

CALL TO WORSHIP

Holy, Holy, Holy #70

ANNOUNCEMENTS / SCRIPTURE / PRAYER

- April birthdays: Mark Iverson -8th
 - Pastor Rick Warta from Yuba-Sutter Grace Church is scheduled to preach here next Wednesday, April 23. Mark your calendar.
 - Today is the third Sunday of the month, we plan to have a fellowship dinner immediately following services. All are welcome.
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HYMN

Savior. Like a Shepherd Lead Us #294

MESSAGES

-pastor Gabe Stalnaker

- Preach the Word **2 Timothy 4:2**
 - Christ Our Judge **2 Timothy 4:1**
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CLOSING HYMN

Savior, Again to Thy Dear Name #81

The whole covenant of grace is made up of God's wills, and His engaging for our souls: and the whole is founded in the purposes of God's love, and faithfulness, and immutability; secured in the blood and righteousness of Christ; and stamped with the broad seal of heaven, by God the Holy Ghost. Hence, therefore, the covenant runs, "I Will be their God, and they SHALL be My people."

-Robert Hawker

Men speak of God giving all men a chance to be saved. When a wise man builds a house, he leaves nothing to chance. From the beginning, he figures where every dollar will go. If changeable men do so, you can be sure that God our Father does. But unlike men, God says, "My counsel shall stand, and I will do all my pleasure." We have to change our plans. But God is sovereign. What he determined from the beginning he brings to pass with no change.

-pastor Clay Curtis

If We Deny

If we deny that man is dead in sin; that he is nothing, has nothing and can do nothing to merit salvation then we make 'man true and God a liar'!

If we deny God's eternal and unconditional election of a people unto salvation; make salvation to be by man's choice and will, instead of God's choice, will and purpose; then we exalt man's will above God's, dethrone the Almighty and set man up in His place!

If we deny the particular and effectual redemption of the elect by the blood of Christ; then we have no gospel to preach, only an atonement that does not atone, a redemption that does not redeem, and a savior that cannot save; we make a mockery of the suffering and death of the Son of God and count the blood of the covenant an unholy (common) thing!

If we deny the invincible and essential work of God the Holy Spirit; in regeneration and the new birth then we must deny that 'that which is born of the flesh is flesh,' and say, 'that which is born of the flesh is spirit'! Then we make Him to be less than man and emphatically deny that salvation is of the Lord, Who only can give life to the dead!

If we deny the preservation and perseverance of the saints; then we openly declare that there is a power greater than God, one who can frustrate His purpose and pluck the sheep out of the Father's hand, contrary to the words of the Lord Jesus.

If we deny Him, He also will deny us. (2 Tim. 2:12).

- Charles Pennington

Affliction is often the means of God to graciously draw His chosen to Himself. Adversity doesn't produce faith, but rather reveals it in the believer.

-pastor Marvin Stalnaker

I believe many things recorded in Scripture not because I can explain their rationale, but because I know that God cannot lie.

-Arthur Pink

Progressive Sanctification

The idea of progressive sanctification (when a person acts more and more holy and sins less and less as they get older) is an idea made up by legalists who are trying to keep people under the law not under grace. The idea of progressive sanctification is nowhere to be found in the Word of God. Do not confuse growing in grace for growing in holiness. A believer does grow in love, joy, peace, longsuffering, gentleness, goodness and faith. There are differing degrees of all of those fruits of the Spirit. But there are no degrees of holiness. We are either holy or unholy. There is no middle ground. The believer is not made holy by our works. Christ IS our holiness. *“But of Him are ye in Christ Jesus, who of God is made unto us wisdom, and righteousness, and sanctification, and redemption” (1 Cor. 1:30)*. If you would see your holiness, do not look to your works, look to Christ who is our holiness. If Christ is our sanctification, we are holy!

-pastor Frank Tate

Whose House Are We if We Hold Fast

Hebrews 3:6

The people of God are called the Temple of God (1 Cor.3:16); the church of God (Acts 20:28); and here the house of God. God dwells in them and they in Him ... IF WE HOLD FAST ... if by the grace of God we have laid hold of the gospel of Christ by faith ... if by grace we have embraced and love the truth of the gospel, and all our hope and confidence of eternal life is in Christ alone. We are God's people, God's house if we continue to believe and lovingly embrace the truth firm unto the end. And notice it says ... “If we hold fast the confidence and the REJOICING of the hope firm unto the end.” We are God's people if we truly REJOICE in Christ Jesus. This is one of the three marks of the true circumcision (spiritual Israel) in Philippians 3:3. As GOD rejoices in His Son, so doth everyone born of God. He is their joy and rejoicing unto the end. Their joy does not diminish, but rather increases and grows stronger unto the end. The first fruits of the Spirit (Gal.5:22) are love and joy. One who ceases to rejoice in and enjoy the gospel, never really loved it (Him). We are of God if we rejoice in Christ to the end. To die in faith is to hear, believe and rejoice to hear the gospel to the end of our life on earth.

-pastor Paul Mahan

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“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.”

Revelation 22:17

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Service Times

Sunday Bible Study - 10:15 AM

Sunday Service - 11:00 AM

Wednesday - 6:30 PM

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"Take my yoke upon you, and learn of me; for I am meek and lowly in heart: and ye shall find rest unto your souls." - *Matthew 11:29*