



Sunday, November 22nd, 2020

Sermon Series: "The Spirit of Faith"

TWCC Sermon Connection Outline: "Faith as a SUPPLICATOR"

2 Corinthians 4:13 (KJV) - "We having the same spirit of faith, according as it is written, I believed, and therefore have I spoken; we also believe, and therefore speak."

- **Read 2 Corinthians 4:13 - 18 (NLT)**

- As we shared in the previous weeks, the Spirit of Faith will function and deploy as a: **(1)** _____, **(2)** as a _____, **(3)** as a _____, **(4)** as a _____, **(5)** as a _____, **(6)** as a _____. Today we want to emphasize the point of Faith as a _____.

SUPPLICATIONS IN FAITH FOR OUR SPECIFIC SITUATIONS

Job 8:5 - 7 (NKJV) - ⁵"If you would earnestly seek God and make your supplication to the Almighty, ⁶If you were pure and upright, surely now He would awake for you, and prosper your rightful dwelling place.

⁷Though your beginning was small, yet your latter end would increase abundantly."

- When there is a _____; when there is great _____; when supplies and resources are _____ and _____; when you are faced with negative _____ - _____ are needed.
- **Psalms 8:9 (NKJV)** - "The Lord has heard my supplication; The Lord will receive my prayer."
- **Psalms 28:6 (NKJV)** - "Blessed by the Lord, because He has heard the voice of my supplications!"
- **Psalms 30:8 (NKJV)** - "I cried out to You, O Lord; and to the Lord I made supplication."
- **Psalms 55:1 (NKJV)** - "Give ear to my prayer, O God, and do not hide Yourself from my supplication."
- Friends, Saints of God, do you see a picture here? David was a man after God's own heart, and it is said he PRAYED three time per day. Part of his prayers included making sincere _____ to God.
- **Philippians 4:6 (NKJV)** - "Be anxious for nothing, but in everything by prayer and supplication, with thanksgiving, let your requests be made known to God."
- This is a big _____ with or _____ as a _____: **(1st)** We have to give our _____ and _____ to God - how? By Faith. Remember, we keep our worries and anxieties by Fear! **(2nd)** We have to _____ God in faith and confident trust, for what we need and want and _____ Him for it!
- **WE ARE NOT TO WORRY AND FRET OVER OUR SITUATIONS, WE ARE TO GIVE THE CARE OF IT TO THE LORD; CAST OUR CARES TO THE LORD AND THEN ASK HIM IN FAITH BELIEVING FOR WHAT WE NEED OR WANT.**
- **1 John 5:14 - 15 (NKJV)** - ¹⁴"Now this is the confidence that we have in Him, that if we ask anything according to His will, He hears us. ¹⁵And if we know that He hears us, whatever we ask, we know that we have the petitions that we have asked of Him."
- Confident supplicating and praying in faith requires knowing God's _____ and _____ for your life.

SUPPLICATING FOR OTHERS IN FAITH

- **Ephesians 6:18 - 20 (NKJV)** - ¹⁸"Praying always with all prayer and supplication in the Spirit, being watchful to this end with all perseverance and supplication for all the saints- ¹⁹and for me, that

utterance may be given to me, **that I may open my mouth boldly to make known the mystery of the gospel,** ²⁰ for which I am an ambassador in chains; **that in it I may speak boldly, as I ought to speak.**"

- You are to _____ for the speaker (minister) as well as the _____. For the speakers, the vessels of ministry we are instructed to SUPPLICATE for _____.
 - **1 Timothy 2:1 - 4 (NKJV)** - "Therefore I exhort first of all that **supplications, prayers, intercessions, and giving of thanks** be made for all men, ² for kings and all who are in authority, that we may lead a quiet and peaceable life in all godliness and reverence. ³ For this is good and acceptable in the sight of God our Savior, ⁴ who desires all men to be saved and to come to the knowledge of the truth."
 - Our prayer life personally and corporately as a family/Church family should comprise of these four basic components: **(1)** _____ **(2) PRAYERS** = worship **(3)** _____ and **(4) GIVING OF THANKS** = a word of thanks for and about them. Opening your heart before God to give honor and value to the Lord and them motivated by your love for God and compassion and care for other people.
 - These four basic components of prayer describe and outline the:
 - (1) _____ and **PROGRESSION** and **PROTOCOLS** of Prayer
 - (2) The _____ of Prayer (meaning that they are not just prayed "once" but are to be prayed "on-going", continuously, consistently, and persistently).
 - (3) The _____ who we are to Pray for. ("**for all men**" - for others). In other words, these are "People-Centric, Others-Centered" Prayers. Prayers for other people. Putting _____ as a priority in our praying.
- **Supplications** = "specific and exact" (1) **a petition** = (an earnest request; a formal written request - e.g. boldly praying the Word, boldly and confidently declaring and decree the Word of God over others, and reminding God of His Promises, His Word on behalf of someone else) (2) **an entreaty** (e.g. a plea; an appeal; a cry for) (3) **a humble request**
- The Holy Spirit _____ us to _____ and submit our _____ to God properly. Because He (the Holy Spirit) is an expert in: **(1) Knowledge**, **(2) Procedure / Protocol** and **(3) Persuasive Speaking Ability**.
 - **The Holy Spirit doesn't pray _____ us. The Holy Spirit comes along side of you and helps you to pray: Romans 8:26 - 27 (AMPC)** - "²⁶ So too the [Holy] Spirit comes to our aid and bears us up in our weakness; for we do not know what prayer to offer nor how to offer it worthily as we ought, but the Spirit Himself goes to meet our **supplication** and **pleads in our behalf** with unspeakable yearnings and groanings too deep for utterance. ²⁷ And He Who searches the hearts of men knows what is in the mind of the [Holy] Spirit [what His intent is], because **the Spirit intercedes and pleads [before God]** in behalf of the saints according to and in harmony with God's will."
 - Praying in the Holy Spirit (in Tongues) helps to: **(1)** _____ up; **(2)** _____ and **(3)** _____ our _____ to _____: **Jude 20 (NKJV)** - "But you, beloved, building yourselves up on your most holy faith, praying in the Holy Spirit."
 - Faith as a _____ is - Faith-filled in Praying and is _____ to pray!