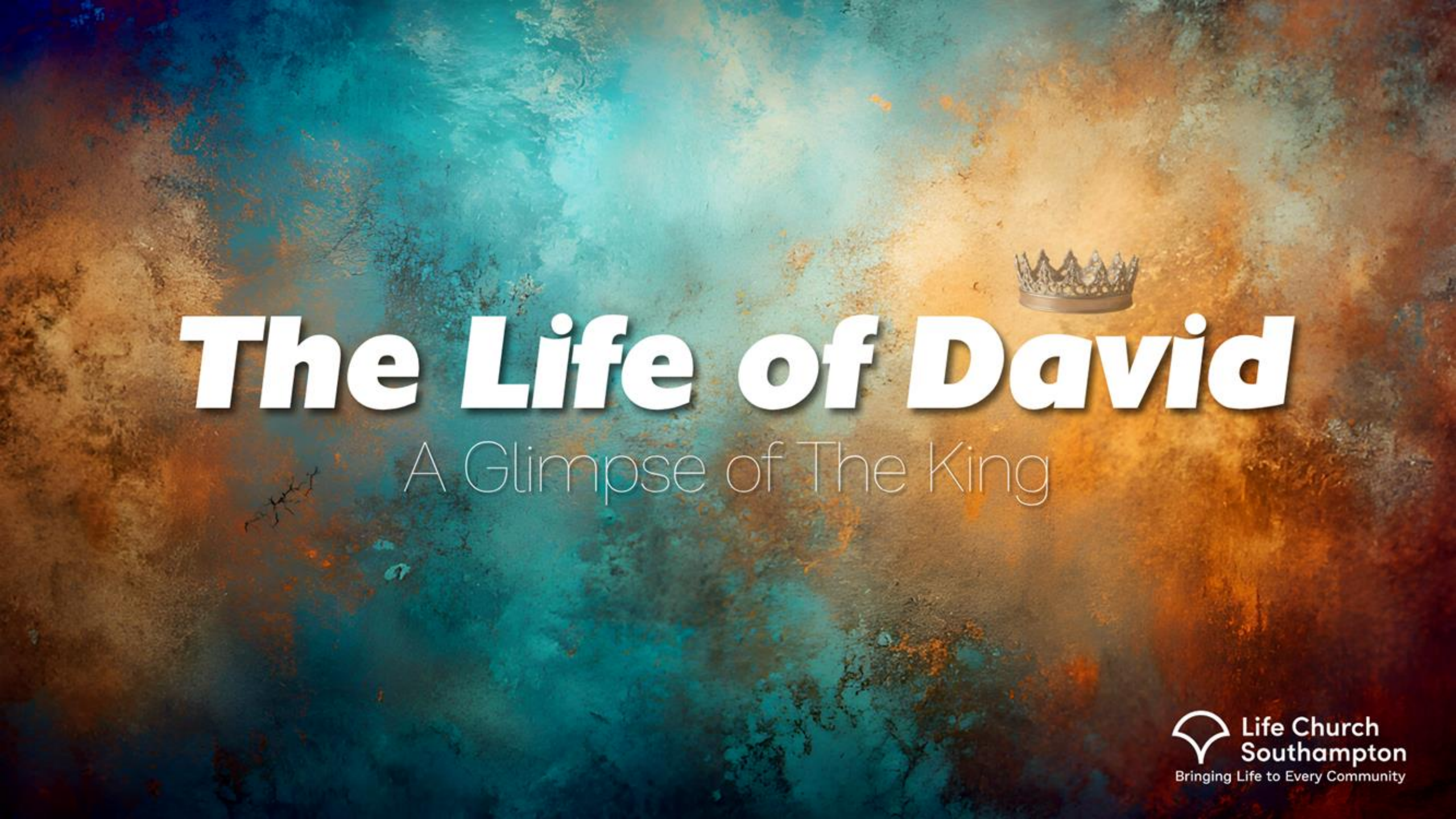

The Life of David
A Glimpse of The King
Life Church
Southampton
Bringing Life to Every Community

2 Samuel 9

1 And David said, “Is there still anyone left of the house of Saul, that I
may show him kindness for Jonathan's sake?” 2 Now there was a
servant of the house of Saul whose name was Ziba, and they called
him to David. And the king said to him, “Are you Ziba?” And he said, “I
am your servant.” 3 And the king said, “Is there not still someone of the
house of Saul, that I may show the kindness of God to him?” Ziba said
to the king, “There is still a son of Jonathan; he is crippled in his feet.” 4
The king said to him, “Where is he?” And Ziba said to the king, “He is in
the house of Machir the son of Ammiel, at Lo-debar.” 5 Then King David
sent and brought him from the house of Machir the son of Ammiel, at
Lo-debar.



2 Samuel 9

6 And Mephibosheth the son of Jonathan, son of Saul, came to David
and fell on his face and paid homage. And David said, “Mephibosheth!”
And he answered, “Behold, I am your servant.” 7 And David said to him,
“Do not fear, for I will show you kindness for the sake of your father
Jonathan, and I will restore to you all the land of Saul your father, and
you shall eat at my table always.” 8 And he paid homage and said,
“What is your servant, that you should show regard for a dead dog such
as I?”



2 Samuel 9

9 Then the king called Ziba, Saul's servant, and said to him, “All that
belonged to Saul and to all his house I have given to your master's
grandson. 10 And you and your sons and your servants shall till the land for
him and shall bring in the produce, that your master's grandson may have
bread to eat. But Mephibosheth your master's grandson shall always eat
at my table.” Now Ziba had fifteen sons and twenty servants. 11 Then Ziba
said to the king, “According to all that my lord the king commands his
servant, so will your servant do.” So Mephibosheth ate at David's table,
like one of the king's sons. 12 And Mephibosheth had a young son, whose
name was Mica. And all who lived in Ziba's house became Mephibosheth's
servants. 13 So Mephibosheth lived in Jerusalem, for he ate always at the
king's table. Now he was lame in both his feet.



The Life of David

DAVID



The Life of David

MEPHIBOSHETH



The Life of David

1 And David said, “Is there still anyone left of the house of Saul, that I may show him kindness for Jonathan's sake?”

3 And the king said, “Is there not still someone of the house of Saul, that I may show the kindness of God to him?”

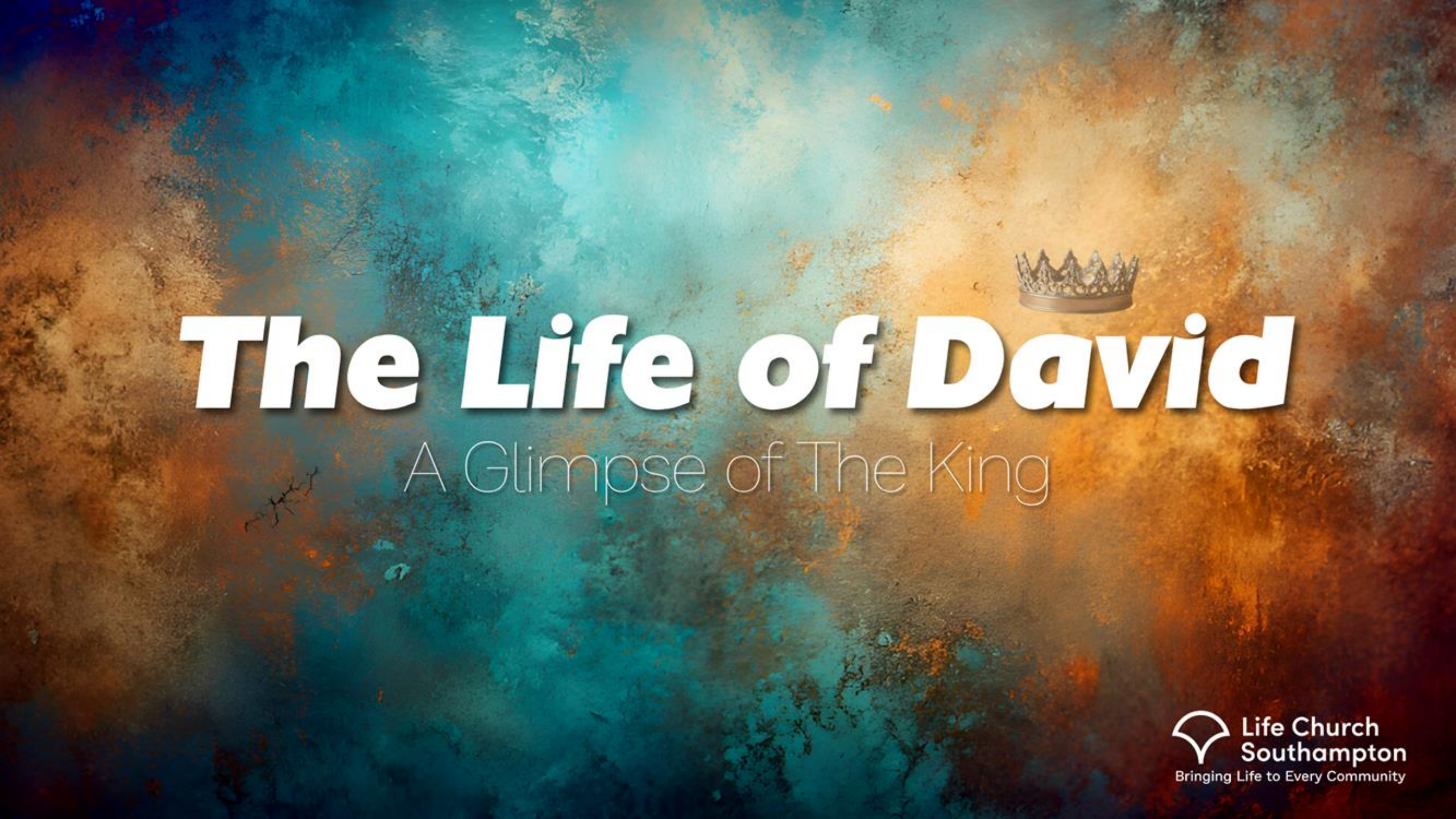
7 And David said to him, “Do not fear, for I will show you kindness for the sake of your father Jonathan



14 If I am still alive, show me the steadfast love of the LORD,
that I may not die; 15 and do not cut off your steadfast love
from my house forever, when the LORD cuts off every one of
the enemies of David from the face of the earth.” 16 And
Jonathan made a covenant with the house of David, saying,
“May the LORD take vengeance on David's enemies.” 17 And
Jonathan made David swear again by his love for him, for he
loved him as he loved his own soul.

1 Samuel 20:14-17

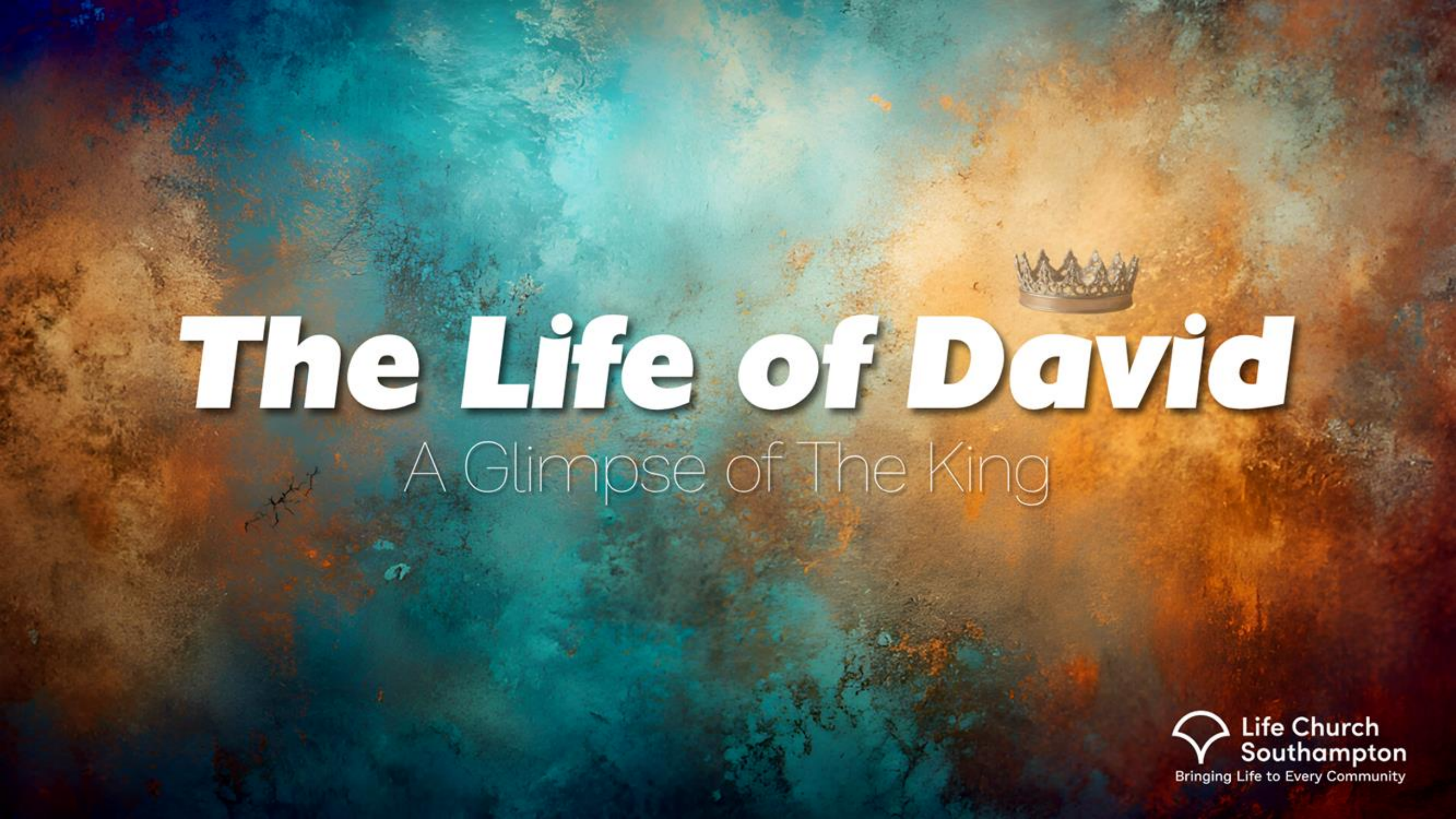



The Life of David
A Glimpse of The King
Life Church
Southampton
Bringing Life to Every Community

“Try reading only one chapter out of a Charles Dickens or Victor Hugo novel without reading anything before or afterward in the book. Would you be able to understand and appreciate the chapter? Certainly you would learn about the characters, and some relatively complete narrative action or subplot could take place within the portion of the book you have read. But much would be inexplicable, because you wouldn’t know what came before, and many things that the author was doing in the chapter would be invisible if you didn’t see how the story played out.”

Timothy Keller

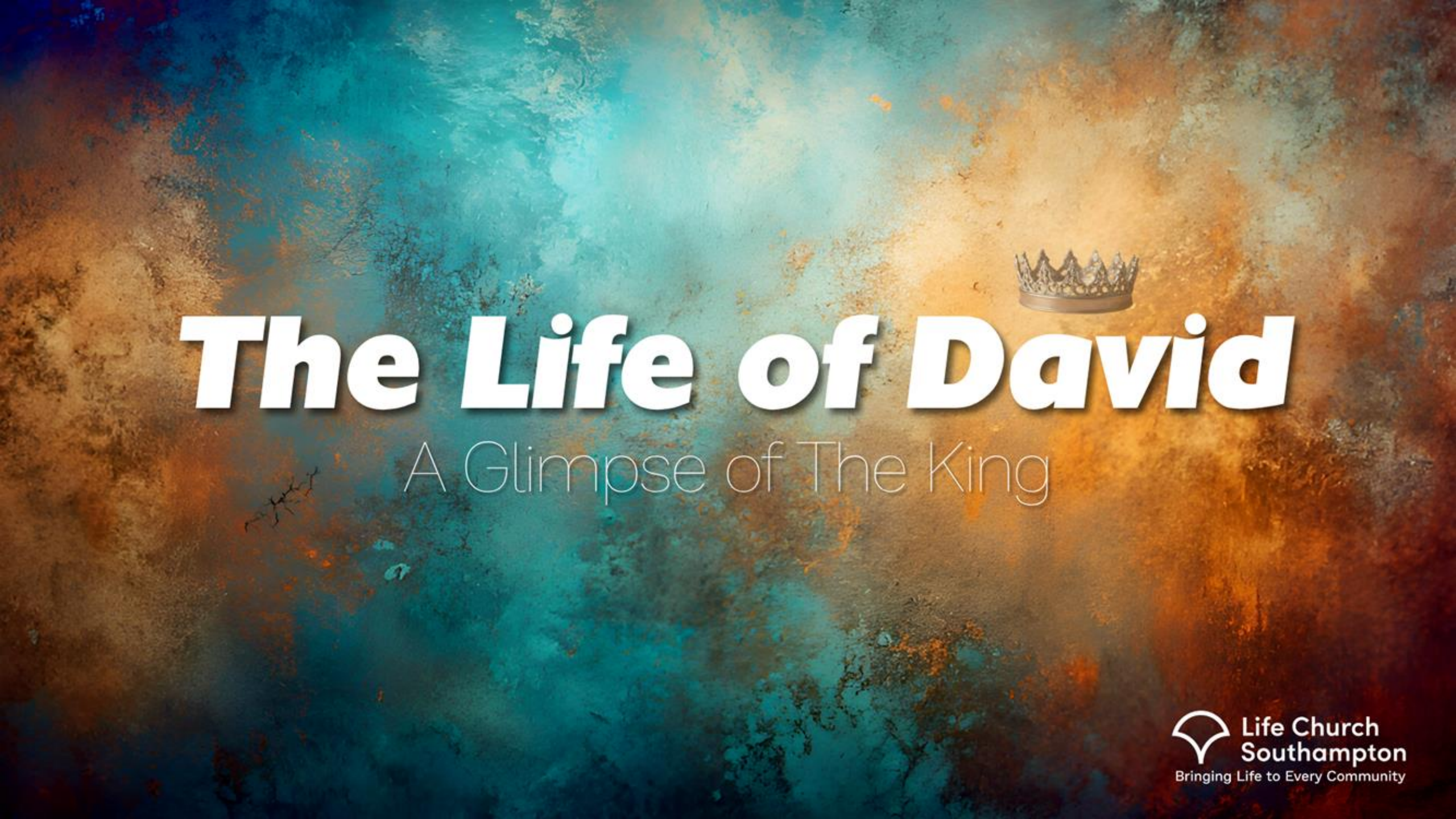



The Life of David
A Glimpse of The King
Life Church
Southampton
Bringing Life to Every Community

30 And the angel said to her, “Do not be afraid, Mary, for you
have found favor with God. 31 And behold, you will conceive
in your womb and bear a son, and you shall call his name
Jesus. 32 He will be great and will be called the Son of the
Most High. And the Lord God will give to him the throne of
his father David, 33 and he will reign over the house of Jacob
forever, and of his kingdom there will be no end.”

Luke 1:30-33




The Life of David
A Glimpse of The King
Life Church
Southampton
Bringing Life to Every Community

The Life of David

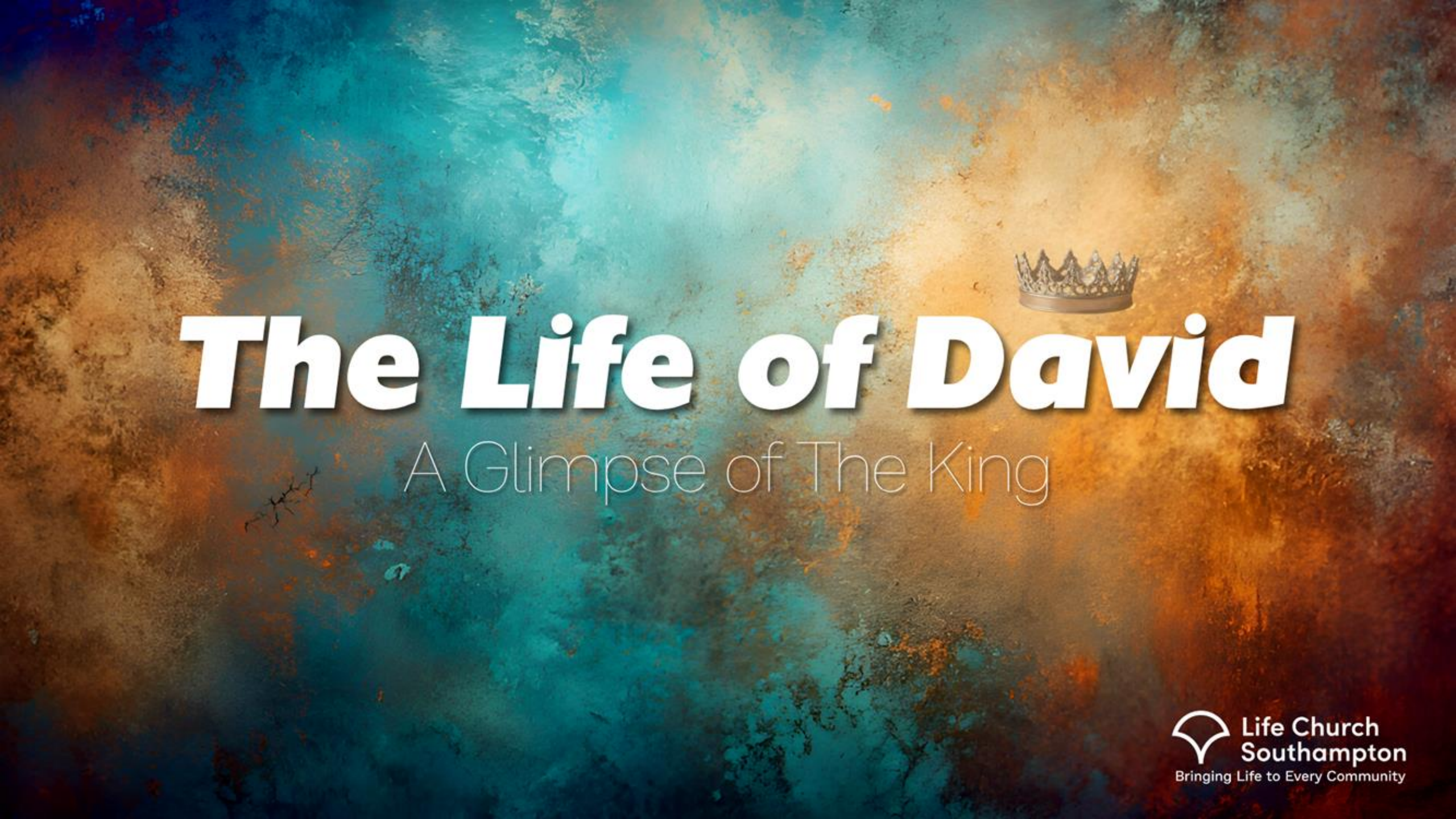
YOU



The Life of David

JESUS




The Life of David
A Glimpse of The King
Life Church
Southampton
Bringing Life to Every Community