

## Bible Study via Live Stream March 2, 2021 Elder Clintonio Chapman

Church Theme for 2021: "Our Year to Conquer Through Christ" Subject - "Pay Attention, The Kingdom Is at Hand!"

## Scripture References:

- 1. St. Luke 17:20-21
- 2. St. Matthew 24:36
- 3. St. Luke 19:9-10
- 4. II Corinthians 5:20
- 5. St. Matthew 25:1-13
- 6. St. Matthew 11:28-29
- 7. St. Luke 18
- 8. I Peter 3:15

## Notes:

- Distractions are all around us!!! However, you must make God your central focus point!
- You must study, fast, and pray!
- Noah was God's Kingdom representative. He began to prophesy and tell the people that God was about to destroy the land by the way of a flood. However, people did not listen to Noah. The same will happen when Jesus returns.
- We must be watchful because we don't know the day, time nor the hour when Jesus shall return.
- God established His Kingdom when His son was born, bled, suffered, and died!
- Satan's job is to make us blind, distracted, and unconcerned about God's will for our lives is because he does not want us to be great ambassadors for Christ.
- Salvation has come to your house! Salvation not only means being rescued from eternal damnation, but salvation comes from the word soteria, which means deliverance, preservation, soundness, prosperity and happiness. Salvation is the total package!
- When you are saved and you are sent an incomplete package, don't fret because you already have the total package...Jesus/God/Holy Spirit! You must learn to adapt, overcome, and improvise.
- God has given us all the title of "ambassadors," which means we are accredited diplomats, sent by a country as it's official representative. Thus, we are sent by God to do His will.
- God expects us to carry out His oil and await His return.
- So many Christians are down and out because they don't have God's oil.
- When you don't carry God's oil, it is like playing a basketball game without a ball, a soldier going into battle without weapons, or going shopping without an appropriate form of payment (cash, credit card, etc.).
  - The oil of God gives you access to the things that God has planned for your life.
  - All you have to do to receive God's oil is to say, "Yes!"
  - God's oil contains all that we need to win/be victorious.
- God relies on us to help strengthen and expand the Kingdom of God here on land.
- God gives us all of the tools that we need to be successful, which is the Word of God.

- God affords all of His children the opportunity to learn about Him.
- Some Christians are not able to rest in God because they do not know Him.
  - Every believer must read, study, and learn who God is. In addition, you must learn the occupation that God has assigned you to.
- Are you finding rest in the Lord? Are you studying God's Word?
  - You need to learn God's Word to have rest.
  - You must take the responsibility to learn God and apply God's principles to your life. Then, God's Kingdom here on Earth will be strong, vibrant, and effective.
  - Don't let your eyes be blinded to what is going on around you because the Kingdom of God is all around you! The Kingdom of God is at hand!!!
  - Don't miss the Kingdom of God! Pay attention!!!
  - Be ready to answer people's questions when they ask you about the hope that lives within you.
  - Knowledge is power! It brings change in the way you think and behave. Knowledge will cause a major shift to take place in your belief system. Knowledge coupled with a relationship and experience with God will put the believer in a powerful position. This shift will cause people around you to see the Father that is in you and glorify Him.
- It is our job to make sure that we do not miss the Kingdom of God. The Kingdom is right here!
- Pray for those who curse you, misuse, and abuse you!
- Tell the world about Jesus!!!

## Prayer of Salvation:

- Salvation is not to make you perfect, but it is to make you better and to know that your sins have been paid for! If
  you are not saved today or need to rededicate to Christ, please stop and say this prayer unto God...Father, I have
  sinned. I thank you for Jesus who died on the cross for my sins. Come into my heart and save me. I receive you
  and because I ask and I believe, I am saved forever!!! Amen!!! Hallelujah!!!
  - If you said this prayer of salvation or rededication, please email Bishop Muse at <u>bishopmuse@gmail.com</u> or text me at 313131.