

God's Amazing Offer to Your Family

Sunday, November 12th, 2023

Text: Deuteronomy 6:1-12

Introduction: Luke 19:41-42

I. God Gives the Offer of Blessing – v. 1-3

- Deuteronomy 5:29
- Psalm 1:1
- Psalm 1:2
- Psalm 1:3-4;
- Jeremiah 29:11
- Psalm 1:6
- Matthew 5:3-12
- John 15:11
- Psalm 16:11
- Deuteronomy 18:15
- Deuteronomy 6:3
- Matthew 7:24-27

II. 5 Keys to Accepting God's Offer

- Deuteronomy 6:3
- Matthew 7:24
- Matthew 7:26
- Luke 8:21
- James 1:22
- Deuteronomy 6:4
- Zechariah 14:9
- Isaiah 43:10-11
- Isaiah 44:6
- Isaiah 45:5
- Ephesians 4:6
- I Timothy 2:5
- I Corinthians 10:20
- Deuteronomy 32:16-17
- I Timothy 4:1
- Deuteronomy 6:6
- Matthew 13:19-23
- Hebrews 3:8
- Hebrews 3:13
- Hebrews 3:15
- Hebrews 4:7
- Matthew 13:23
- Matthew 7:19-20

Building Your Family in a Falling World

Family Devotion – Hearing and Doing

Open in prayer:

Read: Deuteronomy 6:1-12

- What stood out to you from the passage or the message from Sunday morning?

The most essential part of any structure is its foundation. A building or house will become fractured and even collapse without the proper foundation. Jesus speaks of the importance of having the right foundation in life. Read Matthew 7:24-27 and answer the following questions.

- **Matthew 7:24–29** — *Therefore whosoever **heareth these sayings of mine, and doeth them**, I will liken him unto a wise man, which built his house upon a rock: **25**; And the rain descended, and the floods came, and the winds blew, and beat upon that house; and it fell not: for it was founded upon a rock. **26**; And every one that heareth **these sayings of mine, and doeth them not**, shall be likened unto a foolish man, which built his house upon the sand: **27**; And the rain descended, and the floods came, and the winds blew, and beat upon that house; and it fell: and great was the fall of it.*
- Who did Jesus say was a wise man in verse 24 and who was a foolish man in verse 26?_What was the key difference in the two men?
- Before you can faithfully “do” what God says, you must “hear” what God’s Word says. What are practical ways you can daily make time for God’s Word?
- What was the difference in the outcome of the wise man verses the foolish man?
- Jesus prioritized being a “doer” of the Word and not just “hearing” it. What is something in your life you have heard and know but have not yet applied?

Take turns reading the following verses and share what you learn from them:

- **Psalm 1:1–3** — ***1**; Blessed is the man that walketh not in the counsel of the ungodly, nor standeth in the way of sinners, nor sitteth in the seat of the scornful. **2**; But his delight is in the law of the LORD; and in his law doth he meditate day and night. **3**; And he shall be like a tree planted by the rivers of water, that bringeth forth his fruit in his season; his leaf also shall not wither; and whatsoever he doeth shall prosper.*
- **James 1:22** — *But be ye doers of the word, and not hearers only, deceiving your own selves.*

Close in prayer (suggestions: share at least one personal prayer request and pray for the person to your right):