Week7 Sunday: 2/14/2021

Daily Reflections on God's Word

Overland church of Christ Week7 2021 - Additional Studies on Sunday Sermons

<u>SundayAM</u>: "Two Sides of the Cross – God's Side and Man's Side". God gave His Son, His plan of salvation, His conditions, His Spirit, and His promised joy...mankind is to accept and obey each of these.

Monday Scripture: Hebrews 1:1-3; 2:1-3

Key Idea: God has now spoken through His Son and we must give earnest heed to the Gospel of Christ.

Study Questions: Who did God speak through in times past (1:1)? Who did God speak through in the "last days" (1:2)? What do we need to give heed to (2:1)? Can we escape if we neglect salvation (2:3)?

Faith Builder: God gave THE HIGHEST VALUE sacrifice possible for you – let that sink in (Hebrews 2:9)!

Tuesday Scripture: Colossians 1:20-23

Key Idea: Great blessings of the cross of Christ are conditional on *IF* you continue steadfast in the faith.

Study Questions: What makes peace possible (v20)? What was the state before reconciliation (v21)? How will Christians be presented in judgement (v22)? A big "if" is in verse23...what is that "if" (v23)?

Action Item: Make it a priority to give a recommendation and invitation to at least 2 people this week.

Wednesday Scripture: Matthew 21:28-31

Midweek Edification: Son - go work - today - in my vineyard! A divine relationship - calling - time - place.

<u>SundayPM</u>: "Church Growth: Recommendations and Invitations". The lesson finished out the "10 Commandments for Inviting Others" with a goal for each member to invite 2 people per week in 2021.

Thursday Scripture: 1 Peter 3:15

Key Idea: Be filled with God's word, good works, and joy so that you can give a reason for your hope.

Study Questions: How can you sanctify the Lord God in your heart? What steps can you take to "be ready always to give an answer"? Do others know about your hope? What is a proper attitude to have?

Godly Wisdom: Careful - "fair speech" and "flattering words" can be used against you (Proverbs 7:21).

Friday Scripture: James 2:1-5

Key Idea: Don't show favoritism based on someone's wealth, position, or education – give respect to all.

Study Questions: What is "respect of persons" (v1)? What example is given in vs2-3? Is it evil to show favoritism based on worldly measures (v4)? Instead, how should we respect others (v5; James 1:27)?

Prayer Idea: Pray God would give you opportunity and resolve to use your goods to help someone else!

Saturday Scripture: 1 Peter 4:8-10

Sunday Prep: Charity and hospitality to brethren is a great way to steward what you are blessed with.