# **MANUAL SERMON GUIDE**

September 13, 2020

1 Samuel 15:10-23

## Look Up:

1 Samuel 13:8-14

### **REVIEW**

In 1 Samuel 13, we learned of "Saul's Folly," when Saul and his army were facing the Philistines. Instead of waiting on the Lord and the priest, Samuel, Saul decided to offer the burnt offering himself. Saul disobeyed the Lord, and Samuel prophesied that the Kingdom would be taken from Saul and given to another.

### LIES THAT DESTROY

- - $\circ$  Lie #2 My good W\_\_\_\_\_ are good enough
  - Lie #3 I can J\_\_\_\_\_ myself
- God didn't want the treasures of war. He wanted Saul's HEART. He wanted obedience.

### Look Up:

1 Samuel 15 Exodus 17:14

### Look up:

1 Samuel 15:29 Hebrews 12:25-29

### TRUTHS THAT TRANSFORM

- We must remember WHO God is:
  - glorious
  - morally perfect
  - holy
  - o not like us
  - o never makes mistakes
  - never changes

### FAMILY WORSHIP GUIDE

Your worship at home doesn't need to end after streaming! Throughout the week, you can continue to sing, pray, and study God's Word as a family.

### STUDY QUESTIONS

- 1. Read 1 Samuel 15:10-23
- 2. What did God command Saul to do after destroying the Amalekites? What did Saul do instead?
- 3. What is sin? Sin is disobedience against God's perfect law, by failing to do what God commands or doing what God forbids.
- 4. According to Romans 3:23, who is guilty of sin? We are.
- 5. Read Psalm 89:30-32. What does every sin deserve? The wrath and curse of God.
- 6. According to 1 Timothy 1:15, why did Jesus come into this world? To save sinners.
- 7. Read Isaiah 55:7. How can we be saved? Repentance and faith.
- 8. Read Ephesians 2:8-9. Can anyone be saved by his own works? No one can be saved by his own works we have been saved by God's grace (undeserved kindness) by faith in Christ.

### **BIBLE MEMORY**

#### 1 Samuel 15:22

To obey is better than sacrifice...

### WORSHIP SONGS

Jesus, Eternal God (Andrew King)

See page 3 of this worship guide for lyrics.

This hymn is sung to the tune, "Crown Him with Many Crowns."

### **PRAYER**

We confess, Oh Lord, that we are guilty of disobeying you, and like Saul we deserve your wrath and punishment. Thank you for sending Jesus, who perfectly kept the law of God and suffered the punishment we deserved. By your Spirit, give us hearts to turn from our sin and to believe in Christ. Amen.

THIS WEEK'S PRAYER REQUESTS:

### Jesus, Eternal God Andrew King

Jesus, eternal God,
became the Son of man;
obediently the path he trod,
his Father's perfect plan:
he came to make God known,
he died to draw death's sting,
he lives, the Lamb upon the throne,
our Prophet, Priest and King.

- 2. Our Prophet, he explains all we can know of God, for only he eternal reigns, the uncreated Word.

  In ages long since gone God spoke in various ways, but now has spoken by his Sonobey him all your days!
- 3. Our great High Priest, who prayed for those who shed his blood, who once our full atonement made, now pleads for us with God; though sinless, well he knew temptations like our own, and so can sympathize with you: come boldly to his throne.
  - 4. Our conquering King is he; he dies, to die no more!
    He lives, appointed now to be God's Son in risen power.
    His kingdom has no end; to come, yet present now, and all, as rebel or as friend, one day to him will bow.

5.Our Prophet, Priest and King,
he meets our every need;
to him your lives and praises bring—
this man is God indeed.
To speak, to save, to reign,
he came to us in grace,
and when at last he comes again
we'll see him face to face.

