

Mt. Lebanon Church/ Big Isaac Community Church

Sunday School Lesson

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Please look up and read all verses in their entirety. I have only written partial verses.

Make your own notes, write down other scriptures that you run across while studying, write down questions that you may have or comments as well. Allow the Holy Spirit to reveal to you what he would have you to see through the study of God's word.

No One Is Like God

Isaiah 40: 21 – 31

From the beginning man has tried to create God in their own image, and even in our time today we try and build up to a God that will excuse the sinfulness that we tend to overlook as being a part of our everyday lifestyle, a God who will not condemn the choices that we make. Therefore, we have the tendency to always relate or compare with someone or something else when explaining situations and circumstances in our life. We will use worldly actions when trying to understand the concepts of the greatness of God. But remember, nothing can compare to God's attributes or his works. The characteristics of his nature, his unmatched power, his holiness, his mercy, his grace, and his sovereignty serve as a foundation of his faithfulness unto us. This uniqueness of his divine status encourages us as believers to rely wholly and completely upon him as the ultimate source of the strength of our salvation, for he alone is God.

Exodus 15: 11,....who is like unto thee, O Lord....glorious in holiness, fearful in praises, doing wonders....

1 Samuel 2: 2,....there is none holy as the Lord, for there is none beside thee, neither is there any rock like our God....

1 Chronicles 17: 20,....O Lord there is none like thee, neither is there any God beside thee, according to all that we have heard with our ears....

Psalms 86: 8,....among the Gods there is none like unto thee, O Lord, neither are there any works like unto thy works....

When we begin to understand our unworthiness, as believers it is then that we can accept the perfection of his purpose and his plan in our life, for only a humble man can receive the commandments and promises of the truth of Gods word. Acknowledging Gods greatness and faithfulness toward us helps us to realize that his works surpass all of our worldly expectations. Yes, there will be many that will presume to elevate themselves with a puffed up worldly pride and therefore will reject God through mindless, false, imaginations and demonstrations of worship, but as believers, it has been proven unto us that God is faithful and forgiving, therefore, we testify of our trust in him, and we confess that he is Lord, and our hope is in him alone, for no one is like unto God.

Isaiah 40: 21 – 24,....have ye not known? have ye not heard? hath it not been to you from the beginning? have ye not understood from the foundations of the earth?....it is he that sitteth upon the circle of the earth....the bringeth the princes to nothing, he maketh the judges of the earth his vanity....their stock shall not take root in the earth....they shall wither....shall take them away as stubble....

The word of God in many instances uses exalted questions to challenge the believer, asking us if we have known, heard, or even understood Gods power in our life, implying that we should recognize his role as our creator and ruler over all things, encouraging us to trust in his eternal, unfailing wisdom and strength rather than relying upon the false deceptions of the world. It is his desire that we acknowledge his supreme authority, which has been established from the beginning, with the promise that those who will sincerely seek after his mercy and grace will endure with him in the end.

Have ye not known: Is Gods way of asking: why is it that in times of various situations and circumstances in our life we tend to forget his infinite power, his eternal nature, and his everlasting presence and ability to provide the strength needed that we might look beyond hardships and sufferings in our life and put our faith and our trust completely in him.

Proverbs 3: 5 – 6,....trust in the Lord with all thine heart....lean not unto thine own understanding....in all thy ways acknowledge him, and he shall direct thy paths....

Have ye not heard: Hath it not been told to you from the beginning: this is Gods way of challenging the believer to seek after spiritual awareness. Failure to listen causes spiritual blindness and limits us spiritually during those times when we are going through situations and circumstances in our life, creating moments of despair and anxiety and worldly fear. Gods word is a reminder that his power is not limited by our worldly situations, which helps us to realize that he is the basis for our eternal hope even when we feel that all hope is lost and forgotten.

Isaiah 53: 3,....incline your ear, and come unto me, hear, and your soul shall live, and I will make an everlasting covenant with you....

Have ye not understood that from the foundations of the earth: all things are evidence of Gods existence and authority: So why does humanity not recognize his unchanging nature. It is because not all of mankind will confess to his infinite sovereignty, the one whose wisdom and knowledge surpasses all human understanding, an undeniable power seen throughout nature itself, making all of mankind without excuse for not accepting his saving grace.

Hebrews 4: 12,....for the word of God is quick, and powerful, and sharper than any two-edged sword....and is a discerner of the thoughts and intents of the heart....

So, as believers, we must move beyond the existence of intellectual worldly knowledge and rely upon the guidance of the Holy Spirit in our personal relationship with God. A relationship that leads us through life's situations and circumstances, showing unto us that recognizing the opportunity to grow and to mature into a deeper love for God while applying his divine truth to our lives as we express his love unto others. True understanding involves allowing the instruction of his word to guide and to change the actions of our heart, transforming our entire walk with him into that which he would have us to be.

Isaiah 40: 25 – 28,....lift up your eyes on high....behold who hath created these things....he calleth them all by names....by the greatness of his might....he is strong in power....hast thou not known, hast thou not heard, that the everlasting God, the Lord, the creator of the ends of the earth, fainteth not, neither is weary, there is no searching of his understanding....

God is eternal, he is and always has been and the entirety of creation belongs to him, which signifies his absolute sovereignty and authority. Unlike humanity who grows tired and faint, God is never weary and never faints. His wisdom, knowledge, and understanding are immeasurable, beyond anything that our mortal mind can search out. This is a foundational truth, reassuring us as believers of the security of our eternal hope in him.

Isaiah 40: 29 – 31,....he giveth power to the faint, and to them that have no might he increaseth strength....the youths shall faint and be weary....the young men shall....fall....but they that wait upon the Lord shall renew their strength, they shall mount up with wings as eagles, they shall run, and not be weary, and they shall walk, and not faint....

When we as believers become spiritually and physically exhausted, and we will, our message of hope is that the Lord will enable us to overcome, with the promise of his divine empowerment as a message of hope. God will meet with us as believers in our moments of weakness, offering unto us strength, if we will only turn unto him and seek his will, transforming our weaknesses into strength and allowing us to persevere in faith as we overcome life's difficulties.

Hebrews 10: 36,....for ye have need of patience, that, after ye have done the will of God, ye might receive the promise....

Those who trust and rely upon God will receive strength to overcome life's challenges, enabling us to rise above our difficulties and sufferings, providing us with the endurance to gain spiritual perspective and confidence that surpasses any human ability. When we feel that we are at our limit then look to God and he will give unto us the power to keep going, and not just to survive, but the power to continue on in the joy and un the happiness of the Lord.

Let us Pray.

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