## **SUNDAY, MARCH 19, 2023**

## MORNING MESSAGE "The Message for the Last Days" 2 Timothy 3:14-17

- I. THE INTRODUCTION TO THE BIBLE (v.14)
  - A. Timothy was introduced to the Bible during childhood
    - 1. "But continue thou" speaks of a command
    - 2. "In the things which thou has learned and has been assured of" speaks of a conviction
    - 3. "Knowing of whom thou has learned them" speaks of a confidence
- II. THE INTENTION OF THE BIBLE (v.15)
  - A. The intent of the Bible is to lead people to salvation
    - 1. "And that from a child" speaks of Timothy's childhood
    - 2. "Thou hast known the holy scriptures" speaks of the content
    - 3. "Which are able to make thee wise unto salvation through faith which is in Christ Jesus" speaks of his conversion
- III. THE INSPIRATION OF THE BIBLE (v.16a)
  - A. The Bible is the inspired Word of God
    - 1. "All scripture" speaks of the sum
    - 2. "Given by inspiration of God" speaks of the supernatural
    - 3. "Is" speaks of the supremacy
- IV. THE IMPLICATIONS OF THE BIBLE (vv.16b-17)
  - A. There are two implication of the Bible
    - 1. The Bible is profitable (v.16b)
      - a. It is profitable for doctrine
      - b. It profitable for reproof
      - c. It is profitable from correction
      - d. It is profitable for instruction
    - 2. The Bible is perfecting (v.17)
      - a. The Bible will equip you
      - b. The Bible will enable you