



TO THE Kettering



Speaker For The Day

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Sabbath 13th July 2019

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Bible Discussion 10:00 A.M.

During the 3rd Quarter 2019

'The Least Of These'

Lesson Two

"Blueprint For A Better World"

Discussion Leader:

Sven Ohman

Children's Sabbath School

Beginners Leader: Regina McDougall

New Start Health 11:15 A.M.

Speaker: Karen Holford

Call to Worship Source: 47

*"Be still for the presence of the Lord, the Holy One is here.
Come, bow before Him now, with reverence and fear.
In Him no sin is found, we stand on holy ground.
Be still, for the presence of the Lord, the Holy One is here."*

Introit: "Be Still For The Presence Of The Lord"
Invocation: Karen Holford
Welcome: Pastor Andrew Rashford-Hewitt
Announcements: Elder
Theme Song: 526 "Because He Lives"
Scripture: Philippians 4:4-9 (MSG) *See next page*
Special Music: Andrea Rashford-Hewitt
Prayer: Pastor Andrew Rashford-Hewitt
Gifts of Love: Offering
Children's Time: Karen Holford
Special Music: Andrea Rashford-Hewitt
Presentation: Positive Thoughts in a Changing World
Hymn 12 "Joyful, Joyful We Adore Thee"
Closing Prayer: Karen Holford

Blueprint For A Better World



*No matter who you are or where you've been,
you're welcome here.*

Wherever you are in life, you have a purpose.

*At this church, we want to help you become the
person God created you to be.*

Next Sabbath

Adult Bible Study: Daniel Muhwati

Children's Sabbath School: Regina McDougall

Speaker: Pr Rashford-Hewitt

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New Start Health

We want to welcome everyone to the start of a three week Health Emphasis programme. We welcome those who are attending from the Reversing Diabetes programme that was recently held at the church.

Welcome also to those who are here for the first time and we welcome our regular members too.

The programme today and for the next few Saturday mornings and Tuesday evenings will be focusing on various ways of improving our health.

Announcements will be given so that everyone knows what is happening and where. Please keep your ears open. Thanks.

Dates and times are as follows:

Saturday - July 13th at the church 11:15 am

Tuesday - July 17th at the church 19:30 pm

Saturday - July 20th at the church 11:15 am

Tuesday - July 23rd at the church 19:30 pm

Saturday - July 27th at the church 11:15 am

Food Tasting

Please join us in the hall upstairs after the programme and come and sample some healthy food options. All are very welcome.

Bible Reading

Philippians 4:4-9 The Message Bible (MSG)

4-5 “Celebrate God all day, every day. I mean, *revel* in him! Make it as clear as you can to all you meet that you’re on their side, working with them and not against them. Help them see that the Master is about to arrive. He could show up any minute!

6-7 Don’t fret or worry. Instead of worrying, pray. Let petitions and praises shape your worries into prayers, letting God know your concerns. Before you know it, a sense of God’s wholeness, everything coming together for good, will come and settle you down. It’s wonderful what happens when Christ displaces worry at the centre of your life.

8-9 Summing it all up, friends, I’d say you’ll do best by filling your minds and meditating on things true, noble, reputable, authentic, compelling, gracious—the best, not the worst; the beautiful, not the ugly; things to praise, not things to curse. Put into practice what you learned from me, what you heard and saw and realized. Do that, and God, who makes everything work together, will work you into His most excellent harmonies”.

Kettering Prayer Meeting

Last Wednesday of the month at the church 19:30

Telling God to Get Out

If you would like the URL link for the inserted article in this Bulletin, please find it below.

<http://www.inspire21.com/stories/christianstories/tellinggodtogetout>

Morris Vendon’s Daily Devotional

If you have a copy of Morris Vendon’s daily Devotional (Faith that Works) published in 1980. Please see Glenys Brown, who is willing to pay for it. Thank you.

Conflict of the Ages - For Sale

There is a set of “Conflict of the Ages” written by E. G. White for sale. If anyone is interested please see Sven and he will give you contact details for further information.

Thought For the Day

“You have not fulfilled every duty, unless you have fulfilled that of being pleasant”

Charles Buxton

Pr Roy Hulbert

Pr Roy Hulbert is at home and would truly appreciate a phone call or a visit.

July Speakers

6th July Sarah Hayes

13th July Karen Holford

20th July Pastor Andrew Rashford-Hewitt

27th July Pastor Andrew Rashford-Hewitt

3rd August Robert McKenzie

Telling God To Get Out

Billy Graham's daughter, Anne, was being interviewed on the Early Show by Jane Clayson, regarding 9/11/2001. She was asked, "How could God let something like this happen?" Ms. Graham gave an extremely profound and insightful response. She said, "I believe that God is deeply saddened by this, just as we are. But, for years we've been telling God to get out of our schools, to get out of our government and to get out of our lives. And being the gentleman that He is, I believe that He has calmly backed out. How can we expect God to give us His blessing and His protection if we demand that He leave us alone?"

This form of rejection seemed to begin when Madeline Murray O'Hare complained she did not want any more prayers in our schools. And we said, "OK." (Side note: Madeline was murdered, and her corpse was found)

Then, someone said, "you better not read the Bible in school"... the Bible that says thou shalt not kill; thou shalt not steal, and love your neighbour as yourself. And we said, "OK."

Then, Dr. Benjamin Spock said, "we shouldn't spank our children when they misbehave, because their little personalities would be warped and we might damage their self-esteem." And we said, "an expert should know what he's talking about," so we said "OK."

Then, someone said, "teachers and principals better not discipline our children when they misbehave. And the school administrators said no faculty member in this school better touch a student when they misbehave, because we don't want any bad publicity, and we surely don't want to be sued." And we said, "OK." (Side note: There's huge difference between disciplining and touching, beating, smacking, humiliating, kicking, etc.)

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Then someone said, "let's let our daughters have abortions if they want, and they won't even have to tell their parents." And we said, "OK."

Then some wise school board member said, "since boys will be boys and they're going to do it anyway, let's give our sons all the condoms they want, so they can have all the fun they desire, and we won't have to tell their parents they got them at school." And we said, "OK."

Then some of our top elected officials said, "it doesn't matter what we do in private, as long as we do our jobs." And agreeing with them, we said, "it doesn't matter to us what anyone, including the President, does in private as long as we have a job and the economy is good."

And then someone said, "let's print magazines with pictures of nude women and call it wholesome, down-to-earth appreciation for the beauty of the female body." And we said, "OK."

And then someone else took that appreciation a step further and published pictures of nude children, and then stepped further still by making them available on the Internet. And we said, "OK... they're entitled to their free speech."

And then the entertainment industry said, "let's make TV shows and movies that promote profanity, violence, and illicit sex. And let's record music that encourages rape, drugs, murder, suicide, and satanic themes." And we said, "it's just entertainment, it has no adverse effect, and nobody takes it seriously anyway," so we said, "OK."

Now we're asking ourselves why our children have no conscience, why they don't know right from wrong, and why it doesn't bother them to kill strangers, their classmates, and themselves. More than likely, if we think long and hard enough about it, we can figure it out. I think it has a great deal to do with... "WE REAP WHAT WE SOW."

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"Dear God, Why didn't you save the little girl killed in her classroom?" Sincerely, Concerned Student.

"Dear Concerned Student, I am not allowed in schools." Sincerely, God.

Funny...?

Funny how simple it is for people to trash God and then wonder why the world's going to hell. Funny how we believe what the newspapers say, but question what the Bible says.

Funny how everyone wants to go to heaven, provided they do not have to believe, think, say, or do anything the Bible says.

Funny how someone can say "I believe in God," but still follow Satan who, by the way, also "believes" in God.

Funny how we are quick to judge, but not to be judged.

Funny how you can send a thousand jokes' through e-mail and they spread like wildfire, but when you start sending messages regarding the Lord, people think twice about sharing.

Funny how the lewd, crude, vulgar and obscene pass freely through cyberspace, but the public discussion of God is suppressed in the school and workplace.

Funny how someone can be so fired up for Christ in church, but be an invisible Christian the rest of the week. Are you laughing?

Funny how, when you go to email a message like this, you will not send it to many on your address list, because you're not sure what they believe, or what they will think of you for sending it to them. Funny how I can be more worried about what other people think of me than what God thinks of me.

Are YOU thinking?