

Eisenhower Church of Christ

The Judgement Day

The Bible teaches that a great day is coming; a day like no man has ever seen before, a day of reckoning. This day will involve both the divine and human elements. God will be on the one hand while man will be on the other; one will be the judge and the other will be the judged. On this day of all days the judgment will take place. The Bible speaks of this event time and time again. Man has been warned to prepare for it and only that day will reveal the results.

Observe a few facts in relation to the judgment which is to come:

- 1. There will be a judgment.** The apostle Paul says, “But why dost thou judge thy brother? Or why dost thou set at nought thy brother? For we shall all stand before the judgement seat of Christ” (Romans 14:10). Some may doubt that there will be a judgment, and there are those who publicly and intentionally denounce such a truth but all such people will be brought to their knees one day. The apostle says, “For it is written, As I live, saith the Lord, every knee shall bow to me and every tongue shall confess to God” (Romans 14:11). Yes, there will be a judgment whether you believe it or not.
- 2. All will be there.** Hebrews 9:27 proclaims, “And as it is appointed unto men once to die, but after this the judgment.” since the judgment will take place after death and death has been pronounced upon every man, we know beyond a shadow of a doubt that all will appear on the day of judgment. All will be there on that great day; the great and small, the rich and poor, the educated and uneducated, the healthy and sick, the saved and unsaved. Yes, all the world who have lived, who are living now and who will live, shall be there. Not one soul will escape.
- 3. Each will be judged according to his works.** We read, “For we must all appear before the judgment seat of Christ; that every one may receive the things done in his body, according to that he hath done, whether it be good or bad” (2 Corinthians 5:10). All works will be open before the Lord; he will know the hearts of all; not one thing will be allowed to pass by unnoticed. Righteous works will be accepted, but evil works will be condemned.
- 4. Christ will be the judge.** The record says, “Because he hath appointed a day, in the which he will judge the world in righteousness by that man whom he hath ordained; whereof he hath given assurance unto all men, in that he hath raised him from the dead” (Acts 17:31). So, Christ will be the judge, the righteous judge. We shall have nothing to fear inasmuch as the Lord will not be respecter of persons, but will judge us according to our works. Man might not be as fair.
- 5. The judgment will be final.** Christ, in picturing it, said, “And these shall go away into everlasting punishment; but the righteous into life eternal” (Matthew 25:46). When the judgment comes it will be too late to prepare. Moreover, after man has been sentenced it will be permanent. The saved and the lost will spend eternity according to God’s decree.
- 6. All will be rewarded.** Peter states, “For the time is come that judgment must begin at the house of God: and if it first began at us, what shall the end be of them that obey not the gospel of God? And if the righteous scarcely be saved, where shall the ungodly and the sinner appear?” (1 Peter 4:17-18)? Those who obey the Lord will be blessed with a crown of life but those who refuse to obey Him will be cast into the lake of fire. There are only two classes — no place in between.

Judgment is sure and eternity is certain. Life is too short, Heaven is too wonderful, and Hell is too hot to take a chance. **Are you ready for the Judgment Day?**

—Guy F. Hester

Prayer Request

John Wood will have laparoscopic surgery Friday, December 9th at Midland Memorial Hospital to remove a kidney stone that he has had for a while. Please keep John in your prayers that the surgery will be a success.

Concerns Update

LaDonna Chism was able to go home from the hospital last Wednesday evening. She struggles with numerous health issues, asthma being one in particular and most concerning. LaDonna is in need of our prayers.

Melissa Moore's brother and sister-in-law, **Ken and Angie Orr**, who were in an auto accident close to two weeks ago in the Ft. Worth, Dallas area, are still under medical care at the hospital. Ken is doing better. The doctor had him up and walking. He may get to go home soon. On the other hand, Angie is still on life support. She has undergone major surgery to remove part of her small intestine and was scheduled for surgery on her hip, leg and pelvis. These two are in need of prayers badly for a full recovery.

Dana Erwin, Linda Tate's cousin, is still in need of prayers. She is trying to recovery from a UTI and sepsis. Dana is home now, but still in a weakened state.

Prayer List

Rudy Alaniz; Maria Anaya; Wayne Anderson; Betty Branson; Bill and Mary Brown; Glenna Callendar; LaDonna Chism; Cathy Eastwood; Dana Erwin; Mark Erwin; Hattie Gilmore; Paul Gunn; Doug Guynn; Lon & Lana Howard; Elaine Huntington; Chuck Keith; Mildred Lee; Jason Moore; Melissa Moore; Juan & Estella Morolez; Ken & Angie Orr, Bruce & Trina Plyler; Chassidy Rayos; Carlos Reyes; Augie Rubalcado; Marilyn Upshaw; Terresia Weaver; Carolyn Wilkerson; Bill Wood; John Wood.

Eisenhower's Shut-ins

Glenna Callendar; LaVerne Couch, James & Joyce Drake; Ronda Lyne; Dusty and Kathy Marshall; Janelle Shirley and Marilyn Upshaw

Remember to keep all of our sick, shut-ins, the bereaved, our military personnel and spiritually weak in your daily prayers

Events

Watch "***In Search of the Lord's Way***" Sunday mornings at 7:30 am on KWES TV 9.

Next Sunday, December 11th, **Heath Stapleton** from the **Brown Trail School of Preaching** will be here to present the morning service lessons.

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Bible Knowledge ... "Who said this?"

Joshua said, "But as for me and my household, we will serve the Lord." (Joshua 24:15)

Office News

"**Ladies' Christmas Exchange**" at Bonnie Sorenson's, Friday, December 9th at 6:30 p.m. Bring a finger food and gift to exchange.

NOTE: The NMCCH will be here tomorrow to pick up the children's gifts.

Your Father Knows

As He spoke about earthly needs and treasures, Jesus said, "Do not worry then, saying, "What will we eat?" or "What will we drink?" or "What will we wear for clothing?" For the Gentiles eagerly seek all these things; for your heavenly Father knows that you need all these things" (Matthew 6:30). Focus your attention on the last phrase in this verse. "...your heavenly Father knows..."

As we move through the often-unpleasant events of life, it is a comforting thought that we have a Heavenly Father who knows about it all. He sees us. He hears us. And, according to Jesus, He cares for us. He is caring for you, especially as you walk with Him.

There is not a single moment when God has stopped caring for you. You are important to Him, and He wants to be important to you. If you will "seek first His kingdom and His righteousness," He will give you everything you need to live a godly life on earth. More than that, He will reward you after death with eternal life in a place that contains only goodness and righteousness — no more inequality, injustice, evil, or sin.

If you seek God through the Scriptures, you will find Him and He will provide for you everything you need. He will bring you peace that cannot be stolen (Philippians 4:7). At the last day, when He welcomes you into His presence forever, He will wipe away every tear from your eyes (Revelation 21:4).

While living through earthly life's difficulties, remember that God's promises do not fail. Earthly life can be unpredictable, but God brings order and peace to everything He touches (1 Corinthians 14:33). Seek Him through obedience to the Scriptures and let Him bring order and peace to your life.

—Eli Schnell

December 4, 2022	A.M.	P.M.
Announcements	Larry May	Larry May
Song Leader	Steve Easlon	Cody Wesson
Sermon	Allen Weakland	Allen Weakland
Opening Prayer	Larry May	Larry May
Scripture	Don Easlon	Isaiah Armendarez
Second Prayer	Jon Roemisch	Craig Wesson
Closing Prayer	Travis Ruckman	Bill Ryan
Lords Supper	<u>Gary Loving</u> Cody Wesson Jr. Munoz Jackie Perkins	Tommy Garcia Communion (In Library)

Other Responsibilities: *Elder:* Larry May 638-3990— *Deacon:* Craig Wesson 934-4633— *Pulpit:* Jacob Carson 940-3775— *Table:* Tommy Garcia 312-5332— *Song Leaders:* Cody Wesson 934-4646 — *Recording Sermons:* Rudy Ochoa 214-0398 — *Collections:* Tommy Garcia 312-5332

Sunday AM

"Cost & Value of Faith"
(Hebrews 11:35-40)

Sunday PM

“Behold, the Lamb of God”

(John 1:29-30)

Our Records

Bible Class... 58

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Wednesday...—

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