

Terrigal Christian Israelite Church

21st January 2024

Welcome to Church!



Ancient of Days

Blessing and honour, glory and power Be unto the Ancient of Days From every nation, all of creation Bow before the Ancient of Days

Every tongue in heaven and earth
Shall declare Your glory
Every knee shall bow at Your throne in
worship
You will be exalted, o God,
And Your kingdom shall not pass away
O Ancient of Days

Your kingdom shall reign over all the earth Sing unto the Ancient of Days For none can compare to Your matchless worth Sing unto the Ancient of Days

By Faith

By faith we see the hand of God In the light of creation's grand design In the lives of those who prove His faithfulness Who walk by faith and not by sight

By faith our fathers roamed the earth
With the power of His promise in their hearts
Of a holy city built by God's own hand
A place where peace and justice reign

[Chorus]

We will stand as children of the promise
We will fix our eyes on Him our soul's reward
Till the race is finished and the work is done
We'll walk by faith and not by sight
By faith the prophets saw a day
When the longed-for Messiah would appear
With the power to break the chains of sin and
death

And rise triumphant from the grave

By faith the church was called to go In the power of the Spirit to the lost To deliver captives and to preach good news In every corner of the earth

Chorus

By faith this mountain shall be moved And the power of the gospel shall prevail For we know in Christ all things are possible For all who call upon His name

Chorus

Here I am to Worship

Light of the world You stepped down into darkness. Opened my eyes, let me see. Beauty that made this heart adore You Hope of a life spent with You

[Chorus]

Here I am to worship,
Here I am to bow down,
Here I am to say that You're my God
You're altogether lovely
All together worthy,
All together wonderful to me

King of all days
oh, so highly exalted
Glorious in heaven above
Humbly You came
To the earth You created
All for love's sake became poor

(Chorus)

I'll never know how much it cost
To see my sin upon that cross

(repeat)

(Chorus)

COMBINE CHRISTIAN ISRAELITE CHURCH SUMMER SERIES

December 2023 - February 2024

A Letter From the Bible - P



The Lord's Prayer

Our Father which art in heaven, Hallowed be thy name.

Thy kingdom come.

Thy will be done, as in heaven, so in earth.

Give us day by day our daily bread.

And forgive us our sins; for we also forgive every one that is indebted to us. And lead us not into temptation; but deliver us from evil.

Luke 11: 2-4

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Two Missions:

The Apostle Paul

1 Corinthians 1:27

But God hath chosen the foolish things of the world to confound the wise; and God hath chosen the weak things of the world to confound the things which are mighty;

Part 2 - People

7th January • Pharoah Exo 5:1-3, 11:9-10, 12:31-32 Work with God not against Him!

14th January

• Peter John 21:15-19 The Rock – who became stable!



• Paul Acts 9:1-9, 26:24-29 Much learning maketh thee..wise?

28th January

Philip Acts 8:4-8, 26-40
 A Preacher and dedicated follower

Paul

Quick Facts:

Circumcised the eighth day, of the stock of Israel, of the tribe of Benjamin, an Hebrew of the Hebrews; as touching the law, a Pharisee;

Philippians3:5

➤ Like King Saul – Saul/Paul was a Benjamite	➤ He was a Roman Citizen
➤ Was born in Tarsus (bwn. 5BC & 5AD)	➤ He was a Tent Maker by trade
> Schooled in Jerusalem under Gamaliel	➤ Had some family in Jerusalem
➤ Is the dominant Character in the book of Acts	➤ Never Married
➤ Wrote 14 of the 27 Books of the New Testament	➤ Targeted much of his ministry towards Gentile converts
➤ Embarked on 3 major Missionary Journeys	➤ Travelled 14,725 km in 14 years
➤ Escorted under a guard of 470 soldiers for protection while in custody	Preached to King Agrippa, Governor Felix and Governor Fetus
➤ Held captive for 8 years and transferred to Rome (4 th Journey?) awaiting appeal to Caesar	➤ Martyred approx. 65AD

Are they ministers of Christ? (I speak as a fool) I am more; in labours more abundant, in stripes above measure, in prisons more frequent, in deaths oft.

Of the Jews five times received I forty stripes save one.

Thrice was I beaten with rods, once was I stoned, thrice I suffered shipwreck, a night and a day I have been in the deep; In journeyings often, in perils of waters, in perils of robbers, in perils by mine own countrymen, in perils by the heathen, in perils in the city, in perils in the wilderness, in perils in the sea, in perils among false brethren;

In weariness and painfulness, in watchings often, in hunger and thirst, in fastings often, in cold and nakedness.

2 Corinthians 11:23-27

As for Saul, he made havock of the church, entering into every house, and haling men and women committed them to prison. Acts 8:3

Saul to Paul

Early Life

• A Jew, born in Tarsus, a city in Cilicia

Acts 22:3

• Schooled in Jerusalem under Gamaliel

Acts 22:3

Pre-Conversion (In Jerusalem)

• Stoning of Stephen

Acts 7:58

• Raids on Christian houses to arrest believers

Acts 8:3

Pre-Conversion (Expanding to Damascus)

 Obtains orders from High Priest to arrest Christians at Damascus

Acts 9:1-2

 Is blinded by a great light and hears the voice of Jesus

Acts 9:3-9

The Conversion

Ananias told to go and heal Saul

Acts 9:17-18

• Saul immediately goes out and Preaches Jesus

Acts 9:20-22



Starting Out

• Escapes Damascus to avoid a plot to Murder him Acts 9:23-25

Preaches at Jerusalem until his life is in danger.
 He is then sent home to Tarsus

Acts 9:26-30

Go thy way: for he is a chosen vessel unto me, to bear my name before the Gentiles, and kings, and the children of Israel:

Acts 9:15

Saul to Paul

The Return

- Barnabas and Saul briefly return to Jerusalem to bring aid to the believers there.

Acts 11:30, 12:25

 Paul flees Iconium after the unbelieving Jews and Gentiles plot to Stone him

Acts 14:1-5

- Big trouble at Lystra
 - Paul heals a crippled man

 Acts 14:10
 - Paul & Barnabas mistaken to be gods by the people
 Acts 14:12
 - Paul is stoned and taken for dead

Acts 14:19

The Travels Begin AD.45

• Saul begins his first Journey

Acts 13:2

• Saul encounters Paulus at Salamis and from this point is known by his Roman Name "Paul"

Acts 13:6-12

 Barnabas and Paul give up on the Jews at Antioch (Pisidia) and commit to preaching to the Gentiles

Acts 13:46-51



• End their Journey in Derbe and make the return Journey stopping at each body of believers

Acts 14:21-27

Establishing the Grace based church

 Paul and Barnabas dispute with some Jewish believers who were teaching the need for circumcision to be saved

Acts 15:1-2

• Paul and Barnabas present their success among the Gentiles at the Jerusalem council and the

fundamentals for Christian law adherence Acts 15:12

Journey No.2 AD.53

• Paul begins a second Journey

Acts 15:36

• Timotheus is circumcised (Jewish decent) and joins the team

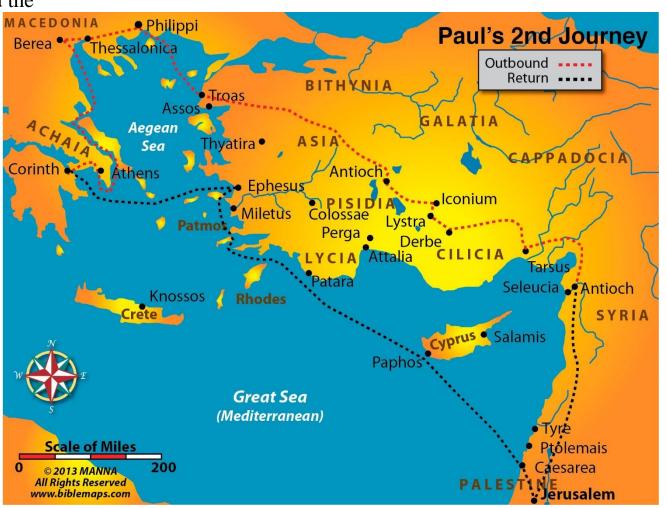
Acts 16:3

• Forbidden to stop in Asia but shown in a vision to head to Macedonia

Acts 16:6,9

Trouble at Philippi Acts 16:16-40

- Paul casts out a diving spirit
- Paul & Silas beaten and imprisoned
- An earthquake breaks up the prison
- The prison guard looks after Paul & Silas and is converted
- Paul & Silas claim their Roman citizenship and are released

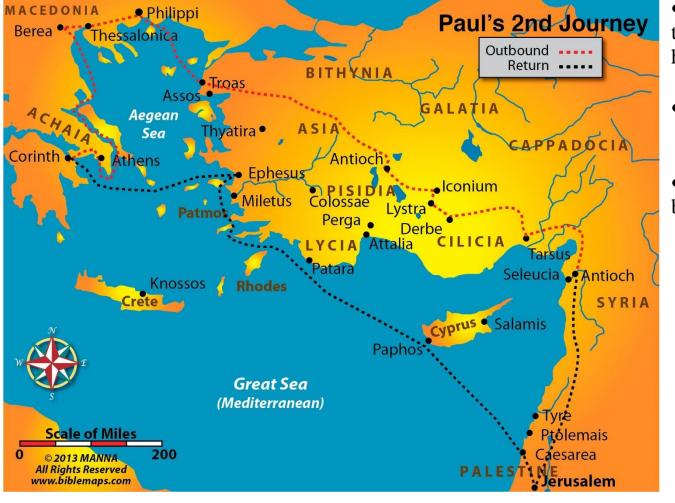


Journey No.2 AD.53 - cont

- In Thessalonica their accommodation is attacked by an angry mob Acts 17:5
- Paul & Silas are chased out of Berea

Acts 17:14

- In Athens Paul preaches the "Unknown God" on Mars Hill Acts 17:16-34
- Paul meets Aquila in Corinth and the two work together as TentMakers Acts 18:1-3
- Paul stays in Corith for 18 months and Paul's 2nd Journey then after an attempt is made by Jews to take Outbound him to judgement he leaves for Syria Return ---Acts 18:12-18 Paul takes a Vow (Nazarite?) GALATIA Aegean Acts 18:18 Sea CAPPADOCIA
 - Paul stops at Jerusalem and then heads back to Antioch Acts 18:22



Journey No.3 AD.56

 Paul makes his way to Ephesus where he stops to teach at the school of "Tyrannus" for 2 years
 Acts 19:9

Trouble at Ephesus Acts 19:23-41

- Idol crafters realise they will be out of work if Christianity continues to increase
- The people are stirred up and drag Paul's traveling companions into the amphitheater
- Alexander tries to calm them down but it shouted down for 2 hours
- The town clerk finally dismisses the crowd
- Paul leaves for Macedonia

Some therefore cried one thing, and some another: for the assembly was confused: and the more part knew not wherefore they were come together.

Acts 19:32

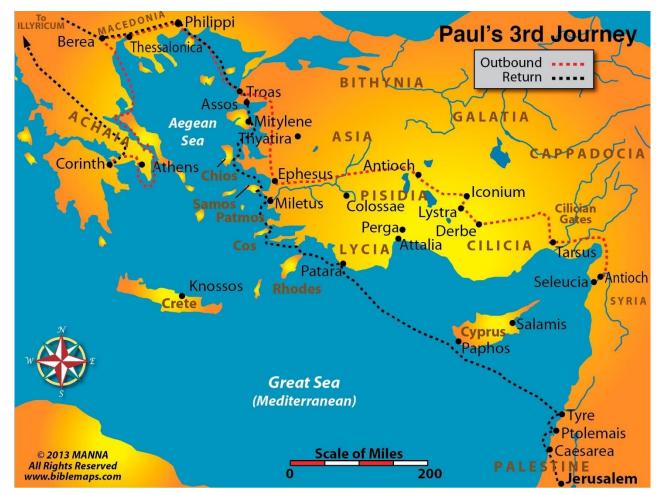
• Paul travels in Greece for 3 months

Acts 20:3

- In Troas Paul preaches till midnight and heals
 Eutychus after he fell asleep and fell from the 3rd
 floor

 Acts 20:7-12
- Paul is frequently told he will be caught if he continues to Jerusalem

 Acts 21



Paul's Imprisonment at Jerusalem

• As Prophesied Paul is set upon at Jerusalem and saved (arrested) by the Roman authorities

Acts 21:28

- Paul addresses the people to make a defence but is drowned out after declaring his mission to the Gentiles
 Acts 21:37- 22:23
- Escapes scourging claiming Roman Citizenship
 Acts 22:25

 Faces accusers but uses his pharisee association to break-up the crowd

Acts 23:1-10

• 40 Jews vow to hunger strike until they kill Paul Acts 23:12-22

Transport and Captivity in Caesarea

• 470 soldiers ordered to transport Paul to the Governor Felix at 9pm

Acts 23:23-35

 Paul testifies before Governor Felix and over a 2year period shares the Gospel with him

Acts 24

• Paul stands trial before Governor Fetus and fearing an unjust trial appeals to Caesar

Acts 25:1-12

Paul preaches to King Agrippa and his wife
 Bernice
 Acts 26



Paul's final Journey

Acts 27-28

- Paul departs by sail to Rome
- Is allow to visit his friends at Sidon
- Prophecies the wreck of the ship

• Preaches I told you so but also prophecies the

safety of all lives aboard

- The ship is wrecked on Melita and all make it to land safely on wreckage
- Survives a serpent bite
- Heals the father of the chief of the island and then others
- After 3 months sails to Sicily
- Arrives in Rome and is kept in a hired house from which he preached





Hymn 105

O come sweet anthems let us sing, Just thanks to our Almighty King; For we our voices all should raise To join in the Creator's praise.

Into His presence let us haste
To thank Him for His mercies past;
To Him address in joyful songs
The praise, which to His truth belongs.

For God the Lord, enthron'd in state, Is with unrivall'd glory great; The mighty sea by His right hand Was curb'd, and fix'd the solid land.

Then let us to His courts repair, And bow with adoration there; He's all men's Saviour and will be Prais'd by them in eternity.

Acts 15:1-2,4-13,18-21

The Jerusalem Council

And certain men which came down from Judaea taught the brethren, and said, Except ye be circumcised after the manner of Moses, ye cannot be saved.

² When therefore Paul and Barnabas had no small dissension and disputation with them, they determined that Paul and Barnabas, and certain other of them, should go up to Jerusalem unto the apostles and elders about this question.

⁷ And when there had been much disputing, Peter rose up, and said unto them, Men and brethren, ye know how that a good while ago God made choice among us, that the Gentiles by my mouth should hear the word of the gospel, and believe.

⁸ And God, which knoweth the hearts, bare them witness, giving them the Holy Ghost, even as he did unto us;

⁹ And put no difference between us and them, purifying their hearts by faith.

¹⁰ Now therefore why tempt ye God, to put a yoke upon the neck of the disciples, which neither our fathers nor we were able to bear?

¹¹ But we believe that through the grace of the LORD Jesus Christ we shall be saved, even as they.

¹² Then all the multitude kept silence, and gave audience to Barnabas and Paul, declaring what miracles and wonders God had wrought among the Gentiles by them.

¹³ And after they had held their peace, James answered, saying, Men and brethren, hearken unto me:

⁴ And when they were come to Jerusalem, they were received of the church, and of the apostles and elders, and they declared all things that God had done with them.

⁵But there rose up certain of the sect of the Pharisees which believed, saying, That it was needful to circumcise them, and to command them to keep the law of Moses.

⁶ And the apostles and elders came together for to consider of this matter.

- ¹⁸ Known unto God are all his works from the beginning of the world.
- ¹⁹ Wherefore my sentence is, that we trouble not them, which from among the Gentiles are turned to God:
- ²⁰ But that we write unto them, that they abstain from pollutions of idols, and from fornication, and from things strangled, and from blood.
 ²¹ For Moses of old time hath in every city them that preach him, being read in the synagogues every sabbath day.

Romans 3:1-2

What advantage then hath the Jew? or what profit is there of circumcision?

Much every way: chiefly, because that unto them were committed the oracles of God.

Romans 2:17-18

Behold, thou art called a Jew, and restest in the law, and makest thy boast of God,

And knowest his will, and approvest the things that are more excellent, being instructed out of the law;



The Mercy of the salvation of our souls through faith is by Grace and appearses Gods Justice required for our wrong doing

So what of Israel?

Romans 11:25-26

For I would not, brethren, that ye should be ignorant of this mystery, lest ye should be wise in your own conceits; that blindness in part is happened to Israel, until the fulness of the Gentiles be come in.

And so all Israel shall be saved: as it is written, There shall come out of Sion the Deliverer, and shall turn away ungodliness from Jacob:

Romans 11:25-26

And I saw another angel ascending from the east, having the seal of the living God: and he cried with a loud voice to the four angels, to whom it was given to hurt the earth and the sea, Saying, Hurt not the earth, neither the sea, nor the trees, till we have sealed the servants of our God in their foreheads.

And I heard the number of them which were sealed: and there were sealed an hundred and forty and four thousand of all the tribes of the children of Israel.

You Alone Can Rescue

Who, oh Lord, could save themselves,
Their own soul could heal?
Our shame was deeper than the sea
Your grace is deeper still
You alone can rescue, You alone can save
You alone can lift us from the grave
You came down to find us, led us out of
death
To You alone belongs the highest praise

You, oh Lord, have made a way
The great divide You heal
For when our hearts were far away
Your love went further still
Yes, your love goes further still
You alone can rescue, You alone can save
You alone can lift us from the grave
You came down to find us, led us out of
death

To You alone belongs the highest praise (Repeat x1)

To You alone belongs the highest praise (x3)

Thanks for coming to



Isaiah 51:11

"Therefore the redeemed of the Lord shall return, and come with singing unto Zion; and everlasting joy shall be upon their head: they shall obtain gladness and joy; and sorrow and mourning shall flee away."

Coming Up Next Week -

Sunday Church – 11:30am

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