



Coming Up...

Apr 30 – 1 Peter 3:1-7

May 7 – 1 Peter 3:8-12, (Communion, Benevolent Offering, Luncheon)

Meet and Greet from 10:00-10:20am has been going great! Come visit and meet some of the new people at Church!

On the Calendar:

Apr 23 (Sun) @ 6:30pm – Freedom Church @ DFBC

Apr 26 (Wed) @ 7:00pm - Evening Prayer & Bible Study

Apr 28 (Fri) @ 7:00pm – Ladies' Friendship Tea – 25 years!

Apr 29 (Sat) @ 8:30am - Men's Prayer Time

Apr 30 (Sun) @ 10:30am – Worship Service

May 5 (Fri) @ 7:00pm - Fired Up Fridays

May 6 (Sat) @ 10:30am-12:00pm Sunshine Saturday

May 6 (Sat) – start of Conversation Ministry – pray for this ministry

May 14 (Sun) @ 3:30pm – Princess Court Ministry

May 14 (Sun) @ 7:00pm – Watoto Concert @ Dryden Full Gospel Church



**Fellowship Luncheon
following Worship Service
Sunday May 7th
Bring something to share.**

Allergy Alert! No nuts please.



**Princess Court
Worship Service
May 14 @ 3:30pm**

Contact Gordon Robinson
if you are
interested in helping



Precious Stones

Priceless Fun!!!

- games
- craft
- snack
- story time
- songs

Sunshine Saturday

**Saturday, May 6
@ 10:30am - noon
for kids K - gr 6**




**CONVERSATION
MINISTRY**

Starts May 6th!

Please Pray for:

- substantial conversations about Christ
- opportunities to share
- generous encounters
- growing connections with people in Dryden

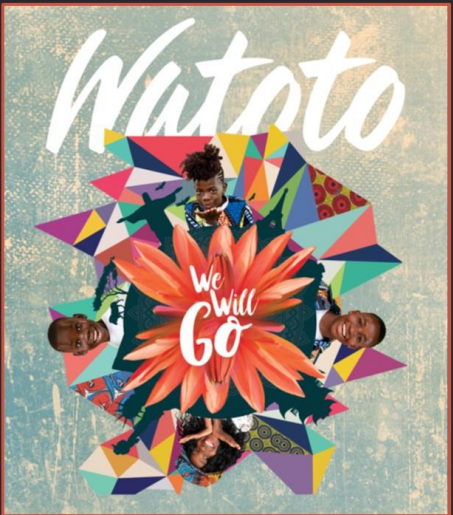


**FREE Concert
at
Full Gospel Church**

May 14th @ 7:00pm

You are invited to be part of this worship experience.

The Watoto Children's Choir from Uganda will be performing a **FREE CONCERT** of their new album, "We Will Go".




**Friday May 5th
@ 7:00pm**

at Dryden First Baptist Church
(string art-plant pots-games)




Dryden First Baptist Church

Worship Times and Some of Our Activities:

Sunday Services are held at 10:30am

Junior Church occurs during the worship hour.

Nursery facilities are available for parents to use.

Sonshine Saturday is 10:30am-12:00 on scheduled months.

Fired Up Fridays is held bi-weekly during the school year.

Wednesday Prayer and Bible Study at 7:00pm

(watch for announcements or check Facebook)

Social Media:

Facebook - Dryden First Baptist Church

Facebook - Sonshine Saturday

YouTube - Christian Canuck

Website - firstbaptistchurchdryden.com



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Sermon Outline

Hope in a Difficult Marriage: 1 Peter 3:1-7 ESV

Pastor Adam Hall ☞ Dryden First Baptist Church ☞ April 30, 2023

1 Peter 3:1-7 ESV

¹ Likewise, wives, be subject to your own husbands, so that even if some do not obey the word, they may be won without a word by the conduct of their wives, ² when they see your respectful and pure conduct. ³ Do not let your adorning be external—the braiding of hair and the putting on of gold jewelry, or the clothing you wear— ⁴ but let your adorning be the hidden person of the heart with the imperishable beauty of a gentle and quiet spirit, which in God's sight is very precious. ⁵ For this is how the holy women who hoped in God used to adorn themselves, by submitting to their own husbands, ⁶ as Sarah obeyed Abraham, calling him lord. And you are her children, if you do good and do not fear anything that is frightening.

⁷ Likewise, husbands, live with your wives in an understanding way, showing honor to the woman as the weaker vessel, since they are heirs with you of the grace of life, so that your prayers may not be hindered.

Introduction and Review

a) The church has authority to speak

b) don't be offended

i) submission and the weaker vessel

ii) but Christ gave up rights and equality

Philippians 2:6-8 who, though he was in the form of God, did not count equality with God a thing to be grasped, ⁷ but emptied himself, by taking the form of a servant, being born in the likeness of men. ⁸ And being found in human form, he humbled himself by becoming obedient to the point of death, even death on a cross.

Mark 8:34 And calling the crowd to him with his disciples, he said to them, "If anyone would come after me, let him deny himself and take up his cross and follow me.

c) Background

i) address to wives in general and those in a particular situation

ii) marry in the Lord

1 Corinthians 7:39 A wife is bound to her husband as long as he lives. But if her husband dies, she is free to be married to whom she wishes, only in the Lord.

1) (3:1-2) Subjection

(3:1) Likewise, wives, be subject to your own husbands, so that even if some do not obey the word, they may be won without a word by the conduct of their wives,

a) husbands as the spiritual authority have great responsibility

- a classmate read the passage of **Ephesians 5:22-33** which is similar to **1 Peter 3:1-7**

d) wives have the responsibility to submit to their husbands

Ephesians 5:22 Wives, submit to your own husbands, as to the Lord.

Colossians 3:18 Wives, submit to your husbands, as is fitting in the Lord.

Titus 2:5 to be self-controlled, pure, working at home, kind, and submissive to their own husbands, that the word of God may not be reviled.

i) Wives with Christian husbands

ii) Wives with non-believing husbands

(3:2) when they see your respectful and pure conduct.

c) What the husband sees...

i) respectful conduct

ii) pure conduct

1 Peter 1:15-16 but as he who called you is holy, you also be holy in all your conduct, ¹⁶ since it is written, "You shall be holy, for I am holy."

2) (3:3-4) Sheer Beauty

(3:3) Do not let your adorning be external-- the braiding of hair and the putting on of gold jewelry, or the clothing you wear--

a) external beauty and adornment

(3:4) but let your adorning be the hidden person of the heart with the imperishable beauty of a gentle and quiet spirit, which in God's sight is very precious.

b) inward beauty is precious

3) (3:5-6) Sarah's Example

(3:5) For this is how the holy women who hoped in God used to adorn themselves, by submitting to their own husbands,

a) who hoped in God

b) who submitted to her husband

(3:6) as Sarah obeyed Abraham, calling him lord. And you are her children, if you do good and do not fear anything that is frightening.

c) do good and do not fear

Genesis 18:12 So Sarah laughed to herself, saying, "After I am worn out, and my lord is old, shall I have pleasure?"

4) (3:7) Show Honour

(3:7) Likewise, husbands, live with your wives in an understanding way, showing honor to the woman as the weaker vessel,

a) instructions for husbands

b) honour the weaker vessel

since they are heirs with you of the grace of life, so that your prayers may not be hindered.

c) equality in marriage

1 Peter 1:3-5 Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ! According to his great mercy, he has caused us to be born again to a living hope through the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead, ⁴ to an inheritance that is imperishable, undefiled, and unfading, kept in heaven for you, ⁵ who by God's power are being guarded through faith for a salvation ready to be revealed in the last time.

d) the importance of prayer

Application

1) Heirs of the Grace of Life

Ephesians 5:22-27 Wives, submit to your own husbands, as to the Lord. ²³ For the husband is the head of the wife even as Christ is the head of the church, his body, and is himself its Savior. ²⁴ Now as the church submits to Christ, so also wives should submit in everything to their husbands. ²⁵ Husbands, love your wives, as Christ loved the church and gave himself up for her, ²⁶ that he might sanctify her, having cleansed her by the washing of water with the word, ²⁷ so that he might present the church to himself in splendor, without spot or wrinkle or any such thing, that she might be holy and without blemish.

2) God's Command to Wives

3) God's Command to Husbands

Colossians 3:19 Husbands, love your wives, and do not be harsh with them.

Next Sunday's text: 1 Peter 3:8-12

10 Key Bible Verses on Marriage

Commentary on these sections, adapted from the ESV Study Bible, can be found at <https://www.crossway.org/articles/10-key-bible-verses-on-marriage/>

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2. Genesis 2:18

Then the LORD God said, “It is not good that the man should be alone; I will make him a helper fit for him.”

3. Matthew 19:4–6

“Have you not read that he who created them from the beginning made them male and female, and said, “Therefore a man shall leave his father and his mother and hold fast to his wife, and the two shall become one flesh”? So they are no longer two but one flesh. What therefore God has joined together, let not man separate.”

4. Colossians 3:18

Wives, submit to your husbands, as is fitting in the Lord. Husbands, love your wives, and do not be harsh with them.

5. 1 Peter 3:7

today's section of scripture 😊

6. Hebrews 13:4

Let marriage be held in honor among all, and let the marriage bed be undefiled, for God will judge the sexually immoral and adulterous.

7. Ecclesiastes 4:9–10

Two are better than one, because they have a good reward for their toil. For if they fall, one will lift up his fellow. But woe to him who is alone when he falls and has not another to lift him up!

8. Genesis 2:23–24

Then the man said, “This at last is bone of my bones and flesh of my flesh; she shall be called Woman, because she was taken out of Man.” Therefore a man shall leave his father and his mother and hold fast to his wife, and they shall become one flesh.

9. Isaiah 62:5

For as a young man marries a young woman, so shall your sons marry you, and as the bridegroom rejoices over the bride, so shall your God rejoice over you.

10. 1 Corinthians 7:2–5

But because of the temptation to sexual immorality, each man should have his own wife and each woman her own husband. The husband should give to his wife her conjugal rights, and likewise the wife to her husband. For the wife does not have authority over her own body, but the husband does. Likewise the husband does not have authority over his own body, but the wife does. Do not deprive one another, except perhaps by agreement for a limited time, that you may devote yourselves to prayer; but then come together again, so that Satan may not tempt you because of your lack of self-control.