

CALL TO WORSHIP

Saved By Grace # 512

SCRIPTURE READING

Sun- Kevin T.

Wed- Mike S.

HYMN

How Great Thou Art # 37

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- Brother Terry Worthan was taken to Glory yesterday morning. Our Lord made him a faithful pastor of the assembly in Winston, GA for 52 years.

CLOSING HYMN

Leave It There # 353

Those who weary of hearing the Gospel, who lose interest in hearing the Gospel, and lose their need of hearing the Gospel of Christ and His redeeming love and grace, have never really heard the Gospel at all. If one can leave Christ, he has never truly met Him (John 6:65-69).

- Maurice Montgomery

Sin is a noun. It is what I am. Sin is a verb. It is what I do. Sin is an adjective. It describes me. Sin is an adverb. It describes what I do. Thank God for the promise of the Gospel, "*Thou shalt call His name Jesus, for He shall save His people from their sins.*" (Matthew 1:21)

- Todd Nibert (Lexington, KY)

TWO IMPORTANT EVIDENCES

"Whosoever believeth that Jesus is the Christ is born of God: and every one that loveth him that begat loveth him also that is begotten of him." I John 5:1

Two important truths are obvious in this verse. First, the only way anyone can believe on Christ the Savior is to be born again with a new nature. Our old nature can never believe on Christ or love Christ. The only thing the new nature can do is believe and love Christ.

Second, anyone who is born again loves God and loves other believers. A child of God loves the other children of God. The family of God loves the family of God.

Where faith in Christ and love for believers is lacking, there is no evidence of the new birth.

- Pastor Frank Tate (Ashland, KY)

When I get to heaven, I shall see three wonders there: the first wonder will be to see many people there whom I did not expect to see; the second wonder will be to miss many people whom I did expect to see; and the third and greatest wonder of all will be to find myself there.

- John Newton

When we have the mind of Christ, we see God in everything, we see Christ as everything, and we see ourselves as nothing.

-Pastor John Chapman (Spring Lake, NC)

UNDERSTANDING THE GOSPEL

“These things understood not his disciples at the first: but when Jesus was glorified, then remembered they that these things were written of him, and that they had done these things unto him” John 12:16

When the Lord is pleased to glorify and reveal Himself to us and in us, in the way of mercy and grace, then He also gives us an understanding of the gospel of Christ (1 Jn 5:20). Consider these four things:

1). When we see the glory of His electing grace (Eph.1:3-6), then He gives us an understanding, that had Christ not chosen us we never would have believed and loved Him (2 Thes. 2:13).

2). When we see the glory of His atonement for our sin, how complete, how eternal, how full and how powerful it is, that our sin is put away forever (Heb. 9:26; 10:14-17), then He gives us an understanding to see and know the absolute necessity for Christ to put away our sin (1 Jn 1:7)) and how futile and useless is our vain attempts to redeem ourselves by the deeds of the flesh or law, *“by the deeds of the law shall no flesh be justified”* (Rom. 3:19-24). We are redeemed by the blood of Christ alone (1 Pet 1:18-20).

3). When we see the glory of His salvation, taking the rebel and making him righteous in Christ, taking the ignorant and the foolish and making them new creatures in Christ, taking those dead in sin and giving them spiritual life (Eph. 2:1), then we understand the need of the new birth...regeneration and being reconciled to God in Christ (2 Cor. 5:17- 21). *“Verily, verily, I say unto thee, Except a man be born again, he cannot see (understand) the kingdom of God ”* (John 3:3-8).

4). When we see the glory of His person, who the Lord Jesus Christ really is, Almighty God and sinless man in one blessed person (1 Tim. 3:16), then we have understanding of the only object of saving faith (Heb. 12:2) and the only message we are to preach (Jn 12:41; 1 Cor. 2:2; 2 Tim. 4:1-4).

- Pastor Tom Harding (Pikeville, KY)

San Diego Grace Fellowship

“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.”

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Service Times

Sunday - 9:30 AM
- 10:30 AM

Wednesday - 6:30 PM

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