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SUNDAY JANUARY 28, 2024

2 TIMOTHY 1:9

“Who hath saved us, and called us with a holy calling, not according to our works, but according to his own purpose and grace, which was given us in Christ Jesus before the world began..”



## WELCOME TO RESCUE BAPTIST CHURCH

“Sinners are welcome at this church. We are a local body of the Lord Jesus Christ. As you spend time with us, you’ll soon discover we’re an imperfect church, with an imperfect pastor, yet by God’s undeserved grace, we preach, believe, and know the perfect gospel of our never-failing Lord Jesus Christ. We call His name Jesus for He shall, (not might, not maybe) but shall save His people from their sins, and every sinner that trusts in Christ is complete in Him, saved to the uttermost” Hebrews 7:25 (copied)

### SCHEDULED MEETINGS

Sunday Morning Bible Study 10:00 AM  
Sunday Morning Worship 11:00 AM  
Friday Night Service 7:00 PM

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### The Importance of Worship

When the Church of the Lord Jesus Christ meets, it is not the trifles of this world that should occupy her attention; She has much weightier matters to consider. The Scriptures say in Ecclesiastes 3 that *there is a time for everything*. There is a time for political concerns; there is a time for social action; there is a time for education and recreation. But the gatherings of the Church of the Lord Jesus are a time specifically dedicated to the worship of Jesus Christ! His praise, His word, His purpose, and His work are our theme. These times must be jealously guarded against any intrusion of mundane matters. Satan, the archenemy of our Lord, will take every opportunity to divert our attention from our blessed Lord. His most effective tactic is to introduce important worldly matters into the worship services of the Church. As important as these matters maybe they cannot compare with the heavenly, eternal matters of Jesus Christ and His blood and righteousness. May our gatherings, as well as our minds, be kept pure and sincere toward our Lord Jesus Christ. ~Joe Terrell

Rebekah fell in love with Isaac and desired to be his wife before ever meeting him. How so? By believing the words of Abraham’s servant concerning him. Sinner, if you are ever to fall in love with God’s Son, the Lord Jesus Christ, it will be by the words of God’s servant to you concerning Him. **“It pleased God by the foolishness of preaching to save them that believe.” (1 Corinthians 1:21)**

~David Eddmenson

## ANNOUNCEMENT

- Next Sunday February 4th is our Special meeting with Yuba City-Sutter Grace Church Pastor Rick Warta will be bring the message.
- Following services is our Fellowship Dinner.
- Following the dinner, we will come to the Lord’s Table, Lord willing.

### BE READY TO GIVE AN ANSWER – 1 Peter 3:15

When a person asks you to tell him why you believe your sins are pardoned, why you believe that your name is written in heaven, and why you believe that you are not under condemnation but hope to reign eternally with Christ Jesus is your righteousness before the law, Christ Jesus is your Justifier by His blood, and Christ Jesus is your Mediator before God’s throne, (1 Timothy 2:5).

Give that answer in a humble fashion, for we are what we are by the grace of God. Give that answer with “the fear of the Lord,” being careful that he gets all the glory for your blessings. Give that answer courteously and respectfully; it may be that the person is a true seeker.” ~Henry Mahan

### Grace for Fallen Men

Satan led a revolt in heaven against the throne of God. One third of the heavenly angels fell from their holy habitation. As a result of their sin, they were forever doomed to suffer the wrath of God. No mercy was extended to them. No grace was offered to them. No Savior was sent to deliver them. The fallen angels were forever damned without the least measure of grace.

Then Adam did the same thing. He sinned against the throne of God. He challenged God’s right to be God. What happened? God was gracious, God promised the fallen sons of Adam a Savior, a Redeemer, a Way of mercy (Gen.3:15).

The angels who sinned were passed by, reprobate, without mercy. Yet, when Adam did the same thing, God extended mercy to man. That is divine sovereignty. Why did God pass by the angels that fell? Why did God extend mercy to fallen men? Only one answer can be given, “Therefore hath He mercy on whom He will have mercy, and whom He will He hardeneth” ~Don Fortner

In election the Lord set us apart to be His children. In adoption He gave us the relationship of children. In regeneration He gave us the privilege of being His children. In justification He gave us the perfect standing of children. In glorification He will give us the inheritance of children. ~copied