A Different Gospel

09:55 am 5 Min. Countdown - VIDEO

10:00 am **LIVE Worship –

10:25 am **LIVE In House Welcome -

WELCOME to The Peak CC Welcome our Church Online Platform –

We are so glad you could join us as we worship the Lord & expound on His Word.

If this is your 1st time or perhaps you've been with us before but haven't engaged... Please fill out

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10:30 AM **Announcements Video - Tithing

10:32am LIVE SHOT – Welcome - Pastor Self Intro -

The Peak Journey: 9am Sundays @ Balcony - Breakfast & Talk

Sunday School: 1st things 1st 9am Sundays 2nd floor.

Home Groups 7pm Mon Nights - 7/3/2023 - Sam Awuku moving HYBRID / DIGITAL

Men's Fellowship 8:30 am 1st & 3rd Saturday - Breakfast

STAY TUNED: The PEAK Journey next outreach Sept 30th Cliff Climbing

Pre-planning HARVEST FEST RIVERFRONT Oct 28th. Praying, fasting, volunteering. - please reach out evelin@

WE ARE THE CHURCH

A few weeks ago NEW SERMON SERIES... Church isn't a building we goto or a denomination we belong to... Church is what WE ARE...

& as The Church.... What exactly do we believe? what is it that we have "in Common"?

Galatians 1: 6-10

Only One Gospel

⁶I marvel that you are *turning away* so soon from *Him who called you* in the grace of Christ, to a *different gospel*, ⁷ which is *not another*; but there are some who trouble you and want to *pervert the gospel* of Christ. ⁸ But even if <u>we</u>, or an <u>angel</u> from heaven, preach any other gospel to you than what we have preached to you, let him

<u>be accursed</u>. ⁹ As we have said before, so now I say again, <u>if anyone</u> preaches any other gospel to you than what you have received, let him be accursed.

¹⁰ For do I now persuade men, or God? Or <u>do I seek to please men</u>? For if I still pleased men, I would not be a bondservant of Christ.

Turning away – start in one direction & then veer off in another... (slightest most minimal change) sailor navigating waters... MILE away from your original destination...

A different Gospel... "Different"

Some things should be different ... & somethings should NOT!!

Different – Grk; heteron "Another of a different kind" V.6

V.7 "which is not another" Grk; allo "another of the same kind"

Who is it that *CALLS* the sinner into salvation?

It is HIM who called...

Romans 8:28 (NKJV)

²⁸ And we know that all things work together for good to those who love God, to those who are the called according to *His* purpose.

Why do you think you're here today? Who do you think drew you out?

John 14:6 (NKJV)

⁶ Jesus said to him, "I am the way, the truth, and the life. No one comes to the Father except through Me.

John 6:44 (NKJV)

⁴⁴ No one can come to Me unless the Father who sent Me draws him; and I will raise him up at the last day.

Call: (Kaleo) to invite 7 or summoned

There are some.... Who trouble

Judaizers – tried to incorporate ... traditions.. Synergize... marry other doctrines... LAW

There was some then.... As there are some NOW...

Cults: that would say their way of believing is THE ONLY WAY... you would have to ad hear to their doctrine and it steps out of the sure word of God given by the prophets..

(Jehovah witnesses / sciencetology / unification church / Fundamentalist church of Jesus Christ of the Latter-Day Saints)

How do they Trouble??

They pervert the gospel of Jesus Christ. Distort

The absolute need for doctrinal soundness....

2 Peter 1:16-21 (NKJV)

The Trustworthy Prophetic Word

¹⁶ For we did not follow cunningly devised fables when we made known to you the power and coming of our Lord Jesus Christ, but were eyewitnesses of His majesty. ¹⁷ For He received from God the Father honor and glory when such a voice

came to Him from the Excellent Glory: "This is My beloved Son, in whom I am well pleased." ¹⁸ And we heard this voice which came from heaven when we were with Him on the holy mountain.

¹⁹ And so we have the prophetic word confirmed, which you do well to heed as a light that shines in a dark place, until the day dawns and the morning star rises in your hearts; ²⁰ knowing this first, that no prophecy of Scripture is of any private interpretation, ²¹ for prophecy never came by the will of man, but holy men of God spoke *as they were* moved by the Holy Spirit.

We cannot shape the gospel ... THE GOSPEL MUST SHAPE US!!! Mold us... change us...

It's the GOSPEL that transforms us...

What is the Gospel?? Grk: (Yoo-ang-ghel-ee-on) evangel, evangelize, evangelistic....

I ancient Greece (Yoo-ang-*ghel*-ee-on) designated the reward given for bringing "Good News" .. Later it came to mean the "Good News" itself....

In the NT it indicates both the promise of salvation... & the actual fulfillment...

How is that actually accomplished??

By the Life Death.... RESURRECTION.... & Ascension of Jesus Christ...

v.8 Even if we.... Or an angel from heaven preaches another ... a different... a distorted gospel...

Let him be accursed....

Anathema; It refers to the animal that was to be slain as a sacrifice ... it was devoted to destruction.... Because it was associated with sin.... The word has an evil connotation & was synonymous with a curse.

Paul was holding himself accountable to Preach the full counsel of God as it is revealed in the sure word of the prophets and fulfilled in Gods Messiah!!1 Jesus Christ ... the ONLY PROVISION BY WHICH WE MUST BE SAVED!!

V.10 Who do men who handle the Word of God have to answer to?

Am I seeking to be a man pleaser or a GOD PLEASER

I will NEVER say this is the only church... or that you cant connect with another worship style... we try to be culturally relevant and connect with modern day struggles.... But only applying the unadulterated WORD of God!!!

Look for the biblical marks of a Pastor...

1 Thessalonians 2:1-12 (NKJV)

Paul's Conduct

2 For you yourselves know, brethren, that our coming to you was not in vain. ² But even after we had suffered before and were spitefully treated at Philippi, as you know, we were bold in our God to speak to you the gospel of God in much conflict. ³ For our exhortation *did* not *come* from error or uncleanness, nor *was it* in deceit.

⁴But as we have been approved by God to be entrusted with the gospel, even so we speak, not as pleasing men, but God who tests our hearts. ⁵For neither at any time did we use flattering words, as you know, nor a cloak for covetousness—God *is* witness. ⁶Nor did we seek glory from men, either from you or

from others, when we might have made demands as apostles of Christ. ⁷ But we were gentle among you, just as a nursing *mother* cherishes her own children. ⁸ So, affectionately longing for you, we were well pleased to impart to you not only the gospel of God, but also our own lives, because you had become dear to us. ⁹ For you remember, brethren, our labor and toil; for laboring night and day, that we might not be a burden to any of you, we preached to you the gospel of God.

¹⁰ You are witnesses, and God also, how devoutly and justly and blamelessly we behaved ourselves among you who believe; ¹¹ as you know how we exhorted, and comforted, and charged every one of you, as a father does his own children, ¹² that you would walk worthy of God who calls you into His own kingdom and glory.

The marks of a Pastor is in labor/service / & Pastoral example only God can provide that heart... & its my prayer... that's the heart you would receive...

Do you know Him church??

Have you experienced life transformation??

Have you surrendered your life to His Will? Are you sure of your salvation?? If you're not sure, and want to turn your life & will over to the care of the One who gave it all for you... Can I see your hand..

ALL STAND & ALTAR CALL FOR SALVATION 1st....

Numbers 6:24-26 (NIV)

24 "The Lord bless you and keep you;
25 the Lord make his face shine on you and be gracious to you;

²⁶ the Lord turn his face toward you and give you peace."

I bless you church, In the Name of the Father, Son, & His Holy Spirit.... As a child of God ... live out your Religion.... Not in word alone.... BUT IN ACTION.... Let your life be HIS message!!!