



*"To know and to worship Jesus Christ,  
and to make Him known."*

**PRAYER CORNER**

**Church Family**  
Henk & Adri duPlessis  
and Family

**Sister Church:**  
God's Dwelling Place Chris-  
tian Ministries  
Brampton, ON

**Pastor:**  
Mr. Alvin Carreon

November 20, 2022

**Mark Your Calendar**

**November 26th:** Men's  
Breakfast 8:30 am

**December 4th:** Adult Christ-  
mas Banquet

**Help Needed!**

Drywalling will begin on the second floor of the new building Monday afternoon.  
Work will begin at 9:00 am for the remainder of the week.

Come for a couple hours or 8, one day or all week! Bring a crew!



Awana Club is hosted at  
Parkside Gospel Church  
every Wednesday evening  
from 6:30-8:00 pm.

**This week's theme:**

**Western Night**

**Men's Breakfast**

Saturday, November 26th

8:30 am

Work bee to follow insulating and drywalling upstairs and other odd jobs.

**Care Groups this week...**

**Mom's Morning Out**-Tuesday, November 22nd at 9:30 am at Parkland Crossing

**Dale's Care Group**-Tuesday, November 22nd at 7:00 pm at John & Mary Ann Nykiforuk's Home

**Pastor Tim's Bible Study**-Thursday, November 24th at 6:30 pm at Herbert & Shandi Ives' Home

**Bob's Care Group**- Thursday, November 24th at 7:15 pm at Bob & Juanita Amende's Home

**Youth Group**-Friday, November 25th at 7:30-10:00 pm at The Bridge Drop In-Ochre River (Trivia Night)

**Notice**

Due to the nature of how we at Parkside Gospel Church deliver our Sunday Worship Services, we advise that your attendance at our in-person services may result in your photo or video appearing on our social media channels.

**ELDERS**

Ken Foster  
Ken Buhler  
Clint Thiessen  
Regan Gray  
Menno Thiessen

**DEACONS**

Philip Buhler  
Joan Mckinnon  
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Charlotte Barstch  
Ginny Yeo  
Stephen Yeo

**STEWARDS**

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## Sermon Notes

### Prophecy Today - 1 Thessalonians 5:20 - Series: 1 Thessalonians - #27

1. The Thessalonians were not to hold \_\_\_\_\_ in contempt. Instead, they were to test them, holding on to what was good.
2. The Big Question:  
Is the gift of prophecy a gift that the Holy Spirit gives to the church in our own day?
3. Prophecy, as used in these verses, refers to divinely \_\_\_\_\_ utterances or writings.
4. A prophet then, is one who faithfully \_\_\_\_\_ the word that God has given to them.
5. A prophetic word might be one of \_\_\_\_\_. This is a word, or a vision, of what *will come to be at some point in the future*.
6. Or a prophetic word might be one of \_\_\_\_\_. This is a word, or a vision, that brings God's truth to bear on the present moment.
7. Foretelling often focuses on the future \_\_\_\_\_ of God's people: the coming of the Messiah, God's ultimate victory over evil, and the full establishment of God's kingdom.
8. Forttelling often focuses on the needs and circumstances of God's people in the present moment. It frequently includes a declaration of sin, a call to \_\_\_\_\_, and a warning of judgement to come if the word of God is not heeded.
9. Old Testament prophets were to be \_\_\_\_\_. Those who presumed to speak in God's name, delivering a message that God had not commanded them to, were to be put to \_\_\_\_\_.
10. The first test of a prophetic word was whether what was \_\_\_\_\_ came about just as the prophet had proclaimed it would.
11. The second test of a prophetic word was whether it was in keeping with the larger \_\_\_\_\_ of God's word.
12. In the past, God spoke to His people through the prophets He raised up, but in these last days He has spoken to us by His Son (\_\_\_\_\_). (Hebrews 1:1-2)
13. Jesus, who "*is the \_\_\_\_\_ of God's glory and the \_\_\_\_\_ representation of His being*" is the *greatest of the prophets*. (Hebrews 1:3)
14. In the New Testament we find that the teachings of the \_\_\_\_\_ begin to fulfill the role formally filled by the prophets – the proclamation of, and instruction in, God's word.
15. In the New Testament we see a transition from the \_\_\_\_\_ of the prophet to the \_\_\_\_\_ of prophecy.
16. Today, those with the gift of prophecy speak to God's people in order to instruct, \_\_\_\_\_, encourage, and comfort them.
17. In this sense, much of \_\_\_\_\_ would be understood as prophetic because it is the fortelling of the already revealed word of God, bringing spiritual truths to bear on the present moments of our lives.
18. But the gift of prophecy is not \_\_\_\_\_ expressed through preaching but can be experienced between individual believers as well.
19. WARNING: False Prophets Abound in Our Day! Therefore, we are to \_\_\_\_\_ the spirits to see if they are from God or not. (1 John 4:1)
20. Prophecy is no longer the main guide for God's people as it once was. Today we have the completed, written \_\_\_\_\_, and the \_\_\_\_\_ as our guide.
21. REMEMBER: All prophetic messages need to be \_\_\_\_\_ in light of God's already revealed word.

#### Questions to Ask as You Test a Prophetic Word:

- A) Is this word in agreement with the larger testimony of Scripture? (God will not contradict Himself.)
- B) Does this word serve to instruct, build up, encourage, or comfort God's people, with God's truth? Or does it simply tell us what our itching ears want to hear?
- C) Does this word claim some new revelation from God? (We have the eternal word made complete – no new revelation is needed or possible.)