

CALL TO WORSHIP

Hallelujah, What A Savior #127

SCRIPTURE READING

Sun AM- Kevin T.

Sun PM- Mike S.

Wed- Cass H.

WORSHIP HYMN

Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus #204

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- Next week, no evening service and no meal following the morning service.
 - Lord willing, Pastor Clay Curtis will be here to preach for us July 6th (Tuesday) and the church will provide pizza following that service.
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CLOSING HYMN

It Is Well #256

THE TRYING OF YOUR FAITH

Afflictions do not give faith, but they do reveal true faith and false faith. When a believer with true faith suffers trials and afflictions, they are drawn closer to the Savior. True faith seeks comfort and help by being as near to the Savior as possible. A person with false faith will complain and find an excuse to leave. The believer with true, God given faith will say with our brother Job, “Though he slay me, yet will I trust in him.” (Job 13:15)

- Pastor Frank Tate (Ashland, KY)

A BROTHER OFFENDED

“A brother offended is harder to be won than a strong city”

– Proverbs 18:19

Though true, this ought not to be. What does it say of a ‘brother’ who remains offended though his brother try to win him, tries to reconcile, tries to restore the relationship and friendship? He must be a poor brother, a poor friend, a spoiled and pouting child who gets his feelings easily hurt and hardly healed. James said; “*In many things we offend all*” (James 3:2). We all have offended and been offended, because we are a bunch of selfish sinners by nature. But that new man *must, yea will* repent, reconcile, forgive and forget. That new man within realizes how often we offend our God and grieve Him; how often we sin against Him and yet He forgives, forgets, and has reconciled us to Himself by THE BLOODY DEATH OF HIS SON. This, and this only will cause us to forgive, forget, reconcile and love our brother as ourselves.

If you have knowingly offended a brother or sister, go to them and ask their forgiveness and try to reconcile. If someone has offended you, tell them; it may be a misunderstanding, it may have been an unintentional offence. It would be unimaginable for a brother or sister to say they are sorry and ask for forgiveness and the other person not accept it and forget it. That person must not have the grace of God in them; for all who truly know forgiveness will show forgiveness.

- Pastor Paul Mahan (Rocky Mount, VA)

We Come To A Person

I hear men talking about coming to faith in Christ. Without being contentious wouldn't it be more accurate to say, "I CAME TO CHRIST in faith?" Faith comes to us as the gift of God, through the work of God's Spirit and the Word of God; and by faith and in faith WE COME TO CHRIST! Christ is the fountain, Christ is our life and Christ is made unto us all things; wisdom, righteousness, sanctification, and redemption. We do not find these things in faith but IN CHRIST.

Also men say, "I came to the doctrines of grace." One can come to a doctrine or even learn a system of doctrine and never come to Christ. You may weary of hearing me say it, but salvation is not in a decision, profession of faith, mental acceptance of facts, nor the letter of the law. Salvation is in a person! This is what Christ told Martha, who insisted that she believed in the resurrection. "I AM the resurrection and the life." We live because He lives and we are in Him. We are accepted because He is accepted and we are in Him. Paul cried, "That I may win Christ and be found in Him" (Phil. 3:8-10).

- Henry T. Mahan

I do not come into this pulpit hoping that perhaps somebody will of his own free will return to Christ. My hope lies in another quarter. I hope that my Master will lay hold of some of them and say, "You are mine, and you shall be mine. I claim you for myself." My hope arises from the freeness of grace, and not from the freedom of the will.

- Charles H. Spurgeon

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10:30 AM Morning Worship Service

6:30 PM Evening Service

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Sunday June 27th, 2021



“But we preach Christ crucified, unto the Jews a stumblingblock, and unto the Greeks foolishness; But unto them which are called, both Jews and Greeks, Christ the power of God, and the wisdom of God.”

1Cor 1v23-24