

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.

Isaiah's Glimpse of God's Throne

Isaiah 6: 1 - 13

Often time, as believers, God must move in our lives through various situations and circumstances, for it is by these time sensitive activities that he will humble us within our spirit and restore us once again into his righteousness. Now, by experiencing opportunities that lead to restoration, we understand that God's purpose is for the spiritual well being of all believers, for he desires the faithfulness of our service unto him to remain, even when our message of hope to a wicked and sinful world is ridiculed and rejected. By his word, God encourages the believer to remain faithful, for recognizing God's faithfulness empowers our own faith, for we are rooted and grounded in his steadfast love. When we are faithful, God empowers us, using us for his purpose. Our faithfulness is the demonstration by our trust in God's promises, even when life's difficulties seem to be too overwhelming for us to bear. Therefore, as believers, let us remain steadfast, unmovable, always abounding in the work of the Lord.

1 Corinthians 15: 58,....be ye steadfast, unmovable, always abounding in the work of the Lord, forasmuch as....your labour is not in vain in the Lord....

For the believer, unwavering and fully devoted in our service unto God is significant, it prompts us not to be swayed by doubt, for service done unto God has eternal value when we are actively spreading the gospel of his saving grace. Now, when God says he will do something, he does it, and when he says something will happen, it happens. Therefore, when we walk consistently with God in humble service unto him, then we are walking in faithfulness by his grace.

Isaiah 6: 1 – 4,....I saw the lord sitting upon a throne, high and lifted up and his train filled the temple....above it....the seraphim's, each one had six wings....and one cried unto another, and said, holy, holy, holy is the Lord....the whole earth is full of his glory....the post of the door moved at the voice of him....and the house was filled with smoke....

Isaiah's vision helps us to see the contrast between the holiness of God and the sinfulness of mankind, in which that we understand that the divine holiness of God is unaffected by the happenings of man. God, who is a sovereign God, has always been, and there is nothing that takes place upon this earth except that he allows it to happen. Just like Isaiah, as believers, we are called out of sin, into Gods divine holiness, through the redeeming blood of Christ, and given the responsibility of bringing the gospel of faith unto a rebellious people.

Matthew 28: 19 – 21,....go ye therefore, and teach all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost....teaching them to observe all things whatsoever I have commanded you, and, lo, I am with you always, even unto the end of the world....

Discipleship means that as believers, we are walking a lifelong journey of following and becoming more Christlike because of our obedience to his word. Becoming disciples involves a surrendered life that is transformed by the spirit of God, through faith, and by actively participating in the ministry of the gospel. It is all about submitting our whole life to the teachings of Christ and his word, growing in our relationship with him, and helping others to do the same.

Isaiah 6: 5 – 7,....then said I, woe is me for I am undone....I am a man of unclean lips....I dwell in the midst of a people of unclean lips....mine eyes have seen....the Lord of hosts....then....one of the seraphim's....having a hot coal....he laid it upon my mouth....thine iniquity is taken away, and thy sin purged....

When as believers we see a glimpse of Gods throne, we realize our unworthiness to be in his presence, which reveals our sinfulness, it encourages repentance, and by his cleansing power we become fit for his divine service. Our example to the world is one that through our truthful encounter with Gods holiness, our sinfulness is brought to light, leading us to repentance through humility and purification by his love, his mercy, and his grace, with a willing readiness for the word of the lord.

Acts 26: 20,....to the gentiles, that they should repent and turn to God, and do works meet for repentance....

So, we preach that mankind must repent and turn away from sin and toward God, and then we must show forth that change, by our actions and by our good deeds, through a new and godly way, bearing fruit that leads unto a greater service of our faith in Christ Jesus. True salvation is not just a feeling, but it is a new direction in life, with a natural outflow of Gods grace that shows unto others that our change is genuine.

Isiah 6: 8 – 10,....I heard the voice of the Lord, saying, whom shall I send, and who will go for us?....then said I, here I am, send me....he said, go....tell this people, hear ye indeed, but understand not....see ye indeed, but perceive not....make the heart....fat....make their ears heavy....shut their eyes, lest they see with their eyes, and hear with their ears, and understand with their heart, and convert, and be healed....

The moment that we finally surrender completely unto God, and we feel that readiness of commitment to serve his purpose, it is then that we will offer ourselves for his divine purpose and plan, trusting only in him to equip us for every good work. What a powerful testimony to the world, when by faith we answer Gods call on our life, and through our submission, by his confidence and encouragement can we demonstrate a transformed heart that is ready to be a willing messenger for him. God will always have a message to deliver, and he will always express his desire for a messenger, but he needs willing volunteers, those who will not hesitate in taking the opportunity, those who are grateful and passionate about serving the one who has forgiven them and saved them from an eternal death.

Isaiah 6: 11 – 13,....then said I, lord how long?....he answered, until the cities be....without habitants....the houses without men....the land being desolate....there be a great forsaking....yet....it shall return....so the holy seed shall be the substance thereof....

As believers, we are encouraged through Gods word, not to abandon the faithfulness which he has instilled within us just because the example of our testimony is rejected by the very people that we were led by the spirit to be a witness unto. For by our willing determination, and through the convicting power of the Holy Spirit, Gods word will prevail. The saving grace of Gods power and purpose will triumph over evil and will one day lead to an eternal hope and fulfillment. Actively putting God first and seeking after his guidance in every decision, means trusting that his plan of salvation will be victorious in spite of the difficulties and challenges that we might face while living out the testimony of our life in Christ here on earth. This is what a glimpse of Gods throne does for us.

Let us Pray.

If anyone has any questions, comments or would just like to discuss any of the scriptures, feel free to call, text or email me. Keep praying for each other and all the God lays upon your heart. Hope to see everyone soon. God Bless.

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