



NEW TESTAMENT POSTCARDS

The Ungodly Path That Leads to Perdition

Jude verses 14-16 • Message #15

1. Introduction:

2. The certain perdition for the _____ path

a. The Lord will come to execute judgment.

b. The Lord's judgment will condemn the ungodly.

3. The ungodly path that leads to _____:

a. The ungodly path is marked by ungodly _____.

b. The ungodly path is marked by _____ words.

4. The proper response toward the path to perdition

a. We must _____ so we don't drift into ungodliness.

b. We must _____ those heading toward perdition.

c. We must praise God continually for His _____.

5. Conclusion:

Coming Up

August 9 – Jude vs. 17-23, Fred Froman

August 16 – Jude vs. 24-25, Anthony Lange

Just a Moment

with Pastor Fred

He hit me between the eyes. Paul David Tripp did it again. In his book, *New Morning Mercies – a Daily Gospel Devotional*, he writes, “Every day of your life you will find reasons to complain and every day of your life you will have reasons to be thankful ... What is your default language? Do you find it easier to complain than to give thanks? ... Are you easily irritated and quickly impatient? Do mundane things get under your skin?” Ouch. Too close to home. He continues, “If you have placed yourself in the center of your world ... if it really is all about you, then you will live with an entitled, ‘I deserve _____’ attitude, and because you do you will have a constant reason to complain ... you will be all too conscious of how you feel, so you will grumble your way through life.”

Paul concludes, “This is where corporate worship helps profoundly. The regular gathering of God’s people for worship serves to shift your meditation from complaint to gratitude reminding you of who you really are and confronting you with the beautiful and faithful mercy of God towards you. As the gospel puts you in your place, it also puts praise in your mouth, and that is a very good thing.”

My mother-in-law gave me a beautiful reminder of living a life of contentment by a British clergyman some 130 years ago. Rules for contentment: 1. Allow yourself to complain of nothing, not even the weather. 2. Do not imagine yourself to be somewhere other than where you are. 3. Do not compare your situation with that of anyone else. 4. Never allow yourself to dwell on wishing this or that. 5. Never dwell on tomorrow. Remind yourself that tomorrow is in God’s hands, not yours.



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*Magnify
the LORD with me,
and let us exalt his
name together!*

PSALM 34:3

Prelude
Financial Update

Call to Worship

*As For Me and My House
Christ Our Hope In Life or Death*

Scripture Reading & Pastoral Prayer

Afflicted Saint to Christ Draw Near

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Pastor Anthony

May the Mind of Christ My Savior

Benediction
Prayer Team

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Becoming fruitful disciples of Christ for God's glory.

THE LORD'S DAY

August 2, 2026

Corporate worship is meant to propel us to live like we believe God has already given us everything we need for life and godliness.

Philosophy of Worship

In our service, we aim to read the Bible, proclaim the Bible, and sing the Bible.

Nursery Schedule

Worship Service

Nursery: Gina Froman and Jocelyn Carter
Toddler: Barb Bush, Sarah Winnie, & Michelle Clark

Today

10:00am Coffee & Fellowship
10:30am Worship

Wednesday, August 5

7:00pm Praise Team

Guest Services

Today: Paul Recher
Next Sunday: Jan Peck

Greeters Next Sunday

Jan Peck

Announcements

New Senior Citizen Bible

Study. Beginning Wednesday, September 2, from 10:30-11:30am. Dave Drullinger and Pastor Fred will co-facilitate a study in Revelation. A sign-up list is on the table in the foyer. Bible study guides (Life Change series) will be available. Senior Saints will not meet the month of August.

Thank you Amanda Wilson for substituting as our Administrative Assistant this summer. Mary Hayes returns to the office next Monday.

Coming Up

Ladies Retreat – Oct. 9-11
Men's Retreat – Oct. 30-Nov. 1
(register on the Barakel website)
Magnify – November 13-14
Register online at
www.magnifyconference.org

Baptism and the Lord's Supper.

We will conduct communion on August 9 and baptisms on Sunday, August 30.

Would you like to know more about HBC? *Discovering God's People* is a class designed to explain the ministry of our church taught by the elders. *Discovering God's People* will meet Sunday, August 16 from 5-7pm here at the church. Sign up on the foyer table if interested in attending. Special booklets will be printed for the class. Church membership begins with the class, but one is not obligated to join by attending.

Two ABF Options. September 13-October 18, Pastor Fred will teach a class, "Marriage Matters" upstairs in the Fellowship Hall at 9:30am. Pastor Anthony will teach a class on prayer in the auditorium at the same time.

Sunday School /
Adult Bible Fellowship
Summer Recess
Classes resume
September 13.

Small Groups Resume the week of September 20. If you are not involved in a small group, please see Pastors Fred or Anthony. Small groups meet twice a month for about an hour and a half during the school year on different days of the week. Questions related to the sermon are discussed.

Senegal Report. Our missionaries, Josh and Carrisa Bell will report of their work on October 25. Josh will also preach that Sunday.

Mowing This Week
Matthew Price

BIRTHDAY

Peter Bricker	Aug. 4
Gina Hart	Aug. 7

ANNIVERSARY

John & Diane Helmuth	Aug. 5
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Prayer Requests

Devote yourselves to prayer, being watchful and thankful.
Colossians 4:2

General Requests

- Bells & Petkofs on furloughs
- The Clark family - praise
- Counseling Ministry - certification & weekly appointments
- For HBC to grow deeper spiritually/to reach out to others
- Kaylen & Isaac Elliott – Barakel summer staff

Physical Needs

- Amber Breinling (Lois Martin's niece) - at home, chemotherapy
- Gina Golden - health concerns
- Kara deRoos (Ryan's mother) - chemotherapy
- Kathy Lange (Anthony's mother) - cancer recovery
- Nic Martin - pain management
- Sarah Winnie - ankle pain and pressure
- Cheryl Woodruff (Melissa Hurley's stepmother) - cancer is back
- Diane Wilson - bladder biopsy Aug. 13

Prayer of Gratitude Psalm 110:4-5

Enter his gates with thanksgiving, and his courts with praise. Give thank to him; bless his name! For the Lord is good; his steadfast love endures forever, and his faithfulness to all generations.

Ministry Moment

Financial Update

Prayer For Our Government Officials

Lt. Governor Garlin Gilchrist

Prayer Family of the Week

Jason & Cara Rowntree, Asa, Rayburn, & Katherine

Shut in of the Week

Bille Collins

"Grace is not simply leniency when we have sinned. Grace is the enabling gift of God not to sin. Grace is power, not just pardon." John Piper