BIBLE FELLOWSHIP CENTER

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THE LORD'S DAY

March 13, 2022 at 8:30 & 10:15 AM

PREPARATION FOR WORSHIP

Organ Prelude	David Schmidt
Piano	Wendy Baldwin
Guitar	Steve Budnack

Announcements

Prayer

Hymns 776, 354"Sweet Beulah Land" "I Cannot Tell"Scripture – Psalm 57 (opposite page-congregation read bold print)Pastoral PrayerHymn 564"Just a Closer Walk with Thee"Hymn Insert"Glorious Day"MessageGOD IS WORKING AND SO SHOULD WE Romans 8:28
Acts 17:31-18:1-11Rev. Calvin VanderMeyBenediction

Postlude

THIS WEEK'S EVENTS

Precept Bible study in "Hebrews" via ZOOM starts Tues. March 29th at 6:30pm. Email Wendy Baldwin at <u>wlabaldwin@gmail.com</u>
Wednesday - Ladies Bible study 10am with Becky Shearer- "Hebrews" No Wednesday Evening Prayer and Bible Study 6:30 – 7:40pm
Thursday - Precept Bible study on "Nehemiah" at 8:15am- Margaret Was

The offering box is in the back of the sanctuary

MINISTRY OF MISSION

For the glory of God, Bible Fellowship Center is committed to spreading the Good News of salvation, equipping the believers, that they might become more Christ-like, worship God and enjoy Him forever.

Prayer for Safety from Enemies To the Chief Musician. Set to "Do Not Destroy." A Michtam of David when he fled from Saul into the cave. Psalm 57 Be merciful to me, O God, be merciful to me! For my soul trusts in You; And in the shadow of Your wings I will make my refuge, Until *these* calamities have passed by. ² I will cry out to God Most High, To God who performs all things for me. ³He shall send from heaven and save me; He reproaches the one who would swallow me up. Selah God shall send forth His mercy and His truth. ⁴ My soul *is* among lions; I lie *among* the sons of men Who are set on fire, Whose teeth are spears and arrows, And their tongue a sharp sword. ⁵ Be exalted, O God, above the heavens; Let Your glory be above all the earth. ⁶ They have prepared a net for my steps; My soul is bowed down; They have dug a pit before me; Into the midst of it they themselves have fallen. Selah ⁷ My heart is steadfast, O God, my heart is steadfast; I will sing and give praise. ⁸Awake, my glory! Awake, lute and harp! I will awaken the dawn. ⁹ I will praise You, O Lord, among the peoples; I will sing to You among the nations. ¹⁰ For Your mercy reaches unto the heavens, And Your truth unto the clouds. ¹¹Be exalted, O God, above the heavens; Let Your glory be above all the earth.

Acts 17:31 because He has appointed a day on which He will judge the world in righteousness by the Man whom He has ordained. He has given assurance of this to all by raising Him from the dead." ³² And when they heard of the resurrection of the dead, some mocked, while others said, "We will hear you again on this *matter*." ³³ So Paul departed from among them. ³⁴ However, some men joined him and believed, among them Dionysius the Areopagite, a woman named Damaris, and others with them.

18 After these things Paul departed from Athens and went to Corinth. ² And he found a certain Jew named Aquila, born in Pontus, who had recently come from Italy with his wife Priscilla (because Claudius had commanded all the Jews to depart from Rome); and he came to them. ³ So, because he was of the same trade, he stayed with them and worked; for by occupation they were tentmakers. ⁴ And he reasoned in the synagogue every Sabbath, and persuaded both Jews and Greeks.

⁵ When Silas and Timothy had come from Macedonia, Paul was compelled by the Spirit, and testified to the Jews *that* Jesus *is* the Christ. ⁶ But when they opposed him and blasphemed, he shook *his* garments and said to them, "Your blood *be* upon your *own* heads; I *am* clean. From now on I will go to the Gentiles." ⁷ And he departed from there and entered the house of a certain *man* named Justus, *one* who worshiped God, whose house was next door to the synagogue. ⁸ Then Crispus, the ruler of the synagogue, believed on the Lord with all his household. And many of the Corinthians, hearing, believed and were baptized.

⁹Now the Lord spoke to Paul in the night by a vision, "Do not be afraid, but speak, and do not keep silent; ¹⁰ for I am with you, and no one will attack you to hurt you; for I have many people in this city." ¹¹ And he continued *there* a year and six months, teaching the word of God among them.