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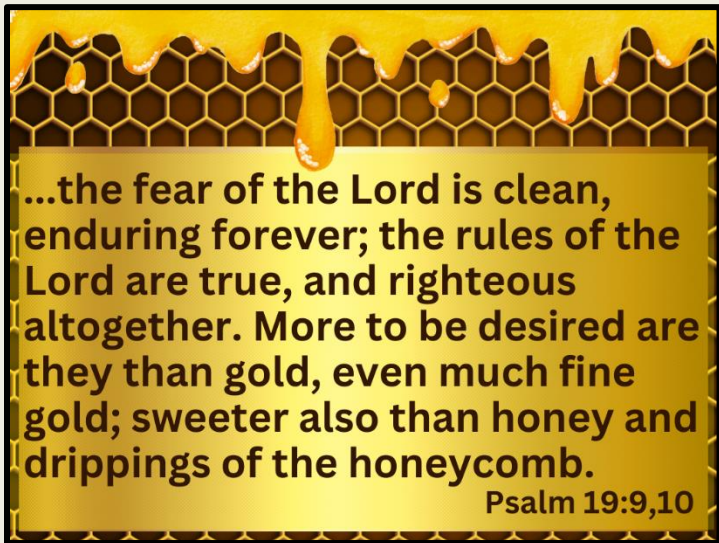
On the Calendar:

- Sept 24 (Sun) @ 3:30pm - Princess Court Service
- Sept 26 (Tues) @ 6:00pm - Baptism Classes (6 weeks)
- Sept 27 (Wed) @ 7:30am - Men's Bible Study
- Sept 27 (Wed) @ 7:00pm - Discipleship and Prayer Time
- Sept 29 (FRIDAY) @ 6:30pm - Women's Friendship Tea
- Oct 1 (Sun) - "Love God, Love His Word, Love Dryden" – communion, benevolent offering and luncheon
- Oct 06 (Fri) - Fired Up Friday
- Oct 07 (Sat) – Sonshine Saturday
- Oct 14 (Sat) - Bible Story Time @ 10:30am at the Dryden Public Library

Prayer Notes:

IN the FOYER:

- **THRIVE:** Great overview of the Fellowship which is celebrating 70 years. Excellent!
- **Canada Watch plus postcard to send to your MP.** Ask you MP to vote for Bill C-314 which would reverse the law allowing medical assistance in dying for people with mental illness.
- **Sermon Outline & Bulletin**
- **FAIR brochure - read about the mission and aid of this arm of the Fellowship**



...the fear of the Lord is clean,
enduring forever; the rules of the
Lord are true, and righteous
altogether. More to be desired are
they than gold, even much fine
gold; sweeter also than honey and
drippings of the honeycomb.
Psalm 19:9,10



Fall in Love WITH **JESUS**
WOMEN'S FRIENDSHIP TEA

"We love because He first loved us."
1 John 4:19

This Friday Sept 29th  DOORS OPEN 6 PM
SERVICE 6:30 PM

At Dryden Full Gospel Church, 599
Government St.

Rsvp BY Sept 16th
To 807-220-3918



Today at 3:30 pm

**Princess Court
Worship Service**

Participate by attending or
praying for this service.



Fellowship Luncheon
next Sunday.

Bring something to share.

No nuts please.

**Drop your donations off
at the foodbank:**

- Mac & Cheese
- pasta & sauce
- soup
- canned vegetables
- canned fruit
- canned meat
- cereal





**Morocco
Earthquake Relief**
emergency appeal

For more information:

- see the brochure on FAIR in the foyer
- visit the website fellowship.ca

PRAY FOR THESE WORKS OF THE CHURCH.

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



Office Hours

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Psalm 19: Cherishing God's Word and the Call to Prioritize Scripture

Pastor Adam Hall ☞ Dryden First Baptist Church ☞ Sept 24, 2023

The Law of the Lord Is Perfect

To the choirmaster. A Psalm of David.

1 The heavens declare the glory of God,
and the sky above proclaims his
handiwork.

2 Day to day pours out speech,
and night to night reveals knowledge.

3 There is no speech, nor are there words,
whose voice is not heard.

4 Their voice goes out through all the
earth,
and their words to the end of the
world.

In them he has set a tent for the sun,

5 which comes out like a bridegroom
leaving his chamber,
and, like a strong man, runs its course
with joy.

6 Its rising is from the end of the heavens,
and its circuit to the end of them,
and there is nothing hidden from its
heat.

7 The law of the LORD is perfect,
reviving the soul;
the testimony of the LORD is sure,
making wise the simple;

8 the precepts of the LORD are right,

rejoicing the heart;

the commandment of the LORD is pure,
enlightening the eyes;

9 the fear of the LORD is clean,
enduring forever;

the rules of the LORD are true,
and righteous altogether.

10 More to be desired are they than gold,
even much fine gold;
sweeter also than honey
and drippings of the honeycomb.

11 Moreover, by them is your servant
warned;
in keeping them there is great reward.

12 Who can discern his errors?
Declare me innocent from hidden
faults.

13 Keep back your servant also
from presumptuous sins;
let them not have dominion over me!
Then I shall be blameless,
and innocent of great transgression.

14 Let the words of my mouth and the
meditation of my heart
be acceptable in your sight,
O LORD, my rock and my redeemer.

Introduction and Background

a) re-evaluate how you are responding to the Word of God

b) a great psalm of literary and theological significance

c) a psalm of wisdom and confession

d) three parts

1) (19:1-6) Creation Reveals God

¹ The heavens declare the glory of God, and the sky above proclaims his handiwork. ² Day to day pours out speech, and night to night reveals knowledge. ³ There is no speech, nor are there words, whose voice is not heard. ⁴ Their voice goes out through all the earth, and their words to the end of the world.

a) the heavens (19:1-4a)

- David starts out with declaring two important truths about the heavens and the sky (19:1)

1) declare the glory of God (19:1)

2) proclaim the handiwork of God (19:1)

Romans 1:18-21 For the wrath of God is revealed from heaven against all ungodliness and unrighteousness of men, who by their unrighteousness suppress the truth. ¹⁹ For what can be known about God is plain to them, because God has shown it to them. ²⁰ For his invisible attributes, namely, his eternal power and divine nature, have been clearly perceived, ever since the creation of the world, in the things that have been made. So they are without excuse.

(19:2-4) – the speech and the voice of the heavens are constant because they are always speaking to us who are looking

⁴ In them he has set a tent for the sun, ⁵ which comes out like a bridegroom leaving his chamber, and, like a strong man, runs its course with joy. ⁶ Its rising is from the end of the heavens, and its circuit to the end of them, and there is nothing hidden from its heat.

b) the sun (19:4 b-6)

2) (19:7-11) God's Word Transforms

(19:7-9) ⁷ The law of the LORD is perfect, reviving the soul; the testimony of the LORD is sure, making wise the simple; ⁸ the precepts of the LORD are right, rejoicing the heart; the commandment of the LORD is pure, enlightening the eyes; ⁹ the fear of the LORD is clean, enduring forever; the rules of the LORD are true, and righteous altogether.

a) six truths about the Word of God

- 1) the law of the Lord is perfect
- 2) the testimony of the Lord is sure
- 3) the precepts of the Lord are right
- 4) the commandment of the Lord is pure
- 5) the fear of the Lord is clean
- 6) the rules of the Lord are true

b) inerrancy of scripture

c) the Word of God transforms

- 1) the Word of God revives the soul
- 2) the Word of God makes the wise simple
- 3) the Word of God creates rejoicing in the heart
- 4) the Word of God enlightens the eyes
- 5) the Word of God endures forever

(19:10-11) ¹⁰ More to be desired are they than gold, even much fine gold; sweeter also than honey and drippings of the honeycomb. ¹¹ Moreover, by them is your servant warned; in keeping them there is great reward.

d) the Word of God is desirable

3) (19:12-14) Dependence and Repentance

(19:12) Who can discern his errors? Declare me innocent from hidden faults.

a) expose unknown sins

(19:13) Keep back your servant also from presumptuous sins; let them not have dominion over me! Then I shall be blameless, and innocent of great transgression.

b) help to fight known sins

(19:14) Let the words of my mouth and the meditation of my heart be acceptable in your sight, O LORD, my rock and my redeemer.

c) to God be the glory for creation and salvation

Application

1) The Bible Exposes Our Sin

Romans 7:7-9 What then shall we say? That the law is sin? By no means! Yet if it had not been for the law, I would not have known sin. For I would not have known what it is to covet if the law had not said, "You shall not covet." ⁸ But sin, seizing an opportunity through the commandment, produced in me all kinds of covetousness. For apart from the law, sin lies dead. ⁹ I was once alive apart from the law, but when the commandment came, sin came alive and I died.

2) The Bible Shows Us Our Need for a Saviour

Colossians 1:12-14 giving thanks to the Father, who has qualified you to share in the inheritance of the saints in light. ¹³ He has delivered us from the domain of darkness and transferred us to the kingdom of his beloved Son, ¹⁴ in whom we have redemption, the forgiveness of sins.

Titus 2:14 who gave himself for us to redeem us from all lawlessness and to purify for himself a people for his own possession who are zealous for good works.

3) Cherish the Word of God

Psalms 119:127 Therefore I love your commandments above gold, above fine gold.

Psalms 119:103 How sweet are your words to my taste, sweeter than honey to my mouth!

Matthew 4:4 But he answered, "It is written, "Man shall not live by bread alone, but by every word that comes from the mouth of God."

- as a Christian, do you see the Bible as more important than food and money?
- do you prioritize spending time in God's Word to hear his voice?
- do you see the Word of God as a source of nourishment for your spiritual walk with the Lord?

- these questions can easily be answered by asking yourself, "how much time have you spent in the Bible the past few days?"

- the Word of God revives the soul, gives you wisdom, and gives you joy in your heart, so why would you not want to get into the Word of God and hear about God and His wonderful grace?