

Nov 12, 2023

Welcome to Worship

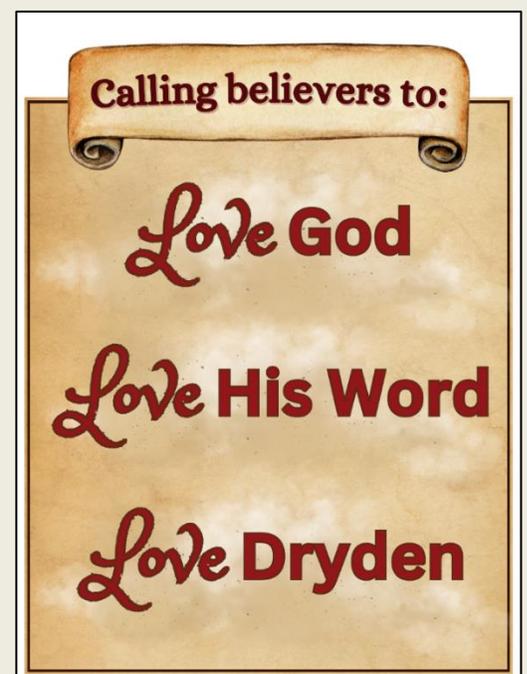
Prayer Notes:

IN the FOYER:

- Postcards to send to Minister of Health opposing the expansion of MAiD
- Oct/Nov Canada Watch News – more info on MAiD
- Drop Box for “A Dollar A Day for Dinner”

On the Calendar:

- Nov 08 (Wed) @ 7:30am - Men's Bible Study
- Nov 08 (Wed) @ 7:00pm DFBC Business Meeting
- Nov 08 (Wed) @ 7:00pm - **NO** Discipleship and Prayer Time
- Nov 11 (Sat) @ 8:30am - Men's Prayer Time
- Nov 12 (Sun) - bring in your shoeboxes in
- Nov 12 (Sun) – Freedom Church
- Nov 17 (Fri) @ 7:00pm - Fired Up Friday



Let's Make a Plan!

Short Meeting Following the Service to

- make plans for the float
- make plans for the handouts
- make plans for after the parade

"A Christmas Movie Christmas"

November 24 @ 6:30pm



Contact: Peter Egli

FIRED UP FRIDAYS

Craft Night - Make and Take
Nov 17 @ 7:00pm at DFBC

³ His divine power has granted to us all things that pertain to life and godliness, through the knowledge of him who called us to his own glory and excellence, ⁴ by which he has granted to us his precious and very great promises, so that through them you may become partakers of the divine nature, having escaped from the corruption that is in the world because of sinful desire. 2 Peter 1:1-4

BIBLE STORY TIME

At the Dryden Public Library
Saturday, Dec 9 @ 10:30 - 11:30am

Brought to you by local Christian churches

Music
Puppet Show
Craft & Snack
Book Reading

LEST WE FORGET

JUNIOR CHURCH AND THE TODDLERS PROGRAM

- Children ages 4 - 9 years may attend Junior Church - upstairs
- Children ages 2 and 3 years may attend the Toddler Program - upstairs

Children 10 and older are welcome to access the clipboards available in the foyer.

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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Treasurer - Gordon Robinson

Clerk - Ken Wickstrom

Divine Power and Grace are the Foundation of Christian Living: 2 Peter 1:1-4

Pastor Adam Hall ☞ Dryden First Baptist Church ☞ Nov 12, 2023

Introduction and Background

a) great gift

b) the greater gift

c) three purposes of 2 peter

- to warn about a group of false teachers that were distorting God's grace and giving people the license to sin as we will see in chapter 2
- to encourage Christians with the hope of heaven as we will see in chapter 3
- to encourage Christians to know and experience Jesus Christ and to progress in Christian holiness as we see in chapter 1

1) (1:1-2) Glorious God

(1:1) Simeon Peter, a servant and apostle of Jesus Christ,

a) a little about Peter

1. servant

2 Peter 1:14 since I know that the putting off of my body will be soon, as our Lord Jesus Christ made clear to me.

2. apostle

b) to whom does Peter write?

To those who have obtained a faith of equal standing with ours by the righteousness of our God and Savior Jesus Christ:

1 Peter 1:1 Peter, an apostle of Jesus Christ, To those who are elect exiles of the Dispersion in Pontus, Galatia, Cappadocia, Asia, and Bithynia,



c) to warn against false teachers

d) to affirm that they had faith of equal standing

e) to extend a blessing

(1:2) May grace and peace be multiplied to you in the knowledge of God and of Jesus our Lord.

1. peace

2. grace

f) to teach 4 truths

1. Jesus is God (1:1)

John 8:58-59 Jesus said to them, "Truly, truly, I say to you, before Abraham was, I am." ⁵⁹ So they picked up stones to throw at him, but Jesus hid himself and went out of the temple.

2. Jesus is Saviour

Acts 5:29-31 But Peter and the apostles answered, "We must obey God rather than men. ³⁰ The God of our fathers raised Jesus, whom you killed by hanging him on a tree. ³¹ God exalted him at his right hand as Leader and Savior, to give repentance to Israel and forgiveness of sins.

3. Jesus is the Christ

Matthew 16:16 Simon Peter replied, "You are the Christ, the Son of the living God."

4. Jesus is Lord

Acts 2:36 Let all the house of Israel therefore know for certain that God has made him both Lord and Christ, this Jesus whom you crucified."

2) (1:3-4) Glorious Promises

(1:3) His divine power has granted to us all things that pertain to life and godliness,

a) His divine power will grant everything needed

1. first, the divine power relates to the work of Jesus Christ upon the cross

Romans 1:16 For I am not ashamed of the gospel, for it is the power of God for salvation to everyone who believes, to the Jew first and also to the Greek.

2. this “divine power” also refers to the work of the Holy Spirit in the life of the Christian

Acts 1:8 But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit has come upon you, and you will be my witnesses in Jerusalem and in all Judea and Samaria, and to the end of the earth."

through the knowledge of him who called us to his own glory and excellence,

b) this knowledge is saving knowledge

c) God’s call is a grace to the Christian

1 Peter 2:9 But you are a chosen race, a royal priesthood, a holy nation, a people for his own possession, that you may proclaim the excellencies of him who called you out of darkness into his marvelous light.

(1:4) by which he has granted to us his precious and very great promises,

d) it is the Lord who promises

e) 11 promises found in 2 Peter

1. 2 Peter 1:1 – Jesus is a Saviour and we can have confidence that He will save us
2. 2 Peter 1:2 – the Christian has peace with God & has received the grace of God
3. 2 Peter 1:3, 8 – we can intimately know the Lord
4. 2 Peter 1:9 – we can have forgiven sins
5. 2 Peter 1:10 – we are called by God and elected by God
6. 2 Peter 1:11 – we have a glorious entrance into the kingdom of heaven
7. 2 Peter 1:19-21 – we have been given the word of God
8. 2 Peter 2:1 – our Master has bought us – referring to redemption

9. 2 Peter 2:9 – the Lord rescues the godly from the trial of judgment
10. 2 Peter 3:9 – the Lord is patient and is mighty to save
11. 2 Peter 3:13 – God will give us a new heaven and a new earth

**so that through them you may become partakers of the divine nature,
f) the Holy Spirit will live in the believer**

**having escaped from the corruption that is in the world because of sinful desire.
g) to escape corruption**

- there are two types of corruption that the Christian escapes

1. **the corruption** that is the consequence of sin experienced in the present

1 Peter 2:11 Beloved, I urge you as sojourners and exiles to abstain from the passions of the flesh, which wage war against your soul.

2. **the corruption** that is the eternal consequence of sin as it pertains to the judgment of God

Application

1) Have You Experienced the Divine Power of Jesus Christ?

2) Called to Holiness

2 Peter 1:5-7 For this very reason, make every effort to supplement your faith with virtue, and virtue with knowledge, ⁶ and knowledge with self-control, and self-control with steadfastness, and steadfastness with godliness, ⁷ and godliness with brotherly affection, and brotherly affection with love.