



MISSION CITY

BIBLE CHURCH

Date: Sunday, July 16, 2023

Title: Esther: Celebrating God's Providence

Series: Esther

Passage: Esther 9:20-10:4

1. Celebrate the _____ of God (9:20-22)

Providence: God's care and provision in the everyday events of life to bring about his purposes

You have turned for me my mourning into dancing;
you have loosed my sackcloth
and clothed me with gladness,
that my glory may sing your praise and not be silent.
O LORD my God, I will give thanks to you forever! (Psalm 30:11-12)

The steadfast love of the LORD never ceases;
his mercies never come to an end;
they are new every morning;
great is your faithfulness. (Lamentations 3:22-23)

2. Celebrate _____ God has done (9:23-28)

3. Celebrate _____ God is (9:29-32)

_____ : The power or right to give orders or make decisions.

All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me (Matt 28:18)

_____ : A state of tranquility or wholeness; shalom.

For God is not a God of confusion but of peace (1 Cor 14:33)

For in him all the fullness of God was pleased to dwell, and through him to reconcile to himself all things, whether on earth or in heaven, making peace by the blood of his cross. (Col 1:19-20)

_____ : That which is reliable or factual

I am the way, and the truth, and the life. No one comes to the Father except through me. (John 14:6)

4. Celebrate what God has _____ (10:1-3)

Five things God does not promise:

1. A _____ life
2. A _____ life
3. A _____ life
4. A _____ life
5. An _____ life

Pastor Kevin's Top 5 – God's Promises:

1. _____ in my weakness (Is 40:29:31)
2. _____ for my needs (Phil 4:19)
3. _____ for my sorrow (Ps 30:11-12)
4. _____ for my problems (Phil 4:6-7)
5. _____ – no matter what (1 Chron 16:34)