

BEYOND SUNDAY

A SERMON APPLICATION GUIDE

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This guide is designed to offer a simple tool for those wanting to take the next step with Sunday's message. You can print this guide to study on your own, or use it in a group and experience transformation together.

MESSAGE THEME & PRAYER FOCUS

THE MOST IMPORTANT THING

PRAYER:

"God, your faithfulness is unmatched and your grace is abundant. The more I read your word, the more I see your great power and love for your people. I am so thankful for those who have gone before me and written down the stories so I can learn from them. Father your love and power are the same now as they were then, and they are forever. Thank you, Amen."

KEY TRUTHS

As believers, although we live here on earth, our citizenship is heaven. Therefore, we have to set our minds on things above.

Where is our affection?

What are we giving our attention to?

When we gave our lives to Christ, our lives became hidden with His and we became ambassadors for the kingdom. We are called to live a life of bringing the Kingdom to earth.

The most important thing about us is what we believe about God. The second most important thing is how we host the presence of God and bring the Kingdom. Moses, being raised in a powerful family, gave up his authority to suffer with the people rather than suffer the passing

pleasures of sin. He knew that Christ's riches were better than anything the world had to offer. He was looking past this life to his heavenly reward.

Eternity is going to be here, on earth, not distant in another galaxy or up in the heavens. When we believe the gospel, the exact same power shows up that was there at the beginning when Jesus was healing the sick and performing signs and wonders. God's power hasn't aged over the years or weakened over time.

The battles we face are not against flesh and blood. Above our nationality, political views, gender, or any other worldly view, what's more important about us is that we are in Christ. When it comes to our salvation, what God did for one person he did for all. We all got the same promise of eternal life when we received Christ as our Lord and Savior. The kingdom of God is here. As believers, we have to use the power that God has given us. We have to enforce the kingdom by being strong in the Lord and the power of HIS might because the devil comes to steal, kill, and destroy. Praise God for defeating the devil and giving us the authority to stand up against the enemy.

PRACTICAL APPLICATION

Wherever Jesus is king, that is where the kingdom is. You have the opportunity to let Jesus be king in each and every area of your life. You have the opportunity to declare the testimony of what God has done into your family, job, finances, and more.

"For I am not ashamed of the gospel of Christ: for it is the power of God unto salvation to every one that believes; to the Jew first, and also to the Greek." Romans 1:16

VERSES

- Psalms 84:4-7
- Philippians 3:20
- Colossians 3:1-3
- Hebrews 11:24-26, 11:14-16, 11:9
- Romans 12:2, 1:16
- Revelation 20:1-6, 21:1-6
- Ephesians 2:7, 6:10, 3:10, 6:12
- 2 Corinthians 4:4, 5:17
- Jude 1:3
- John 10:10, 14:6

DECLARATIONS

“God’s faithfulness in the stories I read in the Bible are still just as powerful today. God keeps his promises and he is constant. When I don’t understand, I can look at what the Lord has promised and know that he is in control. Wherever Jesus is, the kingdom is there. I know that part of being a follower of Christ is bringing the kingdom to earth and I am dedicated to that mission. God use me where I am.”

WHAT’S NEXT?

Now it’s time to write down anything the Lord has spoken to you. Praise Him, Thank Him and ask the Holy Spirit to help you walk this out.



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