

Good Samaritan Baptist Church

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Greetings in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ.

Sunday, 12 April 2020

It is hard all over the world. Pray for a member n missionary today.

Remember, you are invited to attend Easter Sunday Worship with social distancing at GSBC at 11 am. Those with internet may also enjoy the recorded services at www.solidrockinfo.org at Sun 10am & 5:30pm, Thur. 7:30pm. Please use our website for audio and written messages via www.GSBaptistChurch.com/audio available 24/7. And tune in to Dave Johnsons Senior Sunday School class on facebook if you can.

May the Lord bless you and keep you this week.

In Christ

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College – Career – Teen Bible Class Sunday 1 March

The first sentence of the book:

Revelation 1:1 The Revelation of Jesus Christ,
which God gave unto him, (pronoun him is _____)
to shew unto his servants (pronoun his is _____)
things which must shortly come to pass;
and he sent and signified it by his angel(he/his is _____)
unto his servant John:

2 Who bare record of the word of God, and of the testimony of Jesus Christ, and of all things that he saw.(pronoun he is _____)

Second sentence of the book:

3 ¶ Blessed is he that readeth, and they that hear the words of this prophecy, and keep those things which are written therein: for the time is at hand.

Name three things that he or they are to do in this sentence:

College – Career – Teen Bible Class Sunday 8 March

Rev 1:4 What are the names of the seven churches which are in Asia?

What three “tenses” send grace and peace?

Which _____ Which _____ and

Which _____

What are the seven Spirits before the throne? (See Isaiah 11)

Rev 1:5 What are the three listed traits of Jesus Christ?

Jesus Christ is the _____

Jesus Christ is the _____

Jesus Christ is the _____

Rev 1:5 (cont) What might each title tell us about Jesus Christ?

Title 1: _____

Title 2: _____

Title 3: _____

Rev 1:5b-6 What three listed things has Jesus Christ done for us?

Act 1: _____

Act 2: _____

Act 3: _____

Rev 1:6 What three (3) things are ascribed to God in this verse?

_____ of _____, _____ & _____

From a dictionary what does “amen” mean?

In Greek, via phonics how do you say amen? _____

Write out John 5:24: _____

In Greek what do you suppose the first two words of Jn 5:24 are?

_____ and _____

Rev 1:7 Give some profound thoughts on Revelation 1:7:

Rev 1:8 The title “Alpha and Omega” is ascribed 4 times in the Bible.

Where? _____

What title is given to the LORD God in Isaiah 41:4,44:6, 48:12

Msg #2015 A Prehumously Written Easter Message

What The Bible Says

Good Samaritan's Penny Pulpit by Pastor Ed Rice

This Easter Sunday was like no other in the history of America. Believers in the Lord Jesus Christ were advised by their government officials that for the sake of the social good of our society they should not gather together and worship the resurrected Christ. Some officials, enamored with their newly acquired authority to push people around for the social good, had already issue tickets and levied ridiculous fines against Christians who disobey their recommendations. Easter Sunday, in America, came laden with threats and intimidations against those who would gather for any worship of the resurrected Christ in any venue. It is sobering how complacent Christendom has become. But it is downright frightening how honest to goodness, genuine born-again-saved believers have been lulled to sleep during this pandemic. There is no sackcloth, nor ashes, nor fasting rampant in believers lives. Sitting at home on couches in front of big screen TVs, being careful not to spill the coffee is acceptable worship for the masses, even on Resurrection Sunday. The Passover lamb was slain and nature's most powerful Paschal Moon was full and highlighting the most powerful three nights in God's creation, just as it had since 1492 (BC) when God wrote down that this was true. For the most part officials have not dared to close churches and call them non-essential, but Christians have. Church doors are locked across America and "Christians" have not even tried a door knob to see if they can enter and make it a house of prayer. Honest pastors fast and set for hours in these abandoned buildings seeking God's face, weeping for our nation, weeping for parishioners, weeping for the lost. Across America a couple parishioners wanted into the church house to retrieve their Bibles from their pew, but none wanted in to pray, to visit an alter, to thank their God, to seek his face, to sing him a hymn, to just sit in that pew and be quiet, to pray with their pastor. We make it to the grocery store just fine, that's essential. People are lonely during house arrest, non so lonely as your pastor in an empty church, and that house is not under arrest. If you love it, make some plans to visit it a couple times this week,... unfortunately you might need a key.

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