WEBSITE SERMONS FOR 7/7/25 – 7/13/25

** (Note: All Bible Quotes Are Taken From The Original King James Version)

Subject: The Second Birth:

I did not learn what I teach from a college or religious seminary. The knowledge that I am giving was given to me by God through the Holy Spirit. I was previously a dedicated schoolteacher who enjoyed my profession. I was called away from my profession by God, and was revealed the mysteries of God's word for those who desire to be saved. You will not find another preacher anywhere teaching the principles of salvation as I teach them. You cannot take in what I am teaching without experiencing a change in your life. If you receive my teaching with an honest and good mind, you will be born again.

God in his plan for man has made available two births and two resurrections. The second birth is a spiritual birth, which will enable you to live a spiritual life right here on earth. The second birth will also enable you to be a part of the first resurrection when Jesus returns. The second birth is when you have been born again of the Spirit of God. The second birth is what you want while you are living in this world. The second birth is what saves you from sin.

When you have experienced a spiritual birth, you will then live in the Spirit. This means the Holy Spirit will be your guide and director through life. It will lead you to live a righteous life by giving you power to do so. We were born the first time of our parents, receiving a flesh and blood body with the nature to live in sin. The second birth of the Spirit will give us power to obey the word of God to live righteous. If you live righteous without assistance from the Spirit of God, such righteousness will be your righteousness, and not of God. Righteousness without the Spirit of God is self-righteousness, which is not acceptable for salvation.

Your birth of your parents allowed you to obey principles of life that made you a sinner. If you continue with such a life and fail to receive the second birth from the Spirit of God, at the end of your life you will receive eternal damnation. However, if you experience the second birth and obey the principles that make you righteous, at the end of this life you will receive eternal life in heaven.

Subject: If You Do Not Accept Christ Moses' Law Will Condemn You:

If you don't have the love of God in your heart by the power of the Holy Spirit, you will not be able to keep the whole law of God. You will break the law at one

point or another (James 2:10). When you break the law at one point, you are guilty of breaking the whole law. There are many who believe that the law became obsolete after Jesus brought grace. The law is never obsolete, if you have not been saved you are still under the condemnation of the law that Moses taught. Jesus did not come to do away with the Law of Moses, but to complete it.

Jesus brought grace, which comes into your life by the Holy Spirit, to give you the ability to live above the condemnation of the law. Those who committed adultery during Moses day and failed to offer an acceptable sacrifice for their sins were condemned under Moses' law, as well as those who commit adultery today and have failed to accept Jesus Christ who gives the new birth. The sacrifice that Jesus made on Calvary does not render forgiveness of sin unless you have received the new birth from Christ. When you receive the new birth, it gives you power to sin no more. Under these conditions, you are no longer condemned under the law that Moses brought neither the fulfillment of the law that Jesus taught.

Jesus came to complete the law as the final and more perfect sacrifice for our sins. If a person has not been born again, it means that they have received no benefit from Jesus' sacrifice and are nevertheless condemned under Moses' law. Listen to St. Matthew 5:17-18:

- Verse 17 Think not that I am come to destroy the law, or the prophets: I am not come to destroy, but to fulfill.
- Verse 18 For verily I say unto you, Till heaven and earth pass, one jot or one tittle shall in no wise pass from the law, till all be fulfilled.

Now the offering of the blood of bulls and goats or a lamb is not acceptable to God anymore, neither for the Jews nor Christians today. Jesus' sacrifice is the only acceptable sacrifice for sins. So then, the sacrifices for sins have been updated to grace from Jesus Christ. However, if a person fails to receive Jesus Christ, they will nevertheless be condemned under Moses' law. Listen to Hebrews 10:3-4:

- Verse 3 But in those sacrifices there is a remembrance again made of sins every year.
- Verse 4 For it is not possible that the blood of bulls and of goats should take away sins.

So then, God took away the first agreement for the sacrifices of sins that he might establish the second agreement, which was in Christ for once and for all. Listen to Hebrews 10:9-10:

- Verse 9 Then said he, Lo, I come to do thy will, O God. He taketh away the first, that he may establish the second.
- Verse 10 By the which will we are sanctified through the offering of the body of Jesus Christ once for all.

Subject: If You Are Saved You Are Saved For A Purpose:

God carefully chooses whom he is going to save, and he saves a person for a purpose. If you think you are saved and you are not being used by God for a purpose, you have made a mistake. God can use a person for many things, such as a preacher or teacher of the gospel. God could save a person and bless the person with wealth to help support the finances of a ministry, as the wise men did at Jesus' birth.

Among all of the women on the earth prior to Jesus' birth, Mary was the one chosen by God to give Jesus the human touch, and to care for Jesus as a child. When God looks down upon the earth to see whom he is going to save, he looks to see who is willing to fulfill his purpose. The person that God chooses to save for a purpose must first have a willing mind to do what God wants done. This initiative must come from the individual, and God will give the person the Holy Spirit to help motivate and to inspire the person to accomplish God's purpose. Listen to II Corinthians 8:12:

Verse 12 - For if there be first a willing mind, it is accepted according to that a man hath, and not according to that he hath not.

When there is first a willing mind, God will then work in the individual to do what they were saved to accomplish. Listen to Philippians 2:13:

Verse 13 - For it is God which worketh in you both to will and to do of his good pleasure.