Morning Watch EXPERIENCING, ENJOYING, AND EXPRESSING CHRIST (1) - Week 3 Dec. 16-22, 2024

Discipling All the Nations by Baptizing Them into the Name of the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit

Monday 12/16

Matt. 28:18

18 And Jesus came and spoke to them, saying, All authority has been given to Me in heaven and on earth.

Eph. 1:<u>20</u>

20 Which He caused to operate in Christ in raising Him from the dead and seating Him at His right hand in the heavenlies,

2 Cor. 13:<u>10</u>

10 Therefore I write these things while being absent in order that when present I would not have to use severity, according to the authority which the Lord has given me for building up and not for overthrowing.

Rev. 22:1

1 And he showed me a river of water of life, bright as crystal, proceeding out of the throne of God and of the Lamb in the middle of its street.

Matt. 20:26-28

26 It shall not be so among you; but whoever wants to become great among you shall be your servant,

27 And whoever wants to be first among you shall be your slave;

28 Just as the Son of Man did not come to be served, but to serve and to give His life as a ransom for many.

Matt. 24:45

45 Who then is the faithful and prudent slave, whom the master has set over his household to give them food at the proper time?

Further Reading: *HWMR Experiencing, Enjoying, and Expressing Christ* (1) – *Week 3, Day 1*

Tuesday 12/17

Matt. 28:<u>19</u>

19 Go therefore and disciple all the nations, baptizing them into the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit,

Matt. 16:1<u>9</u>

19 I will give to you the keys of the kingdom of the heavens, and whatever you bind on the earth shall have been bound in the heavens, and whatever you loose on the earth shall have been loosed in the heavens.

Matt. 18:17-19

17 And if he refuses to hear them, tell it to the church; and if he refuses to hear the church also, let him be to you just like the Gentile and the tax collector.

18 Truly I say to you, Whatever you bind on the earth shall have been bound in heaven, and whatever you loose on the earth shall have been loosed in heaven.

19 Again, truly I say to you that if two of you are in harmony on earth concerning any matter for which they ask, it will be done for them from My Father who is in the heavens.

Matt. 12:28-29

28 But if I, by the Spirit of God, cast out the demons, then the kingdom of God has come upon you.

29 Or how can anyone enter into the house of the strong man and plunder his goods unless he first binds the strong man? And then he will thoroughly plunder his house.

Further Reading: *HWMR Experiencing, Enjoying, and Expressing Christ* (1) – *Week 3, Day* 2

Wednesday 12/18

Acts 2:<u>38</u>

See Lord's Day

Acts 19:5

5 And when they heard this, they were baptized into the name of the Lord Jesus.

Acts 8:12, 36, 38

12 But when they believed Philip, who announced the gospel of the kingdom of God and of the name of Jesus Christ, they were baptized, both men and women.

36 And as they were going along the road, they came upon some water, and the eunuch said, Look, water. What prevents me from being baptized?

38 And he ordered the chariot to stand still, and they both went down into the water, Philip and the eunuch, and he baptized him.

Acts 10:44, 48

44 While Peter was still speaking these words, the Holy Spirit fell upon all those hearing the word.

48 And he charged them to be baptized in the name of Jesus Christ. Then they asked him to remain for some days.

Eph. 1:13

13 In whom you also, having heard the word of the truth, the gospel of your salvation, in Him also believing, you were sealed with the Holy Spirit of the promise,

Gal. 3:14

14 In order that the blessing of Abraham might come to the Gentiles in Christ Jesus, that we might receive the promise of the Spirit through faith.

Further Reading: *HWMR Experiencing, Enjoying, and Expressing Christ* (1) – *Week 3, Day 3*

Thursday 12/19

Matt. 1:<u>1</u>

1 The book of the generation of Jesus Christ, the son of David, the son of Abraham:

Matt. 4:<u>17</u>

17 From that time Jesus began to proclaim and to say, Repent, for the kingdom of the heavens has drawn near.

Jer. 23:5

5 Indeed, days are coming, Declares Jehovah, When I will raise up to David a righteous Shoot; And He will reign as King and act prudently And will execute justice and righteousness in the land.

Isa. 9:7

7 To the increase of His government And to His peace there is no end, Upon the throne of David And over His kingdom, To establish it And to uphold it In justice and righteousness From now to eternity. The zeal of Jehovah of hosts Will accomplish this.

Acts 13:22-23

22 And when He had deposed him, He raised up David for them as king, to whom also He testified and said, I have found David, the son of Jesse, a man according to My heart, who will do all My will.

23 From this man's seed, God, according to promise, brought to Israel a Savior, Jesus,

John 3:3, 5

3 Jesus answered and said to him, Truly, truly, I say to you, Unless one is born anew, he cannot see the kingdom of God.

5 Jesus answered, Truly, truly, I say to you, Unless one is born of water and the Spirit, he cannot enter into the kingdom of God.

Further Reading: *HWMR Experiencing, Enjoying, and Expressing Christ* (1) – *Week 3, Day 4*

Friday 12/20

Matt. 3:<u>16-17</u>

16 And having been baptized, Jesus went up immediately from the water, and behold, the heavens were opened to Him, and He saw the Spirit of God descending like a dove and coming upon Him.

17 And behold, a voice out of the heavens, saying, This is My Son, the Beloved, in whom I have found My delight.

1 Cor. 15:50

50 Now this I say, brothers, that flesh and blood cannot inherit the kingdom of God, neither does corruption inherit incorruption.

Gal. 3:16, 27, 29

16 But to Abraham were the promises spoken and to his seed. He does not say, "And to the seeds," as concerning many, but as concerning one: "And to your seed," who is Christ.

27 For as many of you as were baptized into Christ have put on Christ.

29 And if you are of Christ, then you are Abraham's seed, heirs according to promise.

Eph. 1:13-14

13 In whom you also, having heard the word of the truth, the gospel of your salvation, in Him also believing, you were sealed with the Holy

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Spirit of the promise,

14 Who is the pledge of our inheritance unto the redemption of the acquired possession, to the praise of His glory.

Further Reading: *HWMR Experiencing, Enjoying, and Expressing Christ* (1) – *Week 3, Day 5*

Saturday 12/21

Matt. 28:<u>20</u>

20 Teaching them to observe all that I have commanded you. And behold, I am with you all the days until the consummation of the age.

Matt. 1:23

23 "Behold, the virgin shall be with child and shall bear a son, and they shall call His name Emmanuel" (which is translated, God with us).

Matt. 18:20

20 For where there are two or three gathered into My name, there am I in their midst.

1 John 5:11-12

11 And this is the testimony, that God gave to us eternal life and this life is in His Son.

12 He who has the Son has the life; he who does not have the Son of God does not have the life.

John 14:18-21

18 I will not leave you as orphans; I am coming to you.

19 Yet a little while and the world beholds Me no longer, but you behold Me; because I live, you also shall live.

20 In that day you will know that I am in My Father, and you in Me, and I in you.

21 He who has My commandments and keeps them, he is the one who loves Me; and he who loves Me will be loved by My Father, and I will love him and will manifest Myself to him.

Further Reading: *HWMR Experiencing, Enjoying, and Expressing Christ* (1) – *Week 3, Day* 6

Lord's Day 12/22

Acts 2:38-43, 46-47

38 And Peter said to them, Repent and each one of you be baptized upon the name of Jesus Christ for the forgiveness of your sins, and you will

receive the gift of the Holy Spirit.

39 For to you is the promise and to your children, and to all who are far off, as many as the Lord our God calls to Himself.

40 And with many other words he solemnly testified and exhorted them, saying, Be saved from this crooked generation.

41 Those then who received his word were baptized, and there were added on that day about three thousand souls.

42 And they continued steadfastly in the teaching and the fellowship of the apostles, in the breaking of bread and the prayers.

43 And fear was upon every soul; and many wonders and signs took place through the apostles.

46 And day by day, continuing steadfastly with one accord in the temple and breaking bread from house to house, they partook of their food with exultation and simplicity of heart,

47 Praising God and having grace with all the people. And the Lord added together day by day those who were being saved.

Hymn: #917

Further Reading:

Conclusion of the New Testament, msg. 265

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Level 1—Hebrews Sequential Reading Scripture Reading and Copying: None Assigned Reading: None

Level 2—Hebrews Topical Study

Crucial Point: None Scripture: None Assigned Reading: None Supplemental Reading: None Questions: None