

Greater Christ Temple's

COLLEGE OF THE SCRIPTURES

2940 S. Anthony Blvd. Fort Wayne, IN 46806

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Wednesday Bible Study 11:30 AM & 6:00 PM



“The Kingdom Context”

Part 3 – A Light To The Gentiles

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Genesis 3:14-15 (The Genesis 3 prophecy)

14 So the Lord God said to the serpent: "Because you have done this, You are cursed more than all cattle, And more than every beast of the field; On your belly you shall go, And you shall eat dust All the days of your life. **15** And I will put enmity Between you and the woman, And between your seed and her Seed; He shall bruise your head, And you shall bruise His heel."

Genesis 6:4 (The Genesis 6 event)

4 There were giants on the earth in those days, and also afterward, when the sons of God came in to the daughters of men and they bore children to them. Those were the mighty men who were of old, men of renown.

- Noah, Ham, Cush, Nimrod, Tower of Babel...

Deuteronomy 32:7-9 (ESV)

7 Remember the days of old; consider the years of many generations; ask your father, and he will show you, your elders, and they will tell you. **8** When the Most High gave to the nations their inheritance, when he divided mankind, he fixed the borders of the peoples according to the number of the sons of God. **9** But the Lord 's portion is his people, Jacob his allotted heritage.

- Nimrod, Semeramis, and Tammuz: creation of the apothotic gods...
 - The Sons of God (fallen angels), and demons adopt the identities of the apothotic gods...

- The challenge: God vs. The gods / Israel vs. The Nations

Isaiah 49:6

6 And he said, It is a light thing that thou shouldest be my servant to raise up the tribes of Jacob, and to restore the preserved of Israel: I will also give thee for **a light to the Gentiles**, that thou mayest be my salvation unto the end of the earth.

- Isaiah is used by God to speak prophetically to Jesus Christ:

John 8:12

12 Then spake Jesus again unto them, saying, I am the **light of the world**: he that followeth me shall not walk in darkness, but shall have the light of life.

- But we also must remember that the King stands for the nation: ⁴

Matthew 5:14

14 Ye are the light of the world. A city that is set on an hill cannot be hid.

Isaiah 60:1-5

1 Arise, **shine**; for thy light is come, and the glory of the Lord is risen upon thee. **2** For, behold, the darkness shall cover the earth, and gross darkness the people: but the Lord shall arise upon thee, and **His glory shall be seen upon thee.** **3** And the Gentiles shall come to **thy light**, and kings to the **brightness** of thy rising. **4** Lift up thine eyes round about, and see: all they gather themselves together, they come to thee: thy sons shall come from far, and thy daughters shall be nursed at thy side. **5** Then thou shalt see, and flow together, and thine heart shall fear, and be enlarged; because the abundance of the sea shall be converted unto thee, the forces of the Gentiles shall come unto thee.⁵

Mathew 28:18-20

18 And Jesus came and spake unto them, saying, All power is given unto me in heaven and in earth. **19** Go ye therefore, and **teach** all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost: **20 Teaching** them to **observe** all things whatsoever I have commanded you: and, lo, I am with you alway, even unto the end of the world. Amen.

The Hope of His calling: The Restoration of the Sons of God

- Not only are powerful angelic beings called the sons of God, but according to the scripture the original human being was a son of God!

Luke 3:38

38 the son of Enos, the son of Seth, the son of **Adam, the son of God**.⁶

John 1:11-12

11 He came unto his own, and his own received him not. **12** But as many as received him, to them gave he power to **become the sons of God**, even to them that believe on his name:

- The designed outcome of faith in God through His Son Jesus Christ, the purpose of the Holy Spirit being poured out upon all flesh, the hope of His calling is that mankind would once again become the sons of God as our original design entails!

Romans 8:16-21

16 The Spirit itself beareth witness with our spirit, that we are the children of God: **17** And if children, then heirs; heirs of God, and joint-heirs with Christ; if so be that we suffer with him, that we may be also glorified together. **18** For I reckon that the sufferings of this present⁷

time are not worthy to be compared with the glory which shall be revealed in us. **19** For the earnest expectation of the creature waiteth for the **manifestation of the sons of God.** **20** For the creature was made subject to vanity, not willingly, but by reason of him who hath subjected the same in hope, Because the creature itself also shall be delivered from the bondage of corruption into the glorious liberty of the children of God.

- God has created YOU to be a Son of God, a mighty spiritual being in and earthly body! The Church is the earthly assembly of the Sons of God, the earth-bound Divine Council. You are intended to walk in heavenly places, in the midst of God's heavenly Divine Council and become the voice of JEHOVAH in the earth!

Zechariah 3:1-7

1 Then he showed me Joshua the high priest standing before the Angel of the Lord, and Satan standing at his right hand to oppose him. **2** And the Lord said to Satan, "The Lord rebuke you, Satan! The Lord who has chosen Jerusalem rebuke you! Is this not a brand plucked from the fire?" **3** Now Joshua was clothed with filthy garments, and was standing before the Angel. **4** Then He answered and spoke to those who stood before Him, saying, "Take away the filthy garments from him." And to him He said, "See, I have removed your iniquity from you, and I will clothe you with rich robes." **5** And I said, "Let them put a clean turban on his head." So they put a clean turban on his head, and they put the clothes on him. And the Angel of the Lord stood by. **6** Then the Angel of the Lord admonished Joshua, saying, **7** "Thus says the Lord of hosts: 'If you will walk in My ways, And if you will keep My command, Then you

shall also judge My house, And likewise have charge of My courts; I will give you places to walk Among these who stand here.

- Let us walk in the LORD's ways and keep His commands that we might fulfill our destiny, that we might walk in the midst of those heavenly Sons of God who stand in God's direct presence, that we might become the manifest Sons of God for whom the entire creation has been waiting!

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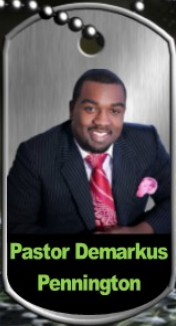
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