#### **CALL TO WORSHIP**

**Jesus, The Very Thought Of Thee #58** 

## SCRIPTURE READING

Sun- Cass H. AM

Bob M. PM

Wed- Mike S.

#### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

- As we meet again online, I thank the Lord for the means He has provided for us to worship Him! I also pray this method He has prescribed is used for His will- and I am confident it will be!
- If our Master has laid it on your heart to contribute to the Gospel work here in Jamul, please mail your offering to the address on the bulletin.

## **WORSHIP HYMN**

What A Friend We Have In Jesus #354

**CLOSING HYMN** 

Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah #291

## **PRAY FOR SUBMISSION**

I need constantly to remind myself that "all things are of God." Let me not preach SOVEREIGNTY and then complain of my lot in life. Let me not talk of DIVINE PURPOSE and then spend my days murmuring about my trials and troubles. It is totally inconsistent with faith in the sovereign Christ for me to question HIS GOOD PROVIDENCE. Paul called covetousness "idolatry" and said, "I have learned, in whatsoever state I am, therewith to be content" (Phil. 4:11). Let us pray for submission to His will, for with it comes peace.

- Henry Mahan

## WHAT IS GOD'S PURPOSE IN ELECTION?

We find God's purpose in choosing some to salvation and passing by others in Romans 9: 11: (For the children being not yet born, neither having done any good or evil, that the purpose of God according to election might stand, not of works, but of him that calleth;). God chooses whom he will, not based on any good or evil in us. He did so to declare that salvation is not of our works but of God that calleth. "For he saith to Moses, I will have mercy on whom I will have mercy, and I will have compassion on whom I will have compassion. So then it is not of him that willeth, nor of him that runneth, but of God that sheweth mercy" (Rom 9: 15-16). By sovereign grace, God chose a multitude in Christ, blessed us with all blessings, thus preparing us for glory before the foundation of the world. He calls us to life and faith in Christ "that he might make known the riches of his glory on the vessels of mercy, which he had afore prepared unto glory." (Ro 9:23). It makes believers give him all praise and honor for saving us according to his sovereign grace! That is God's purpose. It is that God might receive all the glory!

- Clay Curtis

## TASTE AND SEE Psalm 34v8

The LORD has created our bodies in such a way that we experience this physical life through our senses. One of those ways is taste. We can taste and see if something is sweet or salty, etc. Even so it is spiritually. By faith we taste and see that the LORD is good. He is all that is good, "none good but God" (Mark 10:18). He is good in what He gives and in what He takes away. The LORD gives us righteousness and takes away our sins. He gives us peace and takes away our unrest. He gives us hope and takes away our despair. He gives us joy and takes away our sorrow (Psalm 30:5).

Everything the LORD gives to us is good, and everything He takes away from us is good also.

- John Chapman

## **LOVE**

"And now abideth faith, hope, charity, these three; but the greatest of these is charity." (1 Corinthians 13v13)

"Charity" in this text means, "Love." And what Paul was saying in 1 Corinthians 13 was: If I don't have love, I don't have anything. Love is of God. Love is from God. Love is what God commended to us when He sent His only begotten Son to save us from our ungodly, wretched sinfulness. The Father's love for us is what caused Him to choose us in His election. Christ's love for us is what held Him on the tree to die for our redemption. And the Spirit's love for us is what calls us and leads us back to the fold. John 13:1 says concerning Christ, "Having loved His own which were in the world, He loved them unto the end."

Because of that, our Lord gave us a commandment in verse 34 of that same chapter that as He has loved us, we also should love one another. Christ in His great example proved to us, that love for a person doesn't fail that person. Love for a person gives to that person. Love for a person forgives that person. Love suffers long and bears the worst. True love, no matter what, is still standing in the end.

For Christ's sake, may God give that love to us for each other. Let's not behave unseemly toward each other. Let's not provoke each other. Let's not think evil of each other. Let's not rejoice in each other's downfalls and iniquities. If Christ forgave the sins of all of His people, may we forgive the sins of all of His people. If Christ loved unto the end, may we love unto the end. May God create faith in us. May God create hope in us. But most importantly, may God create the eternal love of Christ in us for Him, and for each other.

- Gabe Stalnaker

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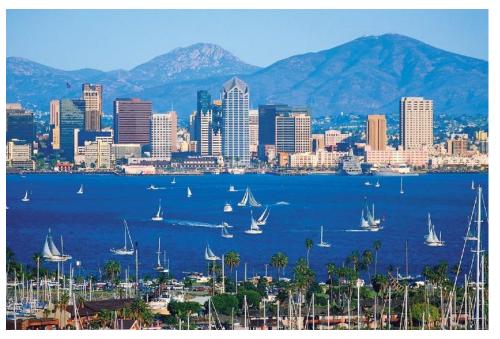
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## Sunday July 19th, 2020

"And the Spirit and the bride say, Come. And let him that heareth say, Come. And let him that is athirst come. And whosoever will, let him take the water of life freely."

Rev 22:17



"But to us there is but one God, the Father, of whom are all things, and we in him; and one Lord Jesus Christ, by whom are all things, and we by him." *1Cor 8:6*