

4. Psalm 145 is a great passage giving us motivation to live for God, honor Him and give praise. Look for some life principles.

Vs. 2– Praise Him _____ day

Vs.3- Know His _____ is unsearchable

Vs. 5- Meditate on His _____ works

Vs. 6- Speak of the power of His _____ acts

Vs. 7- Remember His abundant _____

Vs. 8- Know the Lord is _____ and _____

Vs. 11- Speak of the glory of His _____

Vs. 13- His kingdom is _____

Vs. 14- The Lord _____ all who fall

Vs. 17- The Lord is _____ in all His deeds

Vs. 18- The Lord is _____ to all who call

Vs. 19- These who fear the Lord and cry to Him, He will _____ and _____ them

5. As Paul concludes his prayer in Ephesians 3, what is the promise and vision that is given to the church in 3:20,21?

Taking it Home– Honoring Christ

All About The One

Looking back at this week’s teaching and study, what is most important for you to remember? Explain why.

Pray for Grace Hills Church that we would fulfill His vision for the church to Honor God and Help People!

“God’s Vision for the Church!”

Keep it Simple! The Church is called to...

1. Honor God

The Who?

Who is He?

God is One, and there are three persons in the oneness of God, the Father, the Son Jesus Christ, and the Holy Spirit, same in essence, equal in power and glory. He is Lord and Creator, Spirit, compassionate and gracious, slow to anger, and abounding in loving kindness and truth.

Exodus 34:6- “Then the Lord passed by in front of him and proclaimed, ‘The Lord, the Lord God, compassionate and gracious, slow to anger, and abounding in lovingkindness and truth;’”

The What?

What is it we are to do?

Live in such a way, as a church family and as individuals, that reveals who God really is. Honor and glorify the true God so people can see Him in us.

With your actions

Matthew 5:16- “Let your light shine before men in such a way that they may see your good works, and glorify your Father who is in heaven.”

With your words

Psalm 34:1-3 “I will bless the Lord at all times; His praise shall continually be in my mouth. My soul shall make its boast in the Lord; the humble shall hear it and rejoice. O magnify the Lord with me and let us exalt His name together.”

The Why?

Because of who He is

Revelation 4:11- "Worthy art Thou, our Lord and our God, to receive glory and honor and power; for Thou didst create all things, and because of Thy will they existed, and were created."

Exodus 33:18,19

Because of what He does

Revelation 5:12

Because of what we receive

John 15:11, Ephesians 1:7

2. Help people (by helping more people become fully devoted followers of Christ.)

The How?

Help people by telling them who Christ is and what He has done for you!

Mark 5:18-20

Help people by giving to the church as it gets the message out about Christ.

Philippians 4:15,16,

Proverbs 3:9

Help people by doing what you can to love people in God's church and in this community.

I Peter 4:7-11

So What... What kind of church are we going to be in 2017?

Sermon Based Bible Study

Week of February 26, 2017

What was your take-away from Sunday?

(A particular point, challenge, encouragement, or question)

Getting Connected– Loving Christ:

A possible interesting question to start your group– Give an illustration of people forgetting the main purpose of an organization, an activity, an event, or job where it created confusion or conflict.

Going Further– Growing in Christ:

1. Review the first two memory verses from Luke this year.

Luke 19:10- "For the Son of Man has come to seek and to save that which was lost."

Luke 4:4- "And Jesus answered him, 'It is written, 'Man shall not live on bread alone.'"

Pray for Barry Maique with Word of Life in the Philippines as he forms Bible Clubs on High School campuses and helps churches build youth ministries.

2. Why is it always so important to remember Who God really is as we seek to honor Him?

Exodus 34:6-9

Romans 10:1-4

3. What do we learn about how we ought to treat each other from these passages? How would this improve our witness for Christ if we lived this way?

Romans 12:9-18

Philippians 2:1-4