



CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH

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APRIL 16TH, 2023

TODAY'S SCRIPTURE READING

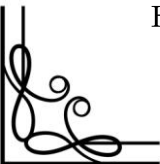

2 Chronicles 24:1-27

In 1989, our dear shepherd at that time, Pastor Ron Blough, initiated our reading through a portion of the 66 books of the Bible as a congregation, typically a chapter each Sunday. Since then, we have been through the entire Bible one full time and are currently in Second Chronicles, the 14th book of the Bible.



TODAY'S SERVICE



1. Hymn #**381** - "Blessed Assurance"
 2. Opening Prayer & Announcements
 3. Hymn #**4** - "Glorious Things of Thee Are Spoken"
 4. Hymn #**19** - "O for a Thousand Tongues"
 5. Hymn #**670**- "Be Strong in the Lord"
 6. Reading: **Bro. Teagun Q.**
 7. **Message:** "The Failures & Faithfulness of Godly Men"
 8. Hymn #**393** - "Faithful Men"
 9. Benediction
 10. Sunday Evening Service - 6 p.m.
Holy War #67; James 5
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The FAILURES & FAITHFULNESS of GODLY MEN

Leaving a Legacy of Love for the Lord

And Joash did what was right in the eyes of the LORD all the days of Jehoiada the priest. 2 CHRONICLES 24:2, ESV

I. the BREAKDOWN of the CHAPTER

A. House of David Spared through Jehoshabeath, 2 Chr 22:1-23:21

1. death of Ahaziah & destruction by Athaliah, 2 Chr 22:8-10
2. daring rescue of Joash by Jehoshabeath, 2 Chr 22:10-12
3. David's throne restored in Joash's reign, 2 Chr 23:1-21

B. House of the LORD Repaired, 2 Chr 24:1-14

C. House of the LORD Abandoned, 2 Chr 24:15-22

D. Horrid Death of a Backslidden King, 2 Chr 24:23-27

II. the BLESSING from the TEXT

He has told you, O man, what is good; and what does the LORD require of you but to do justice, and to love kindness, and to walk humbly with your God? MICAH 6:8, ESV

The Failures of Jehoiada

two wives for Joash, v3

1. the king's wife, Deut 17:17
 - a. causes a turned heart, 1 Ki 11:1-4
 - b. creates an unstable mind, Jas 1:8

too long in the ministry, v15

1. the priest's service, Num 4:3, 23, 30, 35, 39, 43, 47; 8:25
 - a. provokes pride, Psa 10:4
 - b. produces impurity, Psa 106:39
 - c. preparing faithful men, 2 Tim 2:2; Psa 146:3; 25:2

training up a child, Prov 22:6

1. salvation is of the Lord, Eph 2:8-9
 - a. the power of the Proverbs
 - Psa 19:7; 73:3

The Faithfulness of the Christian Believer, Micah 6:8

walk humbly with Christ

Psa 25:8-9; Jas 4:10

love the kindness of Christ

Psa 25:6-7; 1 Cor 2:2; Gal 6:14

do justice before Christ

Psa 25:1-5; Eph 2:8-10

QUOTE of the WEEK

Our way of winning men for Christ, or, to use his own metaphor, our method of catching men, is by letting down the net of the gospel. We have learned no other way of holy fishery. Men with great zeal and little knowledge are inventing ingenious methods for catching men, but for my part I believe in nothing but letting down the gospel net, by telling out the story of the love of God to men in Christ Jesus. No new gospel has been committed to us by Jesus, and he has authorized no new way of making it known. Our Lord has called all of us to the work of proclaiming free pardon through his blood to all who believe in him. Each believer has a warrant to seek the conversion of his fellows. May not every man seek to save his brother from the burning? Must not Jesus smile on any man's endeavour to deliver his neighbor from going down to eternal death? Has he not said, "Let him that heareth say, Come"? Whosoever hears the gospel is to invite others to come to Christ. The word of the Lord is our warrant for keeping to our one work of making known the gospel: it would be a sorry act of mutiny if we were either to be silent, or to preach another gospel which is not another. The word of the Lord is a warrant which justifies the man who obeys it. "Where the word of a king is there is power." What higher authority can we need? "Oh, but," they say, "you ought to advance to something higher than the mere elementary doctrine of grace, and give the people something more in keeping with the progress of the period." We shall not do so while Jesus bids us go into all the world and preach the gospel to every creature. If we do what he bids us the responsibility of the matter rests no longer with us. Whatever comes of it we are clear if we have obeyed orders. A servant is not to justify his master's message, but to deliver it. This makes it a joy to preach, this doing it "at thy word." Our business is to do what Christ tells us, as Christ tells us, and to do this again and again, so long as we have breath in our bodies. The commanding word cries ever to us, "Preach the gospel, preach the gospel to every creature!" Our justification for setting forth Christ crucified, and incessantly bidding men believe and live, lies in that same word which bade Peter walk the sea, and bade Moses fetch water out of a rock.

"At Thy Word" from the text, Luke 5:5
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This Week's Bible Portions from *Robert Murray McCheyne's "Daily Bread"*

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FAMILY READINGS			PRIVATE READINGS	
Leviticus 20	Psalms 25	16	Eccles. 3	1 Timothy 5
Leviticus 21	Psalms 26-27	17	Eccles. 4	1 Timothy 6
Leviticus 22	Psalms 28-29	18	Eccles. 5	2 Timothy 1
Leviticus 23	Psalms 30	19	Eccles. 6	2 Timothy 2
Leviticus 24	Psalms 31	20	Eccles. 7	2 Timothy 3
Leviticus 25	Psalms 32	21	Eccles. 8	2 Timothy 4
Leviticus 26	Psalms 33	22	Eccles. 9	Titus 1
Leviticus 27	Psalms 34	23	Eccles. 10	Titus 2

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