



"The entrance of Thy words giveth light..." (Ps 119:130a)

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**Being Enriched
in All Things
in 2019**

2 Cor 9:11
"...Being enriched in every thing to all bountifulness..."

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LIGHTHOUSE BBC RECOGNIZES AND HONORS FATHERS IN SERVICES TODAY

"And he shall go before him in the spirit and power of Elias, to turn the hearts of the fathers to the children...to make ready a people prepared for the Lord" (Lu 1:17).

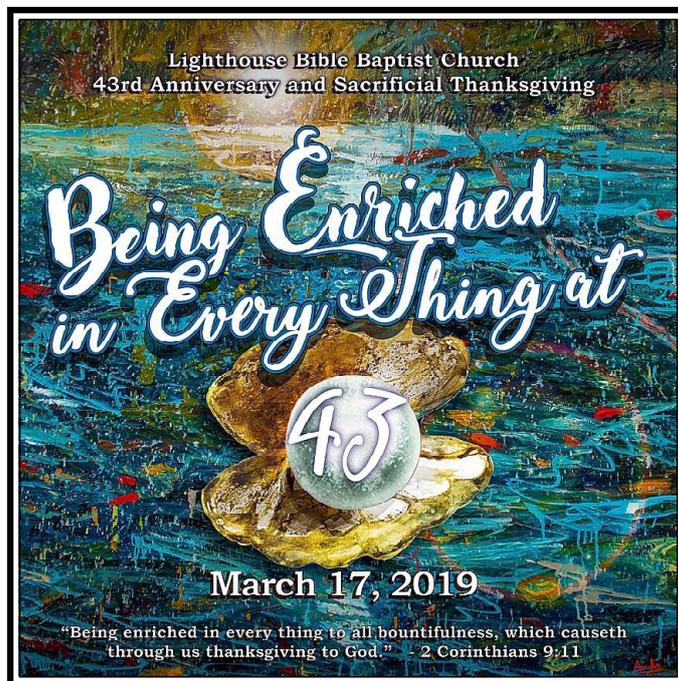
"Behold, I will send you Elijah the prophet...and he shall turn the heart of the fathers to the children, and the heart of the children to their fathers..." (Mal 4:5-6).

The coming of John the Baptist as one who prepared the way of the Lord, is one that is closely identified with Elijah the prophet. No less than three references in the New Testament do we find that he was perceived to be Elijah who came back. But, of course, he was John the Baptist.

The one beautiful description of his ministry was this, that he has turned the hearts of the fathers to the children.

In one sense, this means he shall convert one and all, fathers and children, young and old, unto the Lord. And indeed, when John the Baptist came and prepared the way for the coming of the Lord Jesus, he paved the way for the hearts of fathers and children to be right before God. In fact, it was John the Baptist who first mentioned about the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit (John 3:34-35).

This is also the heart of our ministry as a Lighthouse Bible Baptist Church. We pray that God would make us effective in bringing the hearts of the fathers to the children and the children to the fathers. Thus we have special Sundays for fathers as we have today. Happy Fathers Sunday!



The Lighthouse Ditric 4 sings the song, I'm Not Alone, as their finale number after illustrating the enrichment of God's people even through tough times.

Second Quarter Focus :

Being Enriched by Him in All Gifts According to His Grace

"...ye come behind in no gift...." (1 Cor 1:7).

"Unto Him be glory in the church by Christ Jesus throughout all ages, world without end. Amen" (Eph. 3:21)

TITLE : PAUL'S WITNESS OF TIMOTHY, OF CHRIST
AND OF HIMSELF
TEXT : 1 TIM 1:1-18

INTRODUCTION

Timothy (meaning, "honor to God") was the son of a Greek father and a devout Jewish mother (Ac 16:1). His mother and grandmother had instructed him in the Scriptures in childhood. Apparently, they had come to believe in Christ during Paul's ministry in Lystra during his first missionary journey (2 Tim 1:5; 3:15). On Paul's second trip to Lystra, he was so impressed with young Timothy and his Christian character that Paul urged him to be with him on the rest of his journey. From then on, Timothy worked closely with Paul.

A) The well-beloved son of Paul (vs1-2).

Paul addressed this letter to Timothy and describes him as "my dearly beloved son" (2 Tim 1:2; 2:1). He had left Timothy in Ephesus (1:3; 3:15).

B) The warning by Paul (vs3-11).

Paul urges Timothy to remain in Ephesus so that he might counteract some false teachings in regard to the law of Moses.

Paul had forewarned, when he left Ephesus, seven years before, that grievous wolves would ravage the Ephesian flock (Acts 20-29-30). Now, they had appeared in full force, and constituted Timothy's main problem. They appear to have been the same brand of those in Crete with whom Titus had to deal, basing strange teachings on apocryphal Jewish legend connected with Old Testament genealogies.

- 1) The perverting of the law of Moses (vs1-7)
 - a) The perverters (v3a). They are self-appointed "experts" of the law, going about spreading their poison.

- b) The perversion (v3b-7). These men have added a grievous mixture of myths, fables, and endless genealogies to the law.
- 2) The purpose of the law of Moses (v8-11)
 - a) It was not made to control saved people (v8a).
 - b) It was made to control unsaved people (vs8b-11).

C) The witness by Paul (vs12-17).

Here, the Apostle Paul expresses his profound thanksgiving for God's faithfulness.

- 1) What God did (vs12,14-15).
 - a) He saved Paul (vs14-15).
 - b) He selected Paul (v12).
- 2) When God did it (v13).

At the time, the apostle was a blasphemer and violent persecutor of Christians.
- 3) Why God did it (vs16-17).

He did it to demonstrate His amazing grace to even the worst of sinners.

Paul was the one man who had done more for Christ, possibly, than all others combined, yet bowed to the depths with feelings of unworthiness. The closer the walk with Christ, the deeper the sense of humility. He regarded his conversion as intended of God to be an everlasting example of God's longsuffering to wayward men. (H Halley).

D) The wisdom by Paul (vs18-20)

- 1) What Timothy is to do (vs18-19b).
 - a) Fight the good fight (v18).
 - b) Keep the faith (v19a).
 - c) Maintain a clear conscience (v19b).
- 2) What Hymenaeus and Alexander have done (vs19c-20).
 - 1) Their perversion (v19c).

They have made a shipwreck of their faith, bringing shame to the name of Christ.
 - 2) Their punishment (v20)

Paul delivered them over to Satan (withdrawn from church relationship).



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The father and son rendition of the song My Heavenly Father Watches Over Me is here done by Brother Robert Manaois and son, RJ on violin. Today, being Fathers Sunday, we will recognize and honor fathers and extend to them our photo studio. Do not fail to line up immediately after the services today to have your photos taken. Our Fathers Sunday photo studio will be open for three (3) Sundays.



Here are some scenes from the presentation of the Lighthouse District 4 last Sunday in which they illustrated that even through challenging times of families, given the right heart and mind in the Word, the enrichment that comes by the grace of God still comes to the believers.

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