



CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH

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JULY 10TH, 2022

TODAY'S SCRIPTURE READING



1 Chronicles 22:1-19

In 1989, our dear shepherd at that time, Pastor Ron Blough, initiated our reading through a portion of the 66 books of the Bible as a congregation, typically a chapter each Sunday. Since then, we have been through the entire Bible one full time and are currently in First Chronicles, the 13th book of the Bible.



TODAY'S SERVICE



1. Hymn #455 - "I Am Resolved"
 2. Opening Prayer & Announcements
 3. Hymn #471 - "Lord of My Heart"
 4. Hymn #474 - "I'd Rather Have Jesus"
 5. Hymn #503 - "Moment by Moment"
 6. Reading: **Brother Wyatt Daniels**
 7. **Message:** "A Mind and Heart Set upon Christ"
 8. Hymn #680 - "Rejoice in the Lord"
 9. Benediction
 10. Sunday Evening Bible Study
Holy War #46; John 20:30-31
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A MIND *and* HEART SET *upon* CHRIST

“Now set your mind and heart to seek the LORD your God. Arise and build the sanctuary of the LORD God, so that the ark of the covenant of the LORD and the holy vessels of God may be brought into a house built for the name of the LORD.” 1 CHRONICLES 22:19, ESV

I. BACKGROUND FOR OUR CHAPTER

1. The Word to David from the Lord, 1 Chr 17
2. The Warfare of David in the Lord, 1 Chr 18
3. The Wickedness Against David, 1 Chr 19
4. The Wars’ Rewards & Repetition, 1 Chr 20
5. The Worldly Arrogance of David, 1 Chr 21
6. The Wonderful Counsel of David, 1 Chr 22
 - a. provisions for building God’s house, vv1-5
 - b. prophetic charge to the king’s son, vv6-16
 - c. powerful command to Israel’s leaders, vv17-19

II. BLESSINGS & APPLICATION FROM OUR TEXT

A Song of Ascents. Of Solomon. *Unless the LORD builds the house, those who build it labor in vain. Unless the LORD watches over the city, the watchman stays awake in vain. It is in vain that you rise up early and go late to rest, eating the bread of anxious toil; for He gives to His beloved sleep.* PSALM 127:1-2, ESV

1. For Sanctification’s Sake

- a. seek (see v18); Heb 13:5b; “worship” (JPS); Heb 11:6
 - i. דָּרַשׁ (*da-RASH*): tread, frequent, follow; a pursuit
- b. *your mind and heart* or “*your heart and your soul*” (KJV)
 - i. *mind*, נֶפֶשׁ (*NE-fesh*)
 - ii. *heart*, לֵבָב (*lā-VAV*)
 - iii. *arise* (v19b)
 - iv. Deut 6:4-5; Luke 10:27
- c. *set*, נָתַן (*na-TAN*): give
 - i. Lev 16:21; John 3:16; 1 Cor 6:19-20
- d. *Now*, עַתָּה (*at-TAH*): at this moment
 - i. Psa 144:4; Eph 5:16

<p>Luke 10:27, NT Greek heart, καρδία (<i>kar-DEE-a</i>) soul, ψυχή (<i>psoo-XĀ</i>) mind, διανοία (<i>dee-AN-oy-a</i>)</p>
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2. For Salvation’s Sake

- a. seek; Isa 45:22; John 14:6
- b. heart & mind
 - i. Jer 17:9; Rom 1:28; Isa 64:6
 - ii. Christ sacrificed away from temple
- c. set; give
 - i. arise (v19b)
- d. Now
 - i. Psa 146:3-4; Jas 4:14

QUOTE of the WEEK

God is so holy that he never can have fellowship with unholy creatures. Heaven, the court of God, is so holy that never can unholy beings tread its hallowed pavement. An angel once became unholy, and from the battlements of heaven he was hurled into the deeps of hell. God willed to save his elect, but he would not bring them to heaven until he had sanctified them; he, therefore, sent his Son to die, that from his wounded side might flow the purifying stream. Surely he who would not spare Satan, the bright archangel, will not admit polluted man to heaven; and he who put his Son to death to bring his own elect to heaven, by purifying them from sin, will not bring any of us there if we remain unholy and submit not ourselves to the gospel of Jesus Christ. This is the object of election—“God hath chosen us from the beginning that we should be holy.” This is the very end of our calling. “He hath called to virtue and holiness.” “As he that hath called you is holy, be ye holy in all manner of conversation.” This is the work of the Holy Spirit, he sanctifies the soul, and purifies us day by day. This is the test of likeness to Christ, for it is in true holiness that we are conformed unto the image of God’s dear Son. Unholy men cannot enter heaven, it is impossible. Sooner might God die than unholiness live in his presence.

Now, see, my dear friends, the text says, “*Follow* holiness;” *follow* it, that is to say, you will not gain it by standing still. Nobody ever grew holy without consenting, desiring, and agonising to be holy. Sin will grow without sowing, but holiness needs cultivation. Follow it, it will not run after you. You must pursue it with determination, with eagerness, with long-continued perseverance, as a hunter pursues his prey. You have not yet gained all the holiness which you may have and ought to have. You are in some respects holy, all of you who have believed, for you are sanctified and set apart by God the Father; you are also rendered holy, in some respects, by being dedicated to Christ and being consecrated as his servants, but you have need to, follow the holiness which the Spirit of God works in you; and I do beseech you, beseeching most of all myself, listen to this word—“Follow holiness.” [*emphasis in original*]

“The Wincing Fan” from the text, Hebrews 12:14-15
a sermon delivered on July 10th, 1870 by Charles Haddon Spurgeon
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This Week's Bible Portions from *Robert Murray McCheyne's "Daily Bread"*

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FAMILY READINGS			PRIVATE READINGS	
Joshua 12-13	Ps. 145	10	Jeremiah 6	Matthew 20
Joshua 14-15	Ps. 146-147	11	Jeremiah 7	Matthew 21
Joshua 16-17	Ps. 148	12	Jeremiah 8	Matthew 22
Joshua 18-19	Ps. 149-150	13	Jeremiah 9	Matthew 23
Joshua 20-21	Acts 1	14	Jeremiah 10	Matthew 24
Joshua 22	Acts 2	15	Jeremiah 11	Matthew 25
Joshua 23	Acts 3	16	Jeremiah 12	Matthew 26
Joshua 24	Acts 4	17	Jeremiah 13	Matthew 27

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