

Title: "Jesus Identifies Himself in The Law, The Prophets and The Psalms"

Scriptures: Luke 24:44, Psalm 72:17-19; Psalm 16:8-11

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Summary:

In this sermon, Pastor Dr. Geeter emphasized that Jesus Christ is revealed throughout all of Scripture, not only in the New Testament but also in the Law, the Prophets, and the Psalms. Using Luke 24:44, the message showed that Jesus Himself taught that everything written about Him in the Old Testament must be fulfilled. The sermon highlighted how the Psalms, particularly those written by David, prophetically point to Christ's resurrection, His role as Savior, and the eternal hope found in Him.

This message reinforced the unity of Scripture and reminded the church that God's plan of redemption has always centered on Jesus Christ, revealing Him as the fulfillment of God's promises rather than a later addition to the biblical narrative.

3 Key Points:

1. David's Psalm finds its ultimate fulfillment in Jesus; His body did not decay

Pastor Dr. Geeter explained that Psalm 16 extends beyond David's own life and ultimately points to Jesus Christ. While David died and his body experienced decay, Jesus did not. When David wrote that God would not allow His "Holy One" to see corruption, the sermon explained that this prophecy was fulfilled through Christ's resurrection.

The message also clarified the meaning of "Hell" in this passage as Sheol, referring to the grave rather than eternal punishment. This truth affirms that Jesus truly died yet was not defeated by sin, death or the grave, confirming Him as the promised Messiah spoken of in the Psalms.

2. In His lips: The promise of eternal life, the gift, and the price

The sermon emphasized that Jesus came proclaiming the promise of eternal life and calling people to repentance and faith. Pastor Dr. Geeter explained that salvation is a free gift, offered to all who believe, yet it requires a genuine response of repentance that leads to a changed life.

While eternal life costs nothing to receive, the sermon reminded the church that it came at a great cost - the sacrifice of Christ's blood. This point served as a call to live with gratitude, humility, and obedience in response to what Jesus has done.

3. The future existence of all Christians' body, soul, and spirit

The final point focused on the future hope of those who are in Christ. Pastor Dr. Geeter explained that humans are created with a body, soul, and spirit. When a person in Christ dies, the body returns to the earth, while the soul and spirit ascends and are present with the Lord. In the future, God will raise the body at the Rapture and reunite it with the soul and spirit in a glorified form and those alive on earth will be changed and caught up.

This teaching offers comfort and assurance, reminding the church that death is not the end. Because Jesus rose from the dead, the promise of resurrection and eternal life remains secure.

Conclusion Overview:

This sermon emphasized that Jesus Christ fulfills 100% the Law, the Prophets, and the Psalms, revealing God's redemptive plan from the beginning of Scripture. Through passages such as Luke 24:44, Psalm 16, and Psalm 72, Pastor Dr. Geeter demonstrated that Christ's resurrection, message of salvation, and eternal reign were foretold long before His earthly birth.

The message reinforced the hope found in Jesus Christ. Because He conquered sin, death and the grave He fulfilled Scripture, the church is called to live with faith, confidence, and gratitude, trusting in God's promises for both this life and eternity.