CALL TO WORSHIP

Standing On The Promises #175

SCRIPTURE READING

Sun AM- Bob M.

Sun PM- Mike S.

Wed-Brian S.

WORSHIP HYMN

My Faith Has Found A Resting Place #228

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- Kimberly and I had a wonderful vacation but are thankful to be home and back with you! We appreciate your support and encouragement!

CLOSING HYMN

Blessed Assurance #255

GREAT IS THY FAITHFULNESS

Lamentations 3:23

There was a time when I talked about God's faithfulness merely as an article of Divine truth revealed in the Scriptures. That was the best I could do because I had not experienced (to my knowledge) much of his faithfulness. But now, it has been more than fifty years since God revealed himself to me in Christ. I have seen some trials, some temptations, and some sorrows. In them all, I must confess my weakness in the flesh and my sin have been mournfully manifest. But this one thing I can tell you about God my Father: — He is faithful! From the depths of my soul, I rejoice to acknowledge it. "Great is thy faithfulness."

SALVATION IN A LOOK

Will you listen to me as I tell you one more time to look to Christ? Salvation for sinners is to be had in a look of faith. When I say look to Christ, I mean look to Christ in faith, believing that Christ is all it takes to save your sinful soul. Look to the man Christ Jesus as your only obedience to the law. Look to Christ crucified as the only sacrifice it takes to put your sin away. Look to Christ's death as your death to sin and the law. Look to the risen Christ as the evidence of your justification. Look to the returning Christ as your coming King.

- Pastor Frank Tate (Ashland, KY)

NO NEED

Mark 2:17

"They that are whole have no need..."

Have you grown weary of hearing the Gospel? Have you lost interest in the unsearchable riches of Christ? Do you long for the food of Egypt (the world) and reveal what is truly in your heart by saying, "Now our soul is dried away; there is nothing at all beside this manna (Christ) before our eyes?" (Numbers 11:6)

That phrase, "There is nothing at all beside," can be taken one of two ways. Is it with disdain you declare, "There is nothing at all beside Christ?" Does your heart reveal that you no longer believe that Christ is sufficient to nourish you and sustain you? Or is that statement made with joy and love revealing that you know there is nothing or no one besides Christ who can save you?

If you have no interest in the preaching of Christ and Him crucified, your problem is not necessarily a lack of interest in Christ, but a lack of need for Him. A love for Christ is the reason the child of God does not forsake the assembling of themselves together in worship. The saved sinner is hungry for the Bread of heaven and has no need for anything else in this world. But they have a desperate need for Christ.

WHAT SUITS ME

Being the sinner I am, knowing my weakness and inability, God has provided me just what I need; He suits my needs.

His Word suits my need. It tells me of God and who He is, what He does in this world and what He will do in the world to come. His Word tells of His absolute sovereignty, of how He can be a just God and Savior. That salvation is by His will, not man's. That salvation is what God does for man, not what man does for God.

His will suits me from the top of my head down to my feet. I know His will is the best thing for me. Thank God, He has not left me to my will, but in His infinite wisdom orders all things for my good and His glory. His Will is perfect, which suits my imperfection.

The Lord Jesus Christ suits my needs as a sinner: His blood cleanses me from all sin, His obedience is given in place of my rebellion, and His righteousness is given to me in place of my righteousness, which is a filthy rag.

His word tells me Christ Jesus came to save sinners.... I'm one of them. That He came to seek and save the lost, I was one of them. In fact, I was so lost that only He could find me, and bless His holy name, He found me and saved me from my sin which was so great.

His word tells me that not only has He saved me from my sin and my rebellion, but that He will carry on His work. Not one for whom He died will ever be cast out, which gives assurance that I will not ever be forsaken of Him.

Yes, everything from His Word, His will, and His Son and the salvation that He has given me suits me perfectly.

-Pastor Donnie Bell (Crossville, TN)

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"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