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**OUR GOSPEL MEETING IS NOV 6-9. WE WILL HAVE EVENING SERVICES ON SUNDAY AT 3:15 FOLLOWING THE FIRST SUNDAY SINGING AT 2 PM**

**READING FOR THE WEEK: SUN- MATTHEW 5-6; MON- 7-9; TUES- 10-12; WED- 13-14; THUR- 15-17; FRI- 18-20; SAT-21-22; SUN- 23-24**

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## TIMES OF SERVICES

### **SUNDAY MORNING**

**BIBLE CLASS 9:30**

**WORSHIP 10:20**

**SUNDAY EVENING 5:00**

**WEDNESDAY BIBLE STUDY 7:00**

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WHAT KIND OF PLACE IS IT?

**(Revelation 21:1-12)**

**It is a \_\_\_\_\_ place (vs. 2).**

- A. Its coming down out of heaven is symbolic of the fact that it is of divine \_\_\_\_\_.
- B. To \_\_\_\_\_ His apostles in a discussion prior to His death Jesus had these words to say (John 14:1-3).
  - 1. He told them He was going to \_\_\_\_\_ a place for them.
  - 2. Notice He said, “\_\_\_\_\_ go to prepare a place for you.”
- C. This is the same city for which the \_\_\_\_\_ of old sought (Hebrews 11:10).

**I. It is a \_\_\_\_\_ place (vs. 4).**

- A. It is purged of \_\_\_\_\_ - death causes great sorrow, but it is really in our best interest.
- B. It is purged of \_\_\_\_\_.
- C. It is purged of \_\_\_\_\_.
- D. It is purged of \_\_\_\_\_.

**II. It is a \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_ place (vs. 8).**

- A. The fearful are those who shrink back from taking a stand for what is right and are unable to pay the cost of \_\_\_\_\_.
- B. The unbelieving are those who have gone \_\_\_\_\_ on their belief in Jesus as the way as well as those who never obeyed the gospel.
- C. The abominable are those who are \_\_\_\_\_ bankrupt.
- D. We know what murderers and fornicators are, but \_\_\_\_\_ in with fornication are all manner of sexual sins.
- E. Sorcerers in the original language included the use of \_\_\_\_\_.
- F. Idolators are those who worship things both visible and invisible that take the \_\_\_\_\_ of the Almighty.
- G. Liars are those who practice deceit, whether verbally or by remaining \_\_\_\_\_.

**V. It is a \_\_\_\_\_ place (vs. 10-11).**

- A. We know the \_\_\_\_\_ of many of these building materials mentioned in these verses.
- B. Not only that, it is precious because the \_\_\_\_\_ of God fills it.

**7. It is a \_\_\_\_\_ place (vs. 12).**

- A. Earthly cities at the time of this writing depended on the strength of their \_\_\_\_\_ for protection.
- B. Heaven is pictured as having a great wall and twelve \_\_\_\_\_.
  - 1. Not only is protection afforded by the walls, each gate has an \_\_\_\_\_ stationed at it.
  - 2. They will not let anything in that is not \_\_\_\_\_ by God.
- C. There is \_\_\_\_\_ that will be able to enter heaven to bother us.

**A FEW SIMPLE POINTS ABOUT SPREADING THE WORD**

**Preston Silcox**

If we're concerned about lost souls and if we desire to build up the local church, there are a few necessary matters to which we must give careful attention. Consider the following.

We must have a perception of the need. This includes understanding that Christ obligates us to take the gospel to those around us (Matthew 28:18-20; Mark 16:15-16), as well as simply observing that the local church must be perpetuated.

We must follow the pattern of God's Word. While reaching the lost is essential and building up the local church is vital, we must not go beyond the limits of God's Word to accomplish these tasks. Pragmatism says if it works, it must be right; the Bible says if it is authorized, it is right (cf. Colossians 3:17).

We must apply the principle of Acts 8:1,4. These two verses show the scattering of the disciples and then the scattering of the seed. They indicate that every member was involved in the process of evangelism — not just those in leadership positions.

We must recognize the power of the gospel. While some shy away from personal work believing that they are not assertive or eloquent enough, the bible shows that the power to convert the sinner from the error of his way is in the message, not the messenger (cf. Romans 1:16; Hebrews 4:12).

We must understand that persistence is essential. Consider 1 Corinthians 15:58 in light of the subject at hand: "Therefore my beloved brethren, be ye steadfast, unmoveable, always abounding in the work of the Lord, forasmuch as ye know that your labour is not in vain in the Lord."

So, are we really concerned about lost souls and do we really care about building up the local church? Then let's get to work!