

God's House Is for All Peoples

Isaiah 56:1-8

August 29, 2021

I. My Salvation Will Come (V. 1-2)

A. A house of prayer for all peoples _____ with a people who seek the Lord.

II. My Salvation Will Overcome (V. 3-8)

A. What the outcast gains in the kingdom of God is better than anything the world could _____.

B. A house of prayer for all peoples overcomes all _____ and _____ barriers.

C. A house of prayer for all peoples is always _____.

D. A house of prayer for all peoples is _____ of God's salvation and righteousness.

Group Discussion Questions

1. Read Isaiah 56:1-8.
2. What is the relationship between seeking righteousness and the coming of God's salvation, according to verse 1?
3. Why would non-Israelites struggle with being accepted in the temple at this time in Israel's history, as verse 3 implies? What are some national/political barriers that exist today that make it hard for churches to be inclusive to all peoples?
4. Why would eunuchs feel unwelcome in the temple at this time in Israel's history, as verse 3 implies? What are some social barriers that exist today that make it hard for churches to be inclusive to all kinds of people?
5. What are some ways our church can overcome the national and social barriers to reaching all peoples in Arizona? What seems to be the main reason behind a house of prayer for all peoples in this chapter?
6. Pray for our church, that we would be a house of prayer for all peoples. Consider coming to tonight's Zoom prayer meeting at 7 pm. Register on the church website to be emailed the Zoom link.

Church Bible Reading Plan

Bible Reading Plan: Jeremiah 1-3

September Memory Verses: Jeremiah 2:12-13

Mark 11:17

And he was teaching them and saying to them, "Is it not written, 'My house shall be called a house of prayer for all the nations'? But you have made it a den of robbers."

BEFORE Sunday Night Prayer Meeting:

If you have not done so already, register from the www.apollobaptist.org home page by clicking the image for the Prayer Meeting. The registration will last until 9/5/21.
Register with your name and email address.
Click on the emailed Zoom link at the time of the Prayer Meeting.

Sunday Night Prayer Meeting:

- PRAYING for our church to become a house of prayer for all peoples.

Pray for Our Church Family Needs:

- PRAY for missions and missionaries

- PRAY for all our students: elementary, middle school, high school and college, as they return to school. No matter whether they return to the classroom, an on-line setting, or a home school setting our students are forming minds that need to focus on Christ.

- Family & friends of church members who need salvation or to renew their relationship with Jesus

- Families who are grieving the recent loss of loved ones
Don R. (wife, Brenda, and brother), Yvonne B. (husband, Pastor Jamal), Tom M. (mom), Nataleen W. (brother)

- Those struggling with on-going health and other issues:
Harry and Pam D. (Harry's health and Pam's ongoing care-giving needs), Debbie B. (good news from the doctors—no more treatment—another PET scan in four months), Kathy W. (digestion issues), Mary C. (serious cancer issues), Michelle L. (constant pain issues, waiting on results from an MRI), Debbie P. (broke her leg and is now in rehab), Twyla D. (had a stroke and now has a weakened right side), Kay H. (wisdom for family regarding her care), Linda C. (fell at the funeral of her nephew and broke her shoulder), Marcia H. (increasingly homebound), Ruthie C. (no more driving due to vision issues)

- Those struggling with family relational issues:
 - Marge D. (a son)

- Others that you are aware of