OPENING HYMN #36

A Mighty Fortress is Our God

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- Brother Obie Williams from Kingsport Sovereign Grace Church in Kingsport, Tennessee is scheduled to preach here the weekend of Feburary 16-17.
- Brother Kevin Thacker from Sovereign Grace Baptist Church in Princeton, New Jersey is scheduled to preach here the weekend of March 16, 17.

SCRIPTURE READING

Philippians 2:1-16

WORSHIP HYMN #255

Blessed Assurance

OFFERING

"Every man according as he purposeth in his heart, *so let him give*; not grudgingly, or of necessity: for God loveth a cheerful giver." *2 Cor 9:7*

WORSHIP HYMN #242

Jesus I Come

MESSAGE

PERFECTED!

HEBREWS 10:14

CLOSING HYMN #296

All The Way My Saviour Leads Me

THINGS TO PONDER

All By the Power and Purpose of God

Much of today's preaching has to do with making Christ our savior. If God is pleased to save us, it will be God the Father who made Him our Savior. It is God who made Christ to be our wisdom, righteousness, sanctification and redemption (I Corinthians 1:30). I do not make Christ to be anything: however God the Father made Him to be everything to His people; Christ is our all in all by the power and purpose of God (Colossians 3:11).

-Pastor John Chapman

Not unto us, O LORD, not unto us, but unto thy name give glory, for thy mercy, and for thy truth's sake.

Done!

Hebrews 10:9-14

C. H. Mackintosh once told of an old woman who was a believer witnessing to a lost religious man. The old saint said to her friend, "There is a wide difference between your religion and mine." "How is that?" he asked. "Your religion," she replied, "has only two letters in it and mine has four."

The poor man was one of those religious people, like the rich young ruler, who hope to get to heaven by the things they do, by observing ordinances and ceremonies, keeping the commandments, and doing good works, by what the apostle in the 9th chapter of Hebrews calls "dead works." But he did not understand what the old saint was saying.

He asked her, "What do you mean by two letters and four?" She replied, "Your religion is d-o — Do. Mine is d-o-n-e — Done." "Do" is the religion of the legalist, the religion of works, the religion of Babylon. "Done" is Christianity. "Do" is the false gospel of antichrist, the lie of Satan. "Done" is the proclamation of the gospel, the good news of grace, the truth of God.

D-O-N-E. — Four golden letters! Precious letters! — DONE — Precious word of grace! — Who can describe the relief of a guilt-plagued conscience when it discovers that all is done, done more than 2000 years ago on the cross!

The Lord Jesus Christ has done all. He has put away sin. He has "magnified the law and made it honorable." The Lord Jesus Christ has vanquished Satan! He has taken the sting out of death and victory from the grave! The Lord Jesus has glorified the Triune God in the very scene in which the Almighty had been dishonored. He brought in everlasting righteousness. All of that, and more, is wrapped up in these four golden letters — D-O-N-E.

"DONE" is the message of the gospel. Done is God's proclamation of emancipation in the soul of every sinner who trusts the Lord Jesus Christ. Oh, may God the Holy Ghost give you life and faith in the ever-blessed Son, the Lord Jesus Christ, and graciously cause you to cease from your deadly doing and to rest in Christ's eternal — DONE!

Our Lord's work of redemption is done. His atonement is complete. The sins, which he bore in his body on the tree, have been fully purged away, completely atoned for, and entirely removed. All that Christ came to do he has completely done. The priests of Israel could never sit down, because their work was never done, their sacrifices could never take away sin. —

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"But this man, after he had offered one sacrifice for sins forever, sat down on the right hand of God." The Lord Jesus Christ who redeemed sinners by his blood now reigns in heaven to save every sinner for whom he died by the power of his grace.

"Nothing, either great or small, nothing, sinner, no; Jesus did it, did it all, long, long ago. Cast your deadly doing down, down at Jesus' feet, Stand in Him, in Him alone, gloriously complete!"

-Pastor Don Fortner

EVEN FOR THIS SAME PURPOSE

Surely the wrath of man shall praise thee: the remainder of wrath shalt thou restrain. Psalm 76:10

Isn't it incredible how the Lord overrides the will of man to accomplish His own will and purpose? Isn't it amazing how God can easily take man's wrath and use it to bring praise and glory to His great name?

Pharaoh made a decree to have every male child of Israel thrown into the Nile River to be drowned. But God, according to His sovereign will, purpose and providence, sends the very male-child that will be His people's deliverer to live in the palace of Pharaoh. In the purpose of God, Pharaoh is going to feed, clothe, educate and provide in every way for the very one that would deliver Israel out of the bondage of Egypt. It wasn't by chance or accident that Pharaoh's daughter went down to the river that day at that exact time. Moses wasn't lucky that Pharaoh's daughter found him. There is no luck, no accidents and no chance happenings in a world ruled by God Almighty. Again we see the power and providence of God at work in the lives of His people. Pharaoh's daughter finds the child, determines to adopt him, and then sends the child back home with his own mother, all the while paying her wages to nurse and raise her own child. Only God could accomplish such a thing!

Yet, why should I be surprised and astonished? "For the scripture saith unto Pharaoh, Even for this same purpose have I raised thee up, that I might shew my power in thee, and that my name might be declared throughout all the earth."

-Pastor David Eddmenson

God is faithful, by whom ye were called unto the fellowship of his Son Jesus Christ our Lord.

-1Cor 1:9

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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."

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