



FREEDOM CHURCH

CAMERON PARK

TODAY'S DATE

JAN 14, 2024

SERVICE TIMES

9 & 10:30 AM

NURSERY (BIRTH-4)

Opens at 10:15 AM

KIDS CHURCH (K-6)

Dismissed after worship

CLOSER

James 4:8

TODAY'S SERMON:

PART 2: ARE YOU READY?

2 PETER 3

TODAY'S SPEAKER

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James 4:8a “Come close to God, and God will come close to you.”

2 Peter 3

Jude 1:14-15 “Enoch, the seventh from Adam, prophesied about them: “See, the Lord is coming with thousands upon thousands of his holy ones¹⁵ to judge everyone, and to convict all of them of all the ungodly acts they have committed in their ungodliness, and of all the defiant words ungodly sinners have spoken against him.”

Daniel 7:13-14 “In my vision at night I looked, and there before me was one like a son of man, coming with the clouds of heaven. He approached the Ancient of Days and was led into his presence.¹⁴ He was given authority, glory and sovereign power; all nations and peoples of every language worshiped him. His dominion is an everlasting dominion that will not pass away, and his kingdom is one that will never be destroyed.

Matthew 24:27-31 “For as lightning that comes from the east is visible even in the west, so will be the coming of the Son of Man.²⁸ Wherever there is a carcass, there the vultures will gather.²⁹ “Immediately after the distress of those days “the sun will be darkened, and the moon will not give its light; the stars will fall from the sky, and the heavenly bodies will be shaken.”³⁰ “Then will appear the sign of the Son of Man in heaven. And then all the peoples of the earth^[b] will mourn when they see the Son of Man coming on the clouds of heaven, with power and great glory.^[C]³¹ And he will send his angels with a loud trumpet call, and they will gather his elect from the four winds, from one end of the heavens to the other

How to be ready for the Lord's Return

LOOK _____ TO THE LORD'S RETURN

2 Peter 3:14a “So then, dear friends, since you are looking forward to this”

MAKE EVERY _____

2 Peter 3:14b “Make every effort to be found spotless, blameless and at peace with him.

BEAR IN _____

2 Peter 3:15 Bear in mind that our Lord's patience means salvation, just as our dear brother Paul also wrote you with the wisdom that God gave him.

BE ON YOUR _____

2 Peter 3:16 Therefore, dear friends, since you have been forewarned, be on your guard so that you may not be carried away by the error of the lawless and fall from your secure position.

GROW IN _____ AND _____

2 Peter 3:18 But grow in the grace and knowledge of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. To him be glory both now and forever! Amen.

Colossians 1:6 “This same Good News that came to you is going out all over the world. It is bearing fruit everywhere by changing lives, just as it changed your lives from the day you first heard and understood the truth about God's wonderful grace.”

- 1 What is your understanding of the return of Christ?
- 2 When you look at current events and what the Scripture says, do you feel like Jesus return is drawing near? Why or why not?
- 3 Read **2 Peter 3:3-4**. What is the warning for us today?
- 4 According to **2 Peter 3:9**, why has Jesus not come back yet?
- 5 Do you think it make a difference how you live your life if you are expecting Jesus return soon? How?
- 6 According to **2 Peter 3:14**, what “effort” are we to be making in our lives?
- 7 **2 Peter 3:18** tells us to “grow in the grace and knowledge of our Lord Jesus Christ” What is the difference between growing in grace and growing in knowledge? Do you think both are important? Why?

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18**PRAYER NIGHT**

7:00 PM – 8:00 PM

▼ *Freedom Church Sanctuary*FRI
19**MEN'S BIBLE STUDY**

8:00 AM – 9:00 AM

▼ *Freedom Church Cafe*SUN
28**NIGHT OF WORSHIP**

5:00 PM

▼ *Freedom Church Sanctuary*FEB
10**MEN'S BREAKFAST**

8:00 AM

*Be sure to join us for a great time!***ANNOUNCEMENTS****21 DAYS OF PRAYER & FASTING**

January 8-28

We're continuing our 21 days of prayer and fasting and hope you join along. Biblical fasting always has to do with eliminating distractions for a spiritual purpose; it hits the reset button of our soul and renews us from the inside out. Be sure to join us for prayer Thursday evenings at 7:00 PM.

Fasting guides are available in the foyer.

NIGHT OF WORSHIP

Sunday January 28 at 5 PM

Join us as we end our time of fasting with a celebration of what God has done through these 21 days and to continue to pray for what he will do.

"I am certain that God, who began the good work within you, will continue his work until it is finally finished on the day when Christ Jesus returns." (Philippians 1:6)

CONVOY OF HOPE

Items needed by Sunday, January 21 — Packing day Thursday, January 25

This month we will be focusing on blessing the ministry of Convoy of Hope. Convoy of Hope provides resources for disasters and compassion work in the US and abroad. Please designate a special gift to Convoy this month or help us by providing 100 emergency hygiene kits. Items needed for the kits include: toothpaste (regular size), toothbrush, comb, stick deodorant, travel shampoo, hand towel and a bar of soap. Items may be dropped off in the designated box in the church foyer.

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