

A Warm Welcome Awaits You at Our Sunday Worship

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One Year Chronological Bible

August 31 Ezekiel 16-17 September 1 Ezekiel 18-20 September 2 Ezekiel 21-22 September 3 Ezekiel 23-24 September 4 Ezekiel 25-27 September 5 Ezekiel 28-30 September 6 Ezekiel 31-33 September 7 Ezekiel 34-36

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Proper Behaviour at Church



The apostle Paul writes in 1 Timothy 3:14-15, "These things I write to you, hoping to come to you shortly; but if I wait long, that you may know how men ought to behave themselves in the house of God, which is the assembly of the living God, the pillar and ground of the truth".

Coming to church is an important and sacred duty of Christians and should not be taken lightly. A person who obeys the Lord during his youth has more than 2,000 Lord's days ahead of him. How he directs himself during these Sundays will have a serious impact on how he lives out his faith.

Here are 7 suggested behaviours to enhance your worship:

- □ Prepare for Sunday by encouraging one anoither.
 □ Sleep early on Saturday night.
 □ Come early for Care teams.
 □ Prepare to join in the group prayer in your Care team.
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- $\hfill \square$ Sit with your family or a visitor.
- ☐ Find time to talk with visitors and thank those who have taken the trouble to bring food and snacks.
- ☐ Parents are responsible for their children at church.

Worship is not about self. It is even more than just you and God. It is about one another. 1 Corinthians 11:33 Therefore, my brothers, when you come together to eat, wait one for another.

- Henry Kong

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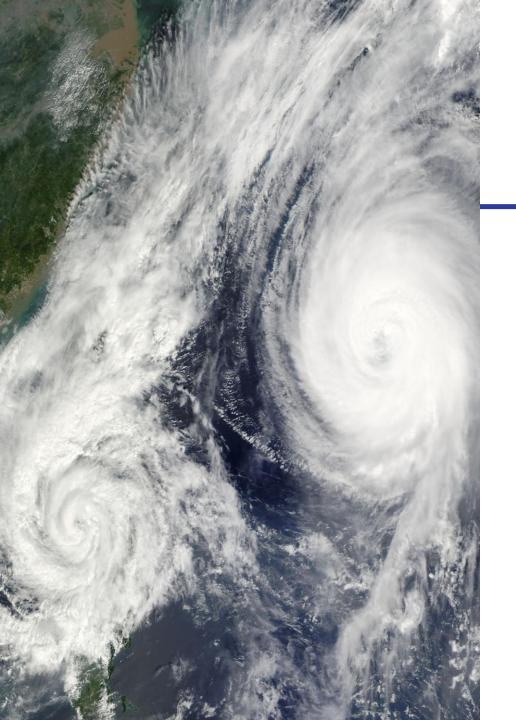












Why we feel confused sometimes...

~ Overthinking, excessive worrying ~ Why? especially after trusting the Lord in almost everything you do...

☐ It's *Normal*

■ Matthew 26:41

"Watch and pray so that you will not fall into temptation. The spirit is willing, but the flesh is weak."

☐ Just another *Test* ☐

■ Deuteronomy 8:2

"Remember how the Lord your God led you all the way in the wilderness these forty years, to humble and test you in order to know what was in your heart, whether or not you would keep his commands."



How well am I walking as a Christian?

What is Conviction?

What is the Holy Spirit doing with you?

John 16:8-11

"8 When he comes, he will prove the world to be in the wrong about *sin* and *righteousness* and *judgment*: 9 about sin, because people do not believe in me; 10 about righteousness, because I am going to the Father, where you can see me no longer; 11 and about judgment, because the prince of this world now stands condemned.

- 1. Sin \rightarrow Unbelief
- 2. Righteousness \rightarrow Jesus
- 3. Judgment \rightarrow Choice





Expanding Further...

Why do we need this "Conviction?"

Romans 8:14

14 "For those who are led by the Spirit of God are the children of God."

Hebrews 2:1-4

"We must pay the most careful attention, therefore, to what we have heard, so that we do not drift away. 2 For since the message spoken through angels was binding, and every violation and disobedience received its just punishment, 3 <a href="https://most.ncb.nlm

Abraham, Hannah, Job...

Some examples; they trusted and did what was right in the eyes of the Lord with Conviction.

The hard part is...

We know what we need to do, but sometimes, we just don't do it... especially with the vigor and conviction that's needed.



And that is okay...

As long as we continue to get back up and push towards what God has intended.

James 1:2-4

"Consider it pure joy, my brothers and sisters, whenever you face trials of many kinds, because you know that the testing of your faith produces **perseverance**. Let perseverance finish its work so that you may be mature and complete, not lacking anything."



Clarity in Conviction

Pride, Fear & Over-Analysis

1 Kings 19:11-13

"11 The Lord said, "Go out and stand on the mountain in the presence of the Lord, for the Lord is about to pass by." Then a great and powerful wind tore the mountains apart and shattered the rocks before the Lord, but the Lord was not in the wind. After the wind there was an earthquake, but the Lord was not in the earthquake. 12 After the earthquake came a fire, but the Lord was not in the fire. And after the fire came a gentle whisper. 13 When Elijah heard it, he pulled his cloak over his face and went out and stood at the mouth of the cave.

Then a voice said to him, "What are you doing here, Elijah?"

• Elijah began to **question** not God's Faithfulness but **what to trust...**



How well am I walking this walk?

- ~ if things are uncertain, is it intended by God? or by the world's chaos?
- ~ How well am I recovering after each fall?

Psalm 119:67 &71

"Before I was afflicted I went astray, but now I obey your word."

"It was good for me to be afflicted so that I might learn your decrees."

• David understood that his pain and failure taught him the *obedience* to push on.



- 1. Keep praying for Wisdom ~ (*James 1:5*)
- 2. Tell the difference between God's Voice vs. the World's Voice
 - ~ (which leads back to Him and less confusion...)
- 3. Afterwards, Just Do It... figure out the rest along the way

1 John 3:18

"Little children, let us not love in word or talk but in deed and in truth."

