The Christian Center Newsletter 3-31-24

Jesus Was Dead; Now He Is Alive Forevermore!

Revelation 1:18 KJV I am He that liveth, and was dead; and, behold, I am alive for evermore, Amen; and have the keys of hell and of death.

"Jesus was a good man"; this is what a lot of religions preach. They don't deny that Jesus was a man sent from God to do good works for mankind, but they stop at Him being raised from the dead and that He is alive forevermore. They really don't understand the mission for which Jesus came to the earth. Jesus came to die for the sins of humanity. God His Father sent Him to be our substitutionary sacrifice for all of our sins. The death of Jesus guaranteed that all of man's sins were put on Him and He died with them. To anyone that believes that Jesus was resurrected from the dead, He will give them salvation from eternal hell.

Let's look at Scriptures in the Bible that point this out.

Romans 10:9-10 KJV That if thou shalt confess with thy mouth the Lord Jesus, and shalt believe in thine heart that God hath raised Him from the dead, thou shalt be saved. [10] For with the heart man believeth unto righteousness; and with the mouth confession is made unto salvation.

Romans 4:24-25 KJV But for us also, to whom it shall be imputed, if we believe on Him that raised up Jesus our Lord from the dead; [25] Who was delivered for our offences, and was raised again for our justification.

Nobody can save themselves with their good works. Most of the so-called Christian religions today preach a perverted gospel. On one hand they believe that Jesus died for their sins, but on the other hand they believe that they must do everything right according to the law of Moses in order to not go to hell. This false gospel teaches people that their good works will save them; not that only Jesus' death on the cross can save anyone. Let's look at some Scriptures that bear this out.

Romans 5:6-10 KJV For when we were yet without strength, in due time Christ died for the ungodly. [7] For scarcely for a righteous man will one die: yet peradventure for a good man some would even dare to die. [8] But God commendeth His love toward us, in that, while we were yet sinners, Christ died for us. [9] Much more then, being now justified by His blood, we shall be saved from wrath through Him. [10] For if, when we were enemies, we were reconciled to God by the death of His Son, much more, being reconciled, we shall be saved by His life.

Always remember that if Jesus didn't die for our sins, there is no way that we will go to Heaven. God will never let sin into Heaven. When we accept what Jesus did for us through His death for our sins, we are accepting that our sins are paid for forever. The only sin that will send a person to hell is their not accepting Jesus as their Lord and Savior.

As we close this Newsletter today, read and think about the following Scriptures; and let your Father God fill you with joy in believing.

Revelation 2:8 KJV And unto the angel of the church in Smyrna write; These things saith the First and the Last, which was dead, and is alive;

Revelation 1:5 KJV And from Jesus Christ, Who is the Faithful Witness, and the First Begotten of the dead, and the Prince of the kings of the earth. Unto Him that loved us, and washed us from our sins in His own blood.

1 Thessalonians 4:15-18 KJV For this we say unto you by the word of the Lord, that we which are alive and remain unto the coming of the Lord shall not prevent them which are asleep. [16] For the Lord Himself shall descend from Heaven with a shout, with the voice of the archangel, and with the trump of God: and the dead in Christ shall rise first: [17] Then we which are alive and remain shall be caught up together with them in the clouds, to meet the Lord in the air: and so shall we ever be with the Lord. [18] Wherefore comfort one another with these words.

Love you, Pastor Paul

This Week's Daily Bible Readings Monday 2 Corinthians 1

Tuesday2 Corinthians 2

Wednesday
2 Corinthians 3

Thursday
2 Corinthians 4

Friday 2 Corinthians 5

Saturday 2 Corinthians 6

Sunday 2 Corinthians 7 STAY CONNECTED

** Here is the link for The Christian Center app- - https://subsplash.com/thechristiancenter/app

- ** If you need prayer, call our Prayer Line 580-704-0505
- ** Singles will be eating after Services at: Wendy's 1930 NW Cache Rd
- ** You can give by texting through the TCC app.
- ** Marriage Class: 4th Saturday 10am-12 noon in Fellowship Hall. Childcare available for 4 years old and up. Open for couples that are married, engaged, dating, or widowed

SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASSES

at 9:45am

Children — 6 months - 5th grade

Youth — 6th -12th grades

Young Singles/College & Career -ages 18-26

ADULT CLASSES

*Foundation 1 - Pastor Paul

*Healing -Witherspoon

*Foundation 2 - Wiggins.

*Marriage - Williams

*Faith - Whitley

*Prayer - Cunningham

REGULAR ACTIVITIES

Daily

- * Early Morning Prayer in Sanctuary: Monday-Friday 6:15-7:15am
- * Women's Dance Aerobics: Mon-Fri 10-11am in the Gym
- * Noonday Bible Study: Mon-Fri 12:15 in Sanctuary or 91.1fm or live stream on TCC app

Weekly

- ** Sunday Services: 9:45 am classes; 10:45am Main Service
- ** Monday Night Care Group: In Sanctuary under balcony 7pm

- ** Wednesday Night Prayer: 6pm before Services in the Foundation 1 Classroom
- ** Wednesday Night: Adult and Youth Services 7pm (Youth meet in Youth area)
- ** Mobile Prayer: Fri 2-3:30pm Hobby Lobby parking lot
- ** Friday Night Prayer: 7pm in Sanctuary under balcony

Monthly

*** Crosses at the Corner:

1st Saturday 11am-1pm corner of Sheridan and Cache Rd.

- *** Women's Meeting: 2nd Saturday 9am in Fellowship Hall
- *** Women's Discipleship:
 3rd Thursday 5pm in Sanctuary
- *** Horse Ministry: 3rd Saturday 11am -2 pm at Camp Faith
- *** Marriage Class: 4th Saturday 10am-12 noon in the Fellowship Hall. Childcare available 4 years old and up