

Historic White Marsh Church

July 23, 2023

IMPORTANT THINGS TO KNOW ABOUT GOD

Acts 17:16-34

1. God created the world and everything in it. v. 24

No man made God. Idols are manufactured by man. God is greater than any idol.

2. God does not need a temple to live in. v. 24

God is not contained in or confined to some temple like idols are.

3. God is the self-sufficient creator. v. 25

God does not have to have anything from man to keep Him going. Man is dependent on God; God is not dependent on man. He is not housed or fed by man like an idol.

4. God made mankind from one man. v. 26

All people are related through Adam who was the first man that God created. Jesus Christ died for all mankind: He died for you!

5. God is sovereign over the nations. v. 26

6. God wants to have a personal relationship with you. v. 27

7. God is your creator and sustainer. v. 28

8. God is not like a manmade idol. He is our maker. v. 29

9. God wants all men to repent and turn to him. v. 30

10. God will judge through the resurrected Christ. v. 31

Some mocked the message. Others put off responding to the gospel. Some believed in and received Jesus Christ as savior. V. 32-34

Study Questions on Acts 17:1-34 (for Thursday 7/27 Bible Study)

1. What was the spiritual condition of the people of Athens?
2. Where did Paul preach in the city? Where do you share the gospel?
3. Who did Paul proclaim to the Athenians? V. 18, 19
4. What does God command people to do? V. 30
5. How did Paul's message contradict what the Athenians believed?
6. What was the response of the Athenians to Paul's message? v. 32-34
7. Who greatly benefited from the gospel message? How have you benefited from Paul's message? v. 34
8. What do you learn about God from this passage? What do you learn about people from this passage? Wes Hall

Prelude Marjorie Lampkin - Pianist

Hymn ~ 626 The Lily of the Valley

Welcome and Announcements

Hymn ~ 129 Great and Mighty

Scripture Reading: Acts 17:16-34 Ryan

Prayer

Hymn ~ 348 My Savior's Love

Missions Moment: Brenda Hall

Special Music: Jean Bryan

Sermon

Hymn ~ 508 Love Lifted Me

Benediction & Postlude

Tithes & Offerings Please use the wooden offering box or mail your offering to: PO Box 24, Lancaster, VA 22503. Thank you!

Membership: If you are interested in becoming a member of Historic White Marsh Church, please talk to Rev. Wes Hall.

Historic White Marsh Church is an independent, Bible believing, teaching, and Christ-loving Bible Church. We are made up of Christians from diverse backgrounds, who are going to the same place (heaven) because of Jesus Christ our Savior.

Board Meeting: Tuesday, August 8 at 1:00 PM

Friendship Fellowship: August 13th after Worship

Shoebboxes: School supplies are on sale!! Needed: crayons, markers, watercolors, color pencils and notebooks; lots of notebooks!! Hygiene items: combs/brushes, toothbrushes, nail clippers, soap.

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Sunday Worship: 11:00 AM Thursday Bible Study: 6:00 PM