Church Sub Theme for 2019-21: "What's The Church Supposed To Be Like?!" (Problems in the Church)

Baldwin Hills Baptist Church Sunday, September 26, 2021

Sermon Outline

- III. ONLY PEOPLE WHO REALLY KNOW JESUS CHRIST, GOD'S SON, CAN GIVE ACCEPTABLE WORSHIP TO GOD, Jn. 14:6; 1 Tim. 2:5,6
- IV. GOD IS CONCERNED THAT OUR WORSHIP BE ACCEPTABLE TO HIM
 - A. Christ Made That Clear To The Samaritan Woman, Jn. 4:20-24
 - 1. God Must Be Worshipped in **spirit**, --right heart attitude, Psa. 24:3-5
 - a. God rejected Israel's false worship, Amos 5:21-24
 - b. Christ rejected it, Jn. 2:14-16; Mt. 23:14, 27 -avoid hypocrisy!
 - c. The Lord foretold our day of false worship, Mt. 7:21-23; Lk. 6:46
 - 2. God must be worshipped in **Truth**, John 17:17
 - 3. God wants His Word **of Truth** To Be **Central** In Our worship, 2 Tim. 4:2-5

- --Not the Music; Not the Emotion; Not the Put on Show, Etc.
- --False Cults and Christian Sects, and False Teachers must all be rejected.
- V. HOW DO WE GUARD OURSELVES FROM UNACCEPTABLE WORSHIP?
 - A. Give Ourselves To God, Rom. 12:1, 2
 - 1. **Start right**, Rom. 12:1
 - 2. And **grow**, in our relationship with God. Rom. 12:2; Heb. 13:15, 16
 - B. Strive To Walk In Consistent Obedience
 - 1. Love toward each other, Jn. 13:34; 1 Pet. 4:8
 - 2. Forgive each other, Eph. 4:32; Col. 3:13
 - 3. Stop Robbing God, Mal. 3:8
 - -- During our regular giving
 - -- During our Vacation Times
 - --During the times when we move and are Looking for a new Church Home