

First Baptist Church – Odessa

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“The Power of the Gospel” – Pt. 2

“Calvary’s Enough” – Pt. 2

1 Corinthians 15:1-2 & Selected

The Gospel of Jesus Christ...

I. Is the central message of the Church!

“Now I would remind you, brothers, of the gospel I preached to you.”

Vs. 1a

The Gospel Consists of...

- **The life and ministry of Jesus Christ, the Son of God.**
- **The suffering and sacrificial death of Jesus on a cross.**
- **The literal burial of Jesus in a borrowed tomb.**
- **The resurrection of Jesus on the first Easter morning.**

“For I delivered to you as of first importance what I also received: that Christ died for our sins in accordance with the Scriptures, that He was buried, that He was raised on the third day in accordance with the Scriptures.” 1 Corinthians 15:3-4

II. Is the _____ message of the Church!

“Now I would remind you, brothers, of the gospel I preached to you, which you received.” Vs. 1b

“But to all who did receive Him, who believed in His name, He gave the right to become children of God, who were born, not of blood nor of the will of the flesh nor of the will of man, but of God.” John 1:12-13

“If you confess with your mouth that Jesus is Lord and believe in your heart that God raised Him from the dead, you will be saved.”

Romans 10:9

III. Is the _____ message of the Church!

“Now I would remind you, brothers, of the gospel I preached to you, which you received, in which you stand.” Vs. 1c

“Everyone who goes on ahead and does not abide in the teaching of Christ, does not have God. Whoever abides in the teaching has both Father and the Son.” 2 John 9

IV. Is the _____ message of the Church!

“Now I would remind you, brothers, of the gospel I preached to you, which you received, in which you stand, and by which you are being saved, if you hold fast to the word I preached to you – unless you believed in vain.” Vs. 1-2

“But God, being rich in mercy, because of the great love with which He loved us, even when we were dead in our trespasses, made us alive together with Christ – by grace you have been saved.” Ephesians 2:4-5

“Therefore, if anyone is in Christ, he is a new creation. The old has passed away; behold, the new has come.” 2 Corinthians 5:17

- I am saved... My _____ is forgiven!
- I am being saved... My _____ is positive!
- I will be saved... My _____ is guaranteed!