Crystallization-Study of Jeremiah and Lamentations - Week 3

Oct. 19-25, 2020

The Two Evils of God's People and God's Faithfulness in

Fulfilling His Economy

Monday 10/19

Jer. 2:13

See Wednesday

Exo. 17:6

6 I will be standing before you there upon the rock in Horeb; and you shall strike the rock, and water will come out of it so that the people may drink. And Moses did so in the sight of the elders of Israel.

John 7:37-39

37 Now on the last day, the great day of the feast, Jesus stood and cried out, saying, If anyone thirsts, let him come to Me and drink.

38 He who believes into Me, as the Scripture said, out of his innermost being shall flow rivers of living water.

39 But this He said concerning the Spirit, whom those who believed into Him were about to receive; for the Spirit was not yet, because Jesus had not yet been glorified.

John 19:34

34 But one of the soldiers pierced His side with a spear, and immediately there came out blood and water.

1 Cor. 10:3-4

3 And all ate the same spiritual food,

4 And all drank the same spiritual drink; for they drank of a spiritual rock which followed them, and the rock was Christ.

Phil 3:12-14

12 Not that I have already obtained or am already perfected, but I pursue, if even I may lay hold of that for which I also have been laid hold of by Christ Jesus.

13 Brothers, I do not account of myself to have laid hold; but one thing I do: Forgetting the things which are behind and stretching forward to the things which are before,

14 I pursue toward the goal for the prize to which God in Christ Jesus has called me upward.

Further Reading: *HWMR Jeremiah Training - Week* 3, *Day 1*

Corporate Reading of "The God of Abraham, Isaac and Jacob" Chapter 7 – Sections: Working And Enjoying; Three Specific Experiences A Christian Should Pursue (paragraphs 1-3)

Tuesday 10/20

Rev. 22:1, 17

1 And he showed me a river of water of life, bright as crystal, proceeding out of the throne of God and of the Lamb in the middle of its street.

17 And the Spirit and the bride say, Come! And let him who hears say, Come! And let him who is thirsty come; let him who wills take the water of life freely.

Rev. 21:6

6 And He said to me, They have come to pass. I am the Alpha and the Omega, the Beginning and the End. I will give to him who thirsts from the spring of the water of life freely.

Psa. 36:8-9

8 They are saturated with the fatness of Your house, And You cause them to drink of the river of Your pleasures.

9 For with You is the fountain of life; In Your light we see light.

Rev. 7:17

17 For the Lamb who is in the midst of the throne will shepherd them and guide them to springs of waters of life; and God will wipe away every tear from their eyes.

1 Cor. 12:13

13 For also in one Spirit we were all baptized into one body, whether Jews or Greeks, whether slaves or free, and were all given to drink one Spirit.

Isa. 12:3-4

3 Therefore you will draw water with rejoicing From the springs of salvation,

4 And you will say in that day, Give thanks to Jehovah; call upon His name! Make His deeds known among the peoples; Remind them that His name is exalted.

Further Reading: *HWMR Jeremiah Training - Week 3, Day 2*

Corporate Reading of "The God of Abraham, Isaac and Jacob" Chapter 7 – Sections: Three Specific Experiences A Christian Should Pursue (paragraphs 4-7)

Wednesday 10/21

John 4:13-14

13 Jesus answered and said to her, Everyone who drinks of this water shall thirst again,

14 But whoever drinks of the water that I will give him shall by no means thirst forever; but the water that I will give him will become in him a fountain of water gushing up into eternal life.

Jer. 2:11, 13

11 Has a nation ever exchanged its gods, Even though they are no gods? But My people have exchanged their glory For that which does not benefit them. **13** For My people have committed two evils: They have forsaken Me, The fountain of living waters, To hew out for themselves cisterns, Broken cisterns, Which hold no water.

Rom. 1:23

23 And changed the glory of the incorruptible God into the likeness of an image of corruptible man and of birds and four-footed animals and reptiles.

1 Cor. 10:7, 14

7 Neither become idolaters, as some of them did; as it is written, "The people sat down to eat and drink, and stood up to play."

14 Therefore, my beloved, flee from idolatry.

Isa. 55:1-2

1 Ho! Everyone who thirsts, come to the waters, And you who have no money; Come, buy and eat; Yes, come, buy wine and milk Without money and without price.

2 Why do you spend money for what is not bread, And the result of your labor for what does not satisfy? Hear Me attentively, and eat what is good, And let your soul delight itself in fatness.

John 6:27

27 Work not for the food which perishes, but for the food which abides unto eternal life, which the Son of Man will give you; for Him has the Father, even God, sealed.

Eccl. 2:11

11 Then I turned to all the works that my hands had done and the labor by which I had labored in doing them, and indeed, all was vanity and a chasing after wind; and there was no advantage under the sun.

Further Reading: *HWMR Jeremiah Training - Week* 3, *Day 3*

Corporate Reading of "The God of Abraham, Isaac and Jacob" Chapter 8 – Sections: Isaac In The New Testament—God's Provisions In Christ; The Inheritance God Has Prepared In Christ; Two Aspects of Grace (paragraphs 1-2)

Thursday 10/22

Isa. 55:7

7 Let the wicked forsake his way, And the evildoer, his thoughts; And let him return to Jehovah, and He will have compassion on him; And to our God, for He will pardon abundantly.

Ezek. 14:3, 5

3 Son of man, these men have set their hearts on their idols and have put the stumbling block of their iniquity before their faces. Should I be inquired of at all by them?

5 That I may lay hold of the house of Israel in their heart, who have become estranged from Me because of all their idols.

1 John 5:21

21 Little children, guard yourselves from idols.

2 Cor. 4:13

13 And having the same spirit of faith according to that which is written, "I believed, therefore I spoke," we also believe, therefore we also speak,

2 Cor. 6:16

16 And what agreement does the temple of God have with idols? For we are the temple of the living God, even as God said, "I will dwell among them and walk among them; and I will be their God, and they will be My people."

Psa. 116:12-13

12 What shall I return to Jehovah For all His benefits toward me?

13 I will take up the cup of salvation And call upon the name of Jehovah.

1 Cor.12:3b

3b and no one can say, Jesus is Lord! except in the Holy Spirit.

1 Thes. 1:9

9 For they themselves report concerning us what kind of entrance we had toward you and how you turned to God from the idols to serve a living and true God

Further Reading: *HWMR Jeremiah Training - Week 3, Day 4*

Corporate Reading of "The God of Abraham, Isaac and Jacob" Chapter 8 – Sections: Isaac In The New Testament—God's Provisions In Christ; The Inheritance God Has Prepared In Christ; Two Aspects of Grace (paragraphs 3-4)

Friday 10/23

Lam. 3:22-23 See Saturday

1 Cor. 1:9

9 God is faithful, through whom you were called into the fellowship of His Son, Jesus Christ our Lord.

Rev. 1:9

9 I John, your brother and fellow partaker in the tribulation and kingdom and endurance in Jesus, was on the island called Patmos because of the word of God and the testimony of Jesus.

Phil. 3:10

10 To know Him and the power of His resurrection and the fellowship of His sufferings, being conformed to His death,

1 Thes. 3:2-5

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2 And we sent Timothy, our brother and God's fellow worker in the gospel of Christ, to establish and encourage you for the sake of your faith,

3 That no one would be shaken by these afflictions; for you yourselves know that we are appointed for this.

4 For even when we were with you, we told you beforehand that we are to be afflicted, even as it also came to pass and you know.

5 Because of this, when I also could bear it no longer, I sent to find out concerning your faith, lest perhaps the tempter had tempted you and our labor would be in vain.

1 Thes. 5:16-18

16 Always rejoice,

17 Unceasingly pray,

18 In everything give thanks; for this is the will of God in Christ Jesus for you.

Further Reading: *HWMR Jeremiah Training - Week 3, Day 5*

Corporate Reading of "The God of Abraham, Isaac and Jacob" Chapter 8 – Sections: We in Christ

Saturday 10/24

Lam. 3:22-25

22 It is Jehovah's lovingkindness that we are not consumed, For His compassions do not fail;

23 They are new every morning; Great is Your faithfulness.

24 Jehovah is my portion, says my soul; Therefore I hope in Him.

25 Jehovah is good to those who wait on Him, To the soul that seeks Him.

Psa. 16:5

5 Jehovah is the portion of my inheritance and of my cup; You maintain my lot.

Psa. 73:25-26

25 Whom do I have in heaven but You? And besides You there is nothing I desire on earth.

26 My flesh and my heart fail, But God is the rock of my heart and my portion forever.

Jer. 23:5-6

5 Indeed, days are coming, Declares Jehovah, When I will raise up to David a righteous Shoot; And He will reign as King and act prudently And will execute justice and righteousness in the land.

6 In His days Judah will be saved, And Israel will dwell securely; And this is His name by which He will be called, Jehovah our righteousness.

2 Cor. 1:3-4

3 Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of compassions and God of all

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comfort;

4 Who comforts us in all our affliction that we may be able to comfort those who are in every affliction through the comforting with which we ourselves are comforted by God.

Rom. 15:5

5 Now the God of endurance and encouragement grant you to be of the same mind toward one another according to Christ Jesus,

Further Reading: *HWMR Jeremiah Training - Week* 3, *Day* 6

Hymns, #19

Lord's Day 10/25

John 4:10, 23-24, 28-29

10 Jesus answered and said to her, If you knew the gift of God and who it is who says to you, Give Me a drink, you would have asked Him, and He would have given you living water.

23 But an hour is coming, and it is now, when the true worshippers will worship the Father in spirit and truthfulness, for the Father also seeks such to worship Him.

24 God is Spirit, and those who worship Him must worship in spirit and truthfulness.

28 Then the woman left her waterpot and went away into the city, and said to the people,

29 Come, see a man who told me all that I have done. Is this not the Christ?

Eph. 3:9-10, 16-19

9 And to enlighten all that they may see what the economy of the mystery is, which throughout the ages has been hidden in God, who created all things,

10 In order that now to the rulers and the authorities in the heavenlies the multifarious wisdom of God might be made known through the church,

16 That He would grant you, according to the riches of His glory, to be strengthened with power through His Spirit into the inner man,

17 That Christ may make His home in your hearts through faith, that you, being rooted and grounded in love,

18 May be full of strength to apprehend with all the saints what the breadth and length and height and depth are

19 And to know the knowledge-surpassing love of Christ, that you may be filled unto all the fullness of God.

Further Reading

Life-Study Exodus, msg. 40 *Life-Study of Jeremiah,* msgs. 3, 4, 6