

BETHANY BIBLE CHURCH

SUNDAY ONLINE SERVICE

August 2, 2020

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Message from 2 Timothy 3:16-17

THE ESSENTIAL BOOK

Welcome!

We're very glad you've chosen to be with us today for our online Sunday worship service, and we sincerely hope this time of worship will be a blessing to you.

Order of Service

(hymns attached)

Welcome

Hymn #17, "Our Great Savior"

Opening Prayer

Hymn #79, "My Jesus, I Love Thee"

Announcements

Message

Communion Meal

Scripture Reading: Luke 24:44-48

Hymn #343: "Amazing Grace"

Closing Prayer

Hymn #17: Our Great Savior

J. Wilbur Chapman

Jesus! what a Friend for sinners! Jesus!
Lover of my soul;
Friends may fail me, foes assail me,
He, my Savior, makes me whole.

Chorus

*Hallelujah! what a Savior!
Hallelujah! what a Friend!
Saving, helping, keeping, loving,
He is with me to the end.*

Jesus! what a Strength in weakness!
Let me hide myself in Him;
Tempted, tried, and sometimes failing,
He, my Strength, my vict'ry wins.

Chorus

Jesus! what a Help in sorrow!
While the billows o'er me roll,
Even when my heart is breaking,
He, my Comfort, helps my soul.

Chorus

Jesus, what a Guide and Keeper!
While the tempest still is high,
Storms about me, night o'ertakes me,
He, my Pilot, hears my cry.

Chorus

Jesus! I do now receive Him,
More than all in Him I find;
He hath granted me forgiveness,
I am His, and He is mine.

Chorus

Hymn #79: My Jesus, I Love Thee

William R. Featherston

My Jesus, I love Thee; I know Thou art min.
For Thee all the follies of sin I resign.
My gracious Redeemer, my Savior art Thou:
If ever I loved Thee, my Jesus, 'tis now.

I love Thee because Thou hast first loved me
And purchased my pardon on Calvary's tree.
I love Thee for wearing the thorns on Thy brow:
If ever I loved Thee, my Jesus, 'tis now.

I'll love Thee in life; I will love Thee in death
And praise Thee as long as Thou lendest me breath.
And say when the death-dew lies cold on my brow,
"If ever I loved Thee, my Jesus, 'tis now."

In mansions of glory and endless delight,
I'll ever adore Thee in heaven so bright.
I'll sing with the glittering crown on my brow,
"If ever I loved Thee, my Jesus, 'tis now."

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Scripture Reading: Luke 24:44-48, NKJV

⁴⁴ Then He said to them, “These *are* the words which I spoke to you while I was still with you, that all things must be fulfilled which were written in the Law of Moses and *the* Prophets and *the* Psalms concerning Me.” ⁴⁵ And He opened their understanding, that they might comprehend the Scriptures.

⁴⁶ Then He said to them, “Thus it is written, and thus it was necessary for the Christ to suffer and to rise from the dead the third day, ⁴⁷ and that repentance and remission of sins should be preached in His name to all nations, beginning at Jerusalem. ⁴⁸ And you are witnesses of these things.

Hymn #343: Amazing Grace

John Newton

Amazing grace! how sweet the sound
That saved a wretch like me!
I once was lost but now am found;
Was blind, but now I see.

'Twas grace that taught my heart to fear,
And grace my fears relieved.
How precious did that grace appear
The hour I first believed.

The Lord has promised good to me;
His word my hope secures.
He will my shield and portion be
As long as life endures.

Thro' many dangers, toils and snares
I have already come.
'Tis grace hath bro't me safe thus far,
And grace will lead me home.

When we've been there ten thousand years,
Bright shining as the sun,
We've no less days to sing God's praise
Than when we'd first begun.

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This morning's message is taken from
2 Timothy 3:16-17

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In many places in the Scripture itself, we're taught of the value of reading it regularly for personal growth (Joshua 1:6-8; Psalm 1:1-3; 119:9, 105; Isaiah 55:9-11; Ezra 7:10; 2 Peter 1:19-21; James 1:21-25). In this morning's passage, we're shown that the Bible is the essential provision for our walk with Jesus Christ.

1. ITS SOURCE.

"All Scripture is given by inspiration of God ..."
(*See also 1 Corinthians 2:12-13; 2 Peter 1:20-21*).

2. ITS VALUE.

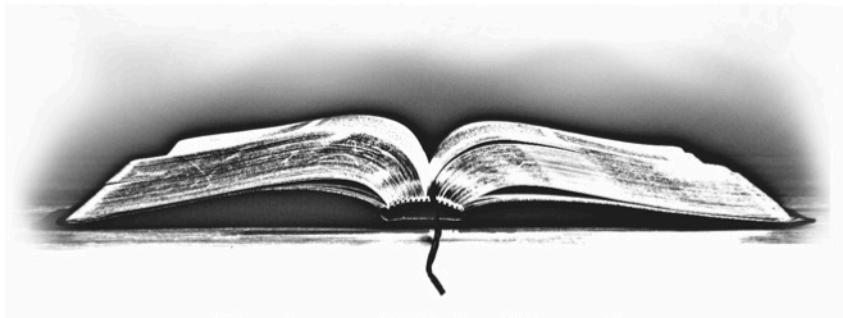
"and is profitable ..."

- A. "for doctrine" (*see John 17:17*)
- B. "for reproof" (*see Hebrews 4:12*)
- C. "for correction"
- D. "for instruction in righteousness"

3. ITS PURPOSE.

"that the man of God may be complete, thoroughly equipped for every good work."
(*see Ephesians 2:10*).

Conclusion: 1 Peter 2:1-3



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