



Welcome to Worship

Mar 9, 2025

Prayer Notes:

IN the FOYER:

- assistive hearing devices are available (ask an usher)
- Evangelical Fellowship of Canada newsletter – pick up your copy

On the Calendar:

- Mar 9 (today) @ 3:30pm Princess Court Ministry
- Mar 12 (Wed) @ 7:30am Men's Morning Bible Study
- Mar 12 (Wed) @ 7:00pm Prayer and Bible Study
- Mar 15 (Sat) @ 1:00pm Studying the Bible (Young Adults)
- Mar 18 (Tue) @ 10:00 am Mom Group
- Mar 21 (Fri) @ 7:00pm Fired Up Friday
- Mar 25 (Tues) International Day of the Unborn Child
- Apr 03 (Tue) @ 10:00 am Mom Group
- Apr 10 (Thurs) @ 6:30pm – Watoto @ Full Gospel Church

Little children,
let no one deceive you.

Paul



Mar 16

1 John 3:7-10

CAMP OF THE WOODS

MARCH BREAK DAY CAMP

ENJOY WINTER WITH US

MARCH 15, 2025
10 a.m. to 7 p.m.

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DEAL OR NO DEAL

Junior Youth Group for kids grades 5-8
Mar 21 @ 7:00pm at DFBC.



HAVE YOU SEEN HIM?



Do you know Him?

1 John 4:3:4-6 Everyone who makes a practice of sinning also practices lawlessness; sin is lawlessness. You know that he appeared in order to take away sins, and in him there is no sin. No one who abides in him keeps on sinning; no one who keeps on sinning has either seen him or known him.

March 9

Devotional and Prayer Time



Group

- Tuesday Mar 18 at 10:00am
- Talk to Alexzandria if you have questions
- Bring a snack for your child
- Coffee/Tea available for the moms

- Snack
- Singing
- Story
- Crafts

BIBLE STORY TIME

At the Dryden Public Library
Saturday, Mar 29 @ 10:30-11:30am

Brought to you by local Christian churches



He is Risen

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 (4-9) and Toddler Program (2-3) 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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Treasurer - Gordon Robinson

Clerk - Ken Wickstrom

Introduction

Review and Background

- in 1 John 2:18-29, false teachers who were distorting the gospel and teaching a false Jesus
- John called these false teachers _____ and antichrists
- John exhorted these Christians to _____ in the Word of God
- he also _____ these Christians to persevere in following Jesus

- in 1 John 3:1-3, John reminded these Christians of the amazing _____ of knowing Jesus Christ as their Lord
- John reminds these Christians of the great love of God that comes to them through Jesus Christ
- sinners are brought into the _____ of God and are children of God
- John reminds these Christians of the hope of _____ and the glory that will be revealed at the coming of Jesus Christ
- John exhorts these Christians to be pure just as Jesus is _____

- in 1 John 3:4-10, John writes two sermons with the same three points
- first, on human sinfulness, second, the work of Christ and third, holy living

1) (3:4) Sin Is Lawlessness

(3:4) Everyone who makes a practice of sinning also practices lawlessness; sin is lawlessness.

a) sin as a way of life

b) sin is missing the mark

c) all have sinned

2) (3:5) Solution for Sin

(3:5) You know that he appeared in order to take away sins,

a) Jesus was born to take away sin

- we are reminded of why Jesus was named Jesus, as found in the gospel of Matthew

Matthew 1:21 She will bear a son, and you shall call his name Jesus, for he will save his people from their sins."

b) six realities for the Christian

#1 Jesus removes the controlling power of sin from the Christian

- the Christian is no longer under the bondage of sin

Colossians 1:13 He has delivered us from the domain of darkness and transferred us to the kingdom of his beloved Son,

#2 Jesus bears the judgment of God in the place of the sinner who deserves to bear the wrath of God for their own sin

1 John 2:2 He is the propitiation for our sins, and not for ours only but also for the sins of the whole world.

#3 Jesus forgives the sins of the Christian and thus, they have a clean slate

- through Jesus, their sins are wiped away

Psalms 103:12 as far as the east is from the west, so far does he remove our transgressions from us.

#4 Jesus gives righteousness to the Christian

- when God looks at them, He sees the righteousness of Jesus and does not see their sin

Romans 3:22 the righteousness of God through faith in Jesus Christ for all who believe. For there is no distinction:

#5 Jesus reconciles the Christian to God

- because of sin humans are separated from God but Jesus Christ reconciles sinners to God

2 Corinthians 5:18 All this is from God, who through Christ reconciled us to himself and gave us the ministry of reconciliation;

#6 Jesus brings the Christian into the family of God

- we talked about this in 1 John 3:1-3, we are called children of God and thus we are children of God through Jesus Christ

and in him there is no sin.

c) Jesus lived without sinning

1 John 2:29 If you know that he is righteous, you may be sure that everyone who practices righteousness has been born of him.

- in 1 John 3:3, John wrote that Jesus is pure

1 John 3:3 And everyone who thus hopes in him purifies himself as he is pure.

- if Jesus was not pure, righteous and without sin He could not be the perfect and sinless sacrifice for sin
Hebrews 4:15 For we do not have a high priest who is unable to sympathize with our weaknesses, but one who in every respect has been tempted as we are, yet without sin.

Hebrews 7:25-26 Consequently, he is able to save to the uttermost those who draw near to God through him, since he always lives to make intercession for them. ²⁶ For it was indeed fitting that we should have such a high priest, holy, innocent, unstained, separated from sinners, and exalted above the heavens.

3) (3:6) Stop Sinning

(3:6) No one who abides in him keeps on sinning; no one who keeps on sinning has either seen him or known him.

a) John mentions three descriptions of Christians

i) the person who abides in Jesus

- this means that a person has experienced the grace of God through Jesus Christ and is in a relationship with Jesus

ii) the person who has seen Jesus

- this means that a person has seen the light of Christ and they know Christ

iii) the person who knows Jesus

- this means that a person has experienced Jesus Christ

- this person knows the joy of the Lord because of the grace of God given to them

b) if you abide in Jesus, have seen Jesus and know Jesus you **cannot** persist in sin

c) the attitude a Christian must have is one of sorrow for their sin

Application

1) Do You See Yourself as a Good Person?

a) who is a good person?

- the truth is none of us are good people
- and the standard of good and bad is God's holy law

b) measuring up against a few of God's laws found in the 10 commandments

i) The First Commandment

Exodus 20:3 "You shall have no other gods before me."

ii) The Fifth Commandment

Exodus 20:12 "Honor your father and your mother, that your days may be long in the land that the LORD your God is giving you."

iii) The Eighth Commandment

Exodus 20:15 "You shall not steal."

iv) The Ninth Commandment

Exodus 20:16 "You shall not bear false witness against your neighbor."

c) God knows that there is no one who can be good on their own

- all have sinned as the apostle Paul says in the book of Romans

Romans 3:23 for all have sinned and fall short of the glory of God

- because we have sinned, because we are all not good, we are separated from God just like Israel was

Micah 3:4 Then they will cry to the LORD, but he will not answer them; he will hide his face from them at that time, because they have made their deeds evil.

2) Jesus Came for Sinners!

a) salvation depends on faith in Jesus

- one of my favourite verses about the work of Christ is found in the book of 1 Timothy

1 Timothy 1:15 The saying is trustworthy and deserving of full acceptance, that Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners, of whom I am the foremost.

b) remember what Jesus accomplishes for the Christian

#1 Jesus removes the controlling power of sin from the Christian

#2 Jesus bears the judgment of God in the place of the sinner who deserves to bear the wrath of God for their own sin

#3 Jesus forgives the sins of the Christian and thus, they have a clean slate

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c) how does the Christian respond to what Jesus has done?

d) how can the non-believer respond to the person and work of Jesus?

- if you are outside of Jesus Christ and have been rejecting Him
- won't you look seriously into the life of Jesus and His work of grace accomplished for you
- you can _____ in His work because Jesus came to take away sins
- event though you have sinned it is only Jesus who can take your sins away
- trust in Jesus alone for the forgiveness of your sin and be a part of His eternal family

3) Christian, Live a Holy Life

a) does pursuing pleasure give meaning to life?

b) called to live lives that please God

- Jesus is righteous and thus we are called to be righteous (1 John 2:29)
- Jesus is pure and thus we are called to be pure (1 John 3:3)
- in 1 John 3:6, if we claim to abide in Christ, we must not go on deliberately sinning

c) identify sin, flee sin and kill sin

- Paul exhorts the Christians to put to death sin in the book of Colossians because of the amazing grace shown to them

Colossians 3:5 Put to death therefore what is earthly in you: sexual immorality, impurity, passion, evil desire, and covetousness, which is idolatry.