Baldwin Hills Baptist Church

Sunday, February 28, 2021 Sermon Scriptures

Rom. 1:13, 2:17, 23, 24 13 I do not want you to be unaware, brethren, that often I have planned to come to you (and have been prevented so far) so that I may obtain some fruit among you also, even as among the rest of the Gentiles.

17 ¶ But if you bear the name "Jew" and rely upon the Law and boast in God,

Law, through your breaking the Law, do you dishonor God?

24 For "THE NAME OF GOD IS BLASPHEMED AMONG THE GENTILES BECAUSE OF YOU," just as it is written.

Rom. 14:1-4 1 ¶ Now accept the one who is weak in faith, but not for the purpose of passing judgment on his opinions. 2 One person has faith that he may eat all things, but he who is weak eats vegetables only. 3 The one who eats is not to regard with contempt the one who does not eat, and the one who does not eat is not to judge the one who eats, for God has accepted him. 4 Who are you to judge the servant of another? To his own master he stands or falls; and he will stand, for the Lord is able to make him stand.

<u>Rom. 14:5</u> ¶ One person regards one day above another, another regards every day *alike*. Each person must be fully convinced in his own mind.

Rom. 14:6-9 6 He who observes the day, observes it for the Lord, and he who eats, does so for the Lord, for he gives thanks to God; and he who eats not, for the Lord he does not eat, and gives thanks to God. 7 For not one of us lives for himself, and not one dies for himself; 8 for if we live, we live for the Lord, or if we die, we die for the Lord; therefore whether we live or die, we are the Lord's. 9 For to this end Christ died and lived again, that He might be Lord both of the dead and of the living.

Rom. 14:10-12 10 ¶ But you, why do you judge your brother? Or you again, why do you regard your brother with contempt? For we will all stand before the judgment seat of God. 11 For it is written, "AS I LIVE, SAYS THE LORD, EVERY KNEE SHALL BOW TO ME, AND EVERY TONGUE SHALL GIVE PRAISE TO GOD."
12 So then each one of us will give an account of himself to God.

Rom. 14:19, 21 19 So then we pursue the things which make for peace and the building up of one another. 21 It is good not to eat meat or to drink wine, or to do anything by which your brother stumbles.

<u>Rom. 12:10</u> *Be* **devoted to one another in brotherly love**; give preference to one another in honor;

Rom. 13:8 ¶ Owe nothing to anyone except **to love one another**; for he who loves his neighbor has fulfilled *the* law.

Rom. 15:7 ¶ Therefore, **accept one another**, just as Christ also accepted us to the glory of God.

Eph. 4:2 with all humility and gentleness, with patience, **showing tolerance for one another in love,**

Eph. 4:32 Be kind to one another, tender-hearted, **forgiving each other**, just as God in Christ also has forgiven you.

Col. 4:12, 13 12 Epaphras, who is one of your number, a bondslave of Jesus Christ, sends you his greetings, always laboring earnestly for you in his prayers, that you may stand perfect and fully assured in all the will of God. 13 For I testify for him that he has a deep concern for you and for those who are in Laodicea and Hierapolis.

Acts 28:16 ¶ When we entered Rome, Paul was allowed to stay by himself, with the soldier who was guarding him.

Acts 28:30 ¶ And he stayed two full years in his own rented quarters and was welcoming all who came to him,

<u>Philem. 9</u> yet for love's sake I rather appeal to you — since I am such a person as Paul, the aged, and **now also a prisoner of Christ Jesus** —

Col. 1:1-4 1 ¶ Paul, an apostle of Jesus Christ by the will of God, and Timothy our brother,

 $\underline{2}$ ¶ To the saints and faithful brethren in Christ *who are* at Colossae: Grace to you and peace from God our Father.

<u>Col. 1:3</u> ¶ We give thanks to God, the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, praying always for you, <u>4</u> since we heard of your faith in Christ Jesus and the love which you have for all the saints;

<u>Col. 1:7,8 7</u> just as **you learned** *it* **from Epaphras**, our beloved fellow bond-servant, who is a faithful servant of Christ on our behalf, <u>8</u> and **he also informed us** of your love in the Spirit.

<u>Col. 1:9</u> ¶ For this reason also, since the day we heard *of it*, we have **not ceased to pray** for you and to ask that you may be filled with the knowledge of His will in all spiritual

wisdom and understanding,

<u>Col. 1:10, 11</u> so that you will walk in a manner worthy of the Lord, to please *Him* in all respects, bearing fruit in every good work and increasing in the knowledge of God; <u>11</u> strengthened with all power, according to His glorious might, for the attaining of all steadfastness and patience; joyously

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<u>Col. 1:12-14</u> <u>12</u> giving thanks to the Father, who has qualified us to share in the inheritance of the saints in Light. <u>13</u> For He rescued us from the domain of darkness, and transferred us to the kingdom of His beloved Son, <u>14</u> in whom we have redemption, the forgiveness of sins.

Col. 1:15-20 15 ¶ He is the image of the invisible God, the firstborn of all creation.

<u>16</u> For **by Him all things were created**, *both* in the heavens and on earth, visible and invisible, whether thrones or dominions or rulers or authorities — **all things have been created through Him and for Him.**

17 He is before all things, and in Him all things hold together.

<u>18</u> He is also **head of the body, the church**; and He is the beginning, **the firstborn from the dead**, so that He Himself will come **to have first place in everything**.

19 For it was the Father's good pleasure for all the fullness to dwell in Him,

<u>20</u> and through Him to reconcile all things to Himself, having made peace through the blood of His cross; through Him, *I say*, whether things on earth or things in heaven.

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