



MOUNT SINAI MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH

BIBLE STUDY

“TIME WITH JESUS”

Lesson 2 – Jesus: The Savior

Scripture Reference: Luke 2:11

OBJECTIVE: To affirm that Jesus came to give people hope for their lives, by saving them of their sin. To convey the truth that Jesus does not want anyone to die in their sins.

INTRODUCTION:

The unique difference between Christianity and other religions is that Jesus offered Himself as a sacrifice for the atonement of sin. To be literal, He offered Himself as a blood sacrifice, Hebrews 9:13-14.

What is the significance of a “blood sacrifice?” Leviticus 17:9

1. The life of the flesh is in the blood.
2. Blood supplies life to one's body organs.
3. Therefore, blood is the grand principle of vitality.

The life of an animal became the substitute for the life of man's sins. The reason an animal's blood was chosen is because man is rebellious, sinful, and rejects and disobeys the will of God.

I. Jesus: The Great High Priest

Scripture Reference: Hebrews 9:25

1. Jesus lives to make intercession for man – Hebrews 1:3
 - a. Nothing can separate you from the love of God – Romans 8:35
 - b. He sits in the presence of God for us – Hebrews 9:24
2. Jesus is able to save man of all their sins
 - a. It is necessary to believe in Jesus – John 8:24
 - b. Jesus makes us free from sin – John 8:36

Life Transformation: Examine your life for a moment. What is the problem you struggle with the most? Do you believe that Jesus is able to save you?

II. Jesus: The Perfect Atonement

Scripture Reference: Leviticus 16: 2, 4, 6, 11, 15-16

What does **atone** mean? To cover over, to satisfy

Can you remember a time when someone atoned for you?

When we atone for our sins, it is not just to be ritualistic in saying, "I am sorry" to God. Atoning requires humility and transparency in order to remove the selfishness of our ways. What should we do?

We should confess our sins: I John 1:5 – I John 2:2

Jesus is the **propitiation** for our sins, which means to be a sacrifice, a covering, a satisfaction, a payment, and an appeasement for sin.

QUESTION: How frequently do you confess your sins?

QUESTION: What does humility look like in your life?

III. Jesus Delivers Us From Sin

Scripture Reference: John 8

Jesus went to the temple early in the morning and began to teach. As He was teaching, the scribes and Pharisees brought a woman caught in adultery to Him. They asked, "what does the Law of Moses say?" Of course, they were trying to test Jesus. If we were in a philosophy class, we would have a dilemma on our hands. If Jesus allowed the woman to be stoned by the crowd, then He would lose ground as a friend to sinners. On the other hand, if he prevented the stoning He would not be following the Law of Moses.

What happened? what did Jesus do?

1. He chose to give this woman a second chance.
2. He wrote on the ground.
3. Her accusers left the scene.

What did Jesus do for this woman's life?

1. He did not condemn her, Roman 8:1
2. He showed her mercy, Psalm 51:1-2
3. He set her free, John 8:32
4. He removed the burden of sin, Hebrews 9:14

CONCLUSION:

What Jesus did for the woman caught in adultery, he will and has done the same for you. Confess your sins and be free to live the life that Jesus has given you. God desires that you may be prosperous in all that you do.