

## CALL TO WORSHIP

### How Sweet The Name Of Jesus Sounds #53

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#### SCRIPTURE READING

Sun- Bob M. AM

Mike S. PM

Wed- Cass H.

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#### ANNOUNCEMENTS

- Lord willing we will observe our Lord's table next Sunday, the 6<sup>th</sup> of September.
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#### WORSHIP HYMN

##### Standing On The Promises #175

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#### CLOSING HYMN

##### A Wonderful Savior Is Jesus My Lord #258

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What then is the righteousness of the Scriptures, and who is the righteous man before God? The answer is direct. None but the Lord Jesus Christ. He, and he only, is set forth under this title; and he alone is the Righteousness of his people. It is high treason to talk of any other; and equally high treason to talk of any comparative statement between man and man concerning righteousness.

- Robert Hawker

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In John 14:6 Christ is said to be, the way, the truth and the life. In 1 Cor 1:30 Christ is said to be made unto me, "wisdom, righteousness, sanctification, and redemption." This covers all that I need to stand in God's presence, only a fool would look for more.

- John Chapman

*"Brethren, my heart's desire and prayer to God for Israel is, that they might be saved."* (Rom 10v1)

Believers pray for their sin to be forgiven. We pray for our loved ones to hear the Gospel of free grace in Christ and to be drawn to Him. We pray for our brethren in Christ to be comforted, and we pray for God to call out His elect in this generation. But do we pray for our enemies?

Paul was praying for the salvation of his earthly kinsmen in Romans 9v3 & 10v1. Those Jews viewed him as a traitor. One who changed sides during a holy war. They likely referred to him only as Saul, and with a sour tone in their voices- mocking him. They would torture and kill him if they could. But Paul earnestly prayed for them to hear and to know Christ.

Our Master told us to do just that in Matthew 5v44. He said to "*pray for them that despitefully use you*". Christ not only told us to pray for OUR enemies, but on our behalf, He prayed for HIS enemies – "*Father, forgive them; they know not what they do.*" (Luke 23v34). Also, He died for His sheep while we were ungodly enemies against Him. (Rom 5v6-8)

May we be given the grace to pray for the ones that hate us, despise us and would kill us if possible. That they too may know their sin and know the One who was made sin for His people, The Lord Jesus Christ!

- KBT

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There is one true evidence of a work of grace, and regeneration in men and women: Love. That one who truly believes, who is born of God, loves God who begat him, and loves all those begotten of Him. "Beloved, let us love one another: for love is of God; and every one that loveth is born of God, and knoweth God. He who loveth not knoweth not God; for God is love" (I John 4:7-8).

- Darwin Pruitt

## Don't Chew on the Briars

There is not a preacher – living or dead – with whom you cannot find fault, either in what he says, what he writes, or what he does. Perfection is only found in our Lord. “I find no fault in HIM.” His ambassadors, however, are human and not only subject to mistakes, but prone to error, except they are kept, led, and taught by the Holy Spirit. Let us be patient with one another, pray for one another, and look for the good and not the bad. Don't chew on the briars in a message or an article. Even a donkey knows enough to eat the hay and spit out the briars!

- Henry Mahan

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*“As it is written, Jacob have I loved, but Esau have I hated.”*

(Rom 9v13)

When I was first exposed to the doctrines of grace and the sovereignty of God, the above verse became the sledgehammer that I used to pulverize the erroneous doctrines of “Universal Redemption,” “God loving everybody” and “Christ dying for everyone.” It was almost as though I rejoiced in the fact that “God hated Esau.” I don't feel or think that way any longer. The more God shows me how much I am like Jacob, the wretched deceiver that he was, the more my heart is astonished that God could love Jacob or me. I understand how He could hate me, but how He could love me is beyond my understanding.

- David Eddmenson

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**Sunday August 30th, 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**