

CALL TO WORSHIP #175

Standing On The Promises

SCRIPTURE READING

Sun- Andre G.

Wed- Kevin T.

WORSHIP HYMN #129

At The Cross

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- The plumbing repairs have been completed in the auditorium. We have scheduled a company to steam clean the carpets while the chairs are removed. These actions were needed, but the preparations also makes my desire stronger to meet in person again! I pray the Lord's appointed time for that is near!
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MESSAGE

THE BELIEVERS' ADVOCATE

1 JOHN 1V8-2V2

CLOSING HYMN #293

The Lord's My Shepherd

THE EFFECT OF THE KING

"And the eyes of them that see shall not be dim, and the ears of them that hear shall hearken." - Isaiah 32v3

When the Spirit of Christ gives life, the faith of Christ is formed in the heart. This is the effect of Christ's grace and power. A response to God shall be had within his new creation. Old things are passed away. Behold all things are become new. Their eyes see the King. The vail of flesh no longer blocks their view. Their once deaf ear is opened. The creature now hearkens to the voice of its creator with faith formed. The tongue now loosened confesses Christ the Lord. They the sinner. Christ the Savior!

- Pastor Eric Lutter

WHAT IS THIS LIGHT?

-1 John 1v5

All the aspects of God's character are sustained and defined by His Holiness, His Light.

God is Sovereign - The ruler and sustainer of all things.

God is Just - He will in no wise clear the guilty.

God is Love - Herein is love, not that we loved God, but that He loved us and sent His Son to be the propitiation for our sins.

God is Truth - He cannot lie.

All these things are true of the character and person of God, but they hinge on His Holiness. If He were like man there would be no comfort in His sovereignty, only fear. There would be not compassion in His love, only heartache. There would be no hope in His promise, only doubt.

Brethren, God is not like us! He is perfect, Holy, and Righteous! (*Num. 23v19, Psalm 135v15-18*). Our God, the God of The Bible, is HOLY!

God does not do what is right, what God does is right! Holiness is a hard thing for us to put into words because it is so foreign to mankind. We must have a pure heart, a holy heart, to enter into God's presence. (*Heb. 12v14*)

How is His holiness manifested and proven to us? God Almighty's Light is revealed in and through His son, Christ Jesus!

- KBT

FEAR NOT

Without a doubt a world-crisis is at hand, and everywhere men are alarmed. But God is not! He is never taken by surprise. It is no unexpected emergency which now confronts Him, for He is the One who “worketh all things after the counsel of His own will” (*Ephesians 1v11*). Hence, though the world is panic-stricken, the word to the believer is, “Fear not!” “All things” are subject to His immediate control: “all things” are moving in accord with His eternal purpose, and therefore, “all things” are “working together for good to them that love God, to them who are the called according to His purpose.” It must be so, for “of Him, and through Him, and to Him are all things” (*Romans 11v36*). Yet how little is this realized today even by the people of God! Many suppose that He is little more than a far-distant Spectator, taking no immediate hand in the affairs of earth. It is true that man has a will, but so also has God. It is true that man is endowed with power, but God is all-powerful. It is true that, speaking generally, the material world is regulated by law, but behind that law is the law-Giver and law-Administrator. Man is but the creature. God is the Creator, and endless ages before man first saw the light “the mighty God” (*Isaiah 9v6*) existed, and ere the world was founded, made His plans; and being infinite in power and man only finite, His purpose and plan cannot be withstood or thwarted by the creatures of His own hands.

- A.W. Pink (**written in 1930**)

"People do not believe they need a Saviour. Why? Because they do not believe that God will punish sin."

- Rolfe Barnard

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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*