

July 25, 2021 Declare the Gospel



Deaf Ministry, Est 1992

Deaf Bible Class, Est 6 Oct 2002

Sundays 830AM, Revels 103

Class Leader: Rick Allen

Class Secretary: Cindy Allen

Care Group Leaders: Rick & Cindy Allen

Deaf Church, Est 27 Apr 2014

Sundays 930AM, Revels 103

Pastor: Paul Chappell



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Sundays 5PM Pastor Chappell

Wednesdays 7PM Deaf Devotion Online

Vitals Signs Deaf Class 7.25.21 830am

Simple Life . . . Wisdom and Courage

Ecclesiastes 6:1-2 There is an evil which I have seen under the sun, and it is common among men:

² A man to whom God hath given riches, wealth, and honour, so that he wanteth nothing for his soul of all that he desireth, yet God giveth him not power to eat thereof, but a stranger eateth it: this is vanity, and it is an evil disease.

1. I've had success . . . but I'm overwhelmed and stressed out . . . I can't enjoy my (successful) life.

A. Enjoy gifts but not enjoying the Giver (God) = idolatry, entertainment . . . never satisfies.

B. Enjoy God and His gifts → true joy and satisfaction.

2. I want more . . . it's never enough.

Ecclesiastes 6:7 All the labour of man is for his mouth, and yet the appetite is not filled.

⁸ For what hath the wise more than the fool? what hath the poor, that knoweth to walk before the living?

⁹ Better is the sight of the eyes than the wandering of the desire: this is also vanity and vexation of spirit.

A. We can eat and not be satisfied. Why?

B. We can be wise and no better off than a fool. Why?

C. We can be poor and no better off than others. Why?

?we . . . ?

A. Follow Wise Values . . . or wishes and wants?

B. This is enough . . . or more is better?

I believe God knows best and wants the best for me . . . so I will seek and follow His will for my life.

Ecclesiastes 6:11 Seeing there be many things that increase vanity, what is man the better?

¹² For who knoweth what is good for man in this life, all the days of his vain life which he spendeth as a shadow? for who can tell a man what shall be after him under the sun?

- A. Who knows best for a man? God.
- B. Who knows the future of a man, or after him? God.
- C. Which blocks should I choose? Ask God.
- D. Which blocks should I reject? Ask God.
- E. Which blocks should I remove? Ask God.

Ask the LORD for wisdom and clarity to know His will . . . ask Him for the courage to do that.
Ask the LORD for the wisdom and courage to know and choose His will.

Lancaster Baptist Deaf Church 7.25.21 930am

"Because I'm Saved" . . . I'm forgiven

1 John 2:12 I write unto you, little children, because your sins are forgiven you for his name's sake.

1. As a child of God, all my sins are forgiven!

I write unto you, little children, because your sins are forgiven you for his name's sake.

2. God forgave my sin because His grace, His Son, His blood!

Ephesians 1:7 In whom we have redemption through his blood, the forgiveness of sins, according to the riches of his grace;

3. God commands me to forgive because His forgiveness.

Ephesians 4:32 And be ye kind one to another, tenderhearted, **forgiving one another**, even as God for Christ's sake hath forgiven you.