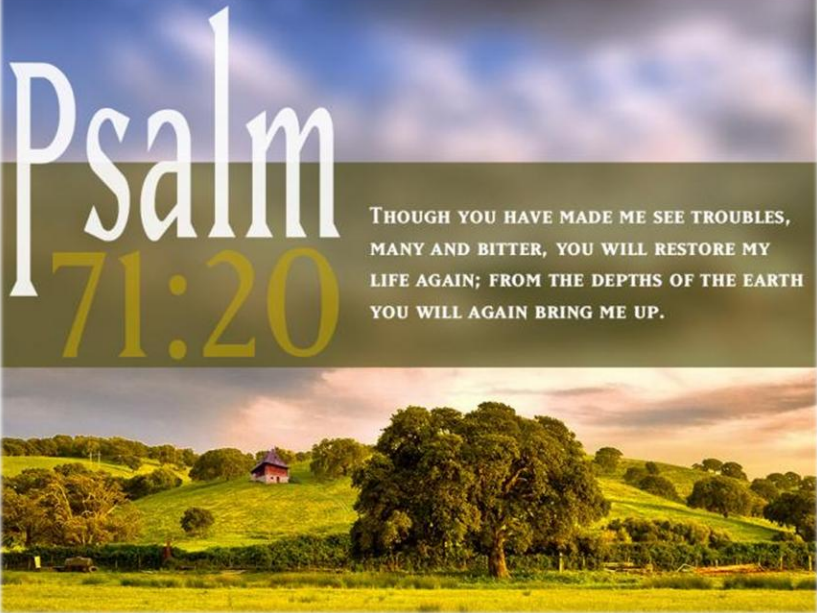


Welcome



Sunday 10:30am & 6pm

Coffee & Donuts Fellowship before Sunday Morning Service

Sunday Services Streamed Live

Wednesday 6pm



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WELCOME ON THIS NATIONAL BACK TO CHURCH SUNDAY 2026

CHURCH LUNCH - AFTER SERVICE TODAY

Please plan to stay for lunch.

MOVIE NIGHT - GOD'S NOT DEAD - NEXT SUNDAY 9/27/26 - 6PM

God's Not Dead left some asking what happened with different people, like the lady they prayed for with cancer. Movie night is an opportunity for you to invite other that may not go to church, to come and enjoy a Christian based movie with us. We are here to serve others and extend the Heavenly Kingdom.



ONLY JESUS - BILLY GRAHAM DEVOTION

God . . . is the one who invited you into this wonderful friendship with his Son, even Christ our Lord. - 1 Corinthians 1:9 (TLB)

The question remains, "How can God be just-that is, true to Himself in nature and true to Himself in holiness-and yet justify the sinner?" Because each man had to bear his own sins, all mankind was excluded from helping, since each was contaminated with the same disease. The only solution was for an innocent party to volunteer to die physically and spiritually as a substitution before God. This innocent party would have to take man's judgment, penalty, and death. But where was such an individual? Certainly, there was none on earth. There was only one possibility. God's own Son was the only personality in the universe who had the capacity to bear in His own body the sins of the world. Only God's Son was infinite and thus able to die for all.

Prayer: Lord Jesus, Lamb of God, in adoration I thank You for the love that made You willing to suffer and die on the cross for my sin.

THE REALITY OF ANCIENT GIANTS

Picture the scene on a dusty battlefield centuries ago, where the air hangs heavy with dust and the metallic clatter of armor. A weary soldier stands near exhaustion, his shield heavy in his grip and his muscles burning from hours of relentless combat. Suddenly, out of the ranks of the enemy, a towering figure emerges. This is not just any opponent. He is a giant, carrying a massive spear and radiating intimidation. Every instinct in the human heart screams to turn and run, to find a safe place to hide from a threat that looks completely insurmountable. Life often presents us with obstacles that feel ancient, heavy, and terrifying in much the same way. We look around our modern society and realize

that despite being more digitally connected than ever before, so many individuals walk around in a state of deep physical isolation. Anxiety and depression grip our minds, while relationship pain, unexpected medical diagnoses, and financial crises loom large on the horizon. These modern giants take over our emotional landscape, making us feel small, overwhelmed, and entirely unequipped to face another day of battle.

Yet the scriptural record reminds us that Goliath was never the only giant the people of God had to face. Long after the famous stone left David's sling, other giants rose out of the shadows to test the faith of Israel. The battles did not stop just because one great victory was won in the past. We encounter the same reality in our own lives, where overcoming one challenge is often followed by the sudden appearance of another. When the weight of a new diagnosis or a crushing financial burden settles on your shoulders, the temptation to cower in fear feels entirely justified.



We can easily forget that the giants of our everyday lives are never standing alone against us. Just as Abishai rushed to the aid of a weary David on the battlefield, Jesus faced the hardships we encounter head-on. Through His ultimate sacrifice on the cross, He broke the power of every fear and worry that tries to attack our hearts. Like the giant-slayers in the Bible, we too can walk confidently in the victory that Christ offers us. The fundamental truth of the Kingdom is that the size of your God completely eclipses the size of your giant, no matter how loud or heavily armed that obstacle may appear.

Shift your focus away from how big the obstacle is, and anchor your heart in how big your God is today.

Practical Application: Knowing that victory is available through Christ changes how we wake up and step into our ordinary routines. When the alarm clock rings and the quiet pressure of a mounting workload or a strained relationship presses down on your chest, the theology of the cross must meet the reality. You do not have to manufacture your own strength or pretend that the anxiety is not there. You can acknowledge the weight while simultaneously declaring that a greater power dwells inside of you.

Living out this victory means catching yourself in the middle of a spiral and refusing to let panic dictate your next step. When the thought of an overwhelming financial crisis or a lonely evening tries to paralyze your mind, pause right where you are. Whisper a simple prayer acknowledging that you are tired, but that your God is stronger than the giant standing in your way. You do not need a complicated strategy to conquer fear. You simply need to lean on the finished work of Jesus, trusting that He has already secured your freedom from the things that try to consume you.

Reflection: What is one heavy circumstance or fear that feels larger than God in your life right now, and what would it look like to consciously hand that specific burden over to Him before the day is over?

Prayer: Father, sometimes the obstacles in front of me feel entirely too heavy, and I grow weary of fighting battles that seem to reappear out of nowhere. Thank You that I do not have to face my anxiety, my pain, or my fears in my own strength. Remind my heart of the victory Jesus purchased on the cross when the shadows feel too long. Help me to stop focusing on the size of my giant and to keep my eyes fixed entirely on Your power. Give me the courage to take one step forward today, trusting that You are fighting right beside me. In Jesus' name, Amen.

WORDS WILL BECOME WEAPONS: PERRY STONE’S WARNING

With Jewish year 5787 now underway, Perry Stone says its numbers carry a concealed warning about an intensifying battle in which speech will be used as a weapon.

Rosh Hashanah, also known as the biblical Feast of Trumpets, began at sun-down on Sept. 11. Stone applied symbolic meanings associated with Hebrew letters to the numbers in 5787 to interpret what the year ahead might hold.

This is not a prophecy, not some kind of revelation from the Holy Spirit. It is a hint, saying this year could go in this direction. The Hebrew letter pey, which carries a numerical value of 80 and symbolizes the mouth, expression or words. Zayin, which has a value of seven and can symbolize a sword, combat or weapon.

Stone believes that the combination points toward an escalating war of words. Evil people will use their mouth or words as a weapon against others. Stone said that pattern is already unfolding through social media, where people increasingly broadcast their opinions and attack others with their words. However, he said the symbolism also carries an instruction for Christians.

Take your mouth and use the Word of God. Not your opinions, not just criticism, to combat the evil that people are doing. Stone warned that believers cannot continue wavering between Scripture and the world’s competing opinions. He compared that indecision to the Israelites who hesitated between God and Baal during the ministry of Elijah. Stop halting between two opinions. This will be a year to make up your mind who is on the Lord’s side.

The pressure of the coming year will expose people’s spiritual allegiance and produce a clearer division. There’s coming a separation of the sheep and the goat. That separation makes personal faithfulness essential. **The main thing is over the next 12 months, serve God and follow the Lord.**

As others turn their words into weapons, Stone said Christians must answer with biblical truth. **The child of God must use their words as a sword.**

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