A TIME OF REFLECTION

[Pastor Gene Henderson edited by Pastor Pier]

And then it's all gone. Everything we poured our hearts into. Everything we thought would last forever. Gone. This could have been the epitaph for Donald Trump.

That, my friends, is the story of life in this broken world. We love our parents, and we think they will last forever. We fall in love with the dream of our hearts, and we believe they will last forever. We hold a baby in our arms, and we know they will soar beyond time.

But ultimately, we set them free. We give them to themselves. We give them to life. We give them to others. We give them to God.

And we weep.

Our tears carry what our minds cannot express, what our words fail to say, what our hearts cannot bear. Sometimes the weeping expresses what nothing else can. Sometimes the weeping carries our confusion and our broken hope. Sometimes the weeping says what mind and words and wounded hearts cannot.

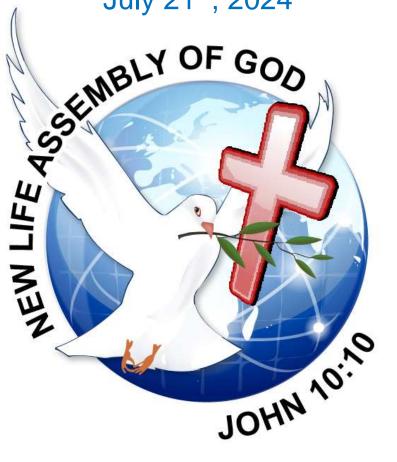
And sometimes the weeping awakens joy. That is what life in our world promises. David saw it this way in Psalm 30:5 (New Translation Version):

For His anger lasts only a moment, but His favor lasts a lifetime! Weeping may last through the night, but joy comes with the morning.

Thank You, God.

Welcome!

July 21st, 2024



"The thief comes only to steal and kill and destroy. I have come so they can have life. I want them to have it in the fullest possible way."

SERVICES

Sunday Morning Worship: 10:30 AM
Unity in Prayer & Youth: 6:00 – 7:00 PM
Wednesday – Bible Study: 7:00 PM; Kid's Club
Prayer ½ hour before services

ANNOUNCEMENTS



Wednesday Bible Study – we continue our new study, "The Great Disappearance" – Rapture of the church, taken from Dr. David Jeremiah's study. We have student study guides available for \$10 each. Please see the Pastor for more details.

Flagging Class – suspended until further

notice.

Save The Date! Annual VBS will be on August 19^{th} through the 23^{rd} , 6-9 P.M. We need volunteers for this vital week. We will have a sign-up sheet on the table in the foyer for you to indicate when you are able to help. God will richly bless you as you invest in the lives of children.

Month Of Prayer – the Assemblies of God nationwide has proclaimed August a month of prayer. Let's join the 100's of thousands who will be calling out on God. On the table in the foyer is a brochure to help us pray. Please take one and join in turning our nation back to God.

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SERMON NOTES

IT'S ALL ABOUT HIM

TEXT: Psalm 4:3; Isaiah 43:7; John 3:30

The most important	t	to my spiritual life, must be, "God		
, it has God."	to do wit	h me and ev	erything to do with	
Man was for God, short and simple. Genesis 1:26-28				
God's was t Genesis 1:29; 2:18-20		He could ta	ke of.	
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	n our relationship with God. Romans 3:23; 5:12; 6:2			
God has Corinthians 5:18; 20-2	this lost 1		Romans 5:10; 2	
Man would have releg	ated him to	:	status, but the father	
estores him to his	posi	tion.		
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Γhe Bible says that Je saiah 53:12; Romans	sus is my 8:34; Hebrews 7	:25	my representative.	
le has	to fight our bat	tles.		
n fact, we only need to give Him and He for us. Nehemiah 4:20; Exodus 14:13 Chronicles 20:17		and He will do dus 14:13-14; 2		
Chronicles 20:17				
II: IT'S ALL ABOUT WHAT HE CAN GIVE US				
He wants us to have _	He has f	or us	·	
All is ours provided we	are to		_ the requirements.	
He has great things in	for us	in the	John 14:18	
He has promised that on earth or anywhere can				
us from Him in Romans 8:38-39				
He has promised us $_$	in Romans 8:37			
He has promised us	in John 14:1-3			