

Prayer Service in Malang, October 14, 2014 (Tuesday Evening)

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Peace and grace in the love of our Lord Jesus Christ.

Revelation chapter 2 and 3 refer to the seven sprinklings of blood in front of the Ark of the Covenant. It is the flesh suffering together with Jesus that must be experienced by the church. It is the last purification for seven congregations of Gentiles that would be done by Jesus until the church becomes perfect and flawless as He is.

Leviticus 16:12-14

16:12 Then he shall take a censer full of burning coals of fire from the altar before the Lord, with his hands full of sweet incense beaten fine, and bring it inside the veil.

16:13 And he shall put the incense on the fire before the Lord, that the cloud of incense may cover the mercy seat that is on the Testimony, lest he die.

16:14 He shall take some of the blood of the bull and sprinkle it with his finger on the mercy seat on the east side; and before the mercy seat he shall sprinkle some of the blood with his finger seven times.

Once a year, Aaron as the high priest entered the Holy of Holiest of Tabernacle for reconciliation with blood and incense. **The seven times sprinklings of blood (flesh suffering) must be accompanied by incense (prayer).**

Facing the sprinkling of blood, we must pray and worship God a lot. Without worship prayer, we will not endure facing the sprinkling of blood. The example is Peter sleeping when Jesus asked him to pray, the result is Peter denied Him when he was facing the flesh suffering.

1 Timothy 2:1-2, 8

2:1 Therefore I exhort first of all that supplications, prayers, intercessions, and giving of thanks be made for all men,

2:2 for kings and all who are in authority, that we may lead a quiet and peaceable life in all godliness and reverence.

2:8 I desire therefore that the men pray everywhere, lifting up holy hands, without wrath and doubting;

There are four levels of prayer, as follows:

1. Supplication prayer.

The point is our need. This is the lowest level of prayer. When we need, we pray to God.

John 15:7

15:7 If you abide in Me, and My words abide in you, you will ask what you desire, and it shall be done for you.

The condition is the Word of God stays inside us (listening until practicing the Word) thus our will is the same as God's will. Then our prayer will be answered by God.

2 Corinthians 13:9

13:9 For we are glad when we are weak and you are strong. And this also we pray, that you may be made complete.

The peak of supplication prayer is we pray to live in holiness until we are perfect like God.

2. Intercession prayer.

1 Timothy 2:1

2:1 Therefore I exhort first of all that supplications, prayers, intercessions, and giving of thanks be made for all men,

The point is other's need. The peak is we can pray for our enemy and one who harms us to be forgiven and blessed by God.

Matthew 5:44

5:44 But I say to you, love your enemies, bless those who curse you, do good to those who hate you, and pray for those who spitefully use you and persecute you,

3. Thanksgiving prayer.

1 Timothy 2:1

2:1 Therefore I exhort first of all that supplications, prayers, intercessions, and giving of thanks be made for all men,

The point is the blessing that we have received. It must be increased until the peak is giving thanks in everything.

Ephesians 5:20

5:20 giving thanks always for all things to God the Father in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ,

4. **Worship prayer.**

1 Timothy 2:8

2:8 I desire therefore that the men pray everywhere, lifting up holy hands, without wrath and doubting;

This is the peak of all prayers.

Psalms 141:2

141:2 Let my prayer be set before You as incense, the lifting up of my hands as the evening sacrifice.

The point is the persona of Jesus.

Mark 9:8

9:8 Suddenly, when they had looked around, they saw no one anymore, but only Jesus with themselves.

We can worship God everywhere, any time, and in any situation. This is the justice of God.

1 Timothy 2:8

2:8 I desire therefore that the men pray everywhere, lifting up holy hands, without wrath and doubting;

The condition is lifting up holy hands, deed, saying, and heart.

Psalms 24:3-4

24:3 Who may ascend into the hill of the Lord? Or who may stand in His holy place?

24:4 He who has clean hands and a pure heart, who has not lifted up his soul to an idol, nor sworn deceitfully.

In holiness, we can worship God.

The prayer of men is the one in holiness, it is strong that it can reach the throne of God as the sweet incense. We can feel God's presence and see His face.

Ezekiel 39:29

39:29 And I will not hide My face from them anymore; for I shall have poured out My Spirit on the house of Israel, says the Lord God.

The result is Holy Spirit is poured upon us, as follows:

a. **Holy Spirit is able to care our life physically in the midst of impossibilities.**

Romans 8:11

8:11 But if the Spirit of Him who raised Jesus from the dead dwells in you, He who raised Christ from the dead will also give life to your mortal bodies through His Spirit who dwells in you.

b. **Holy Spirit is able to put to death the deeds of the body so we can live in righteousness and holiness.**

Romans 8:13

8:13 For if you live according to the flesh you will die; but if by the Spirit you put to death the deeds of the body, you will live.

c. **Holy Spirit gives joy in the midst of sorrow.**

1 Peter 4:12-14

4:12 Beloved, do not think it strange concerning the fiery trial which is to try you, as though some strange thing happened to you;

4:13 but rejoice to the extent that you partake of Christ's sufferings, that when His glory is revealed, you may also be glad with exceeding joy.

4:14 If you are reproached for the name of Christ, blessed are you, for the Spirit of glory and of God rests upon you. On their part He is blasphemed, but on your part He is glorified.

d. **Holy Spirit is able to purify and change our life.**

Romans 15:16

15:16 that I might be a minister of Jesus Christ to the Gentiles, ministering the gospel of God, that the offering of the Gentiles might be acceptable, sanctified by the Holy Spirit.

If the spiritual miracle happens the physical one will happen also.

Zechariah 4:6-7

4:6 So he answered and said to me: "This is the word of the Lord to Zerubbabel: "Not by might nor by power, but by My Spirit," says the Lord of hosts.

4:7 "Who are you, O great mountain? Before Zerubbabel you shall become a plain! And he shall bring forth the capstone with shouts of "Grace, grace to it!" says the Lord of hosts.

All the problems are solved by God. He gives the successful and beautiful future together with Him.

Until Jesus comes a second time, we are changed as glorious as He is and we will be lifted up on glorious clouds, seeing His face forever.

God blesses us.