

PRAYER & FASTING

“I AM WHO I AM.”
E X O D U S 3 : 1 4

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For centuries men of **various philosophical** schools have **debated** the **cause, course,** and **climax** of **human history**. Some **deny** God and **therefore** deny any divine involvement in history. **Others** believe that God set everything **in motion**, then **withdrew** to let it progress on its own. Still others believe that **God is intimately** involved in the flow of human history and **is directing** its course toward a specific, predetermined climax.

In [Ep 1:9-10](#) Paul settles that debate by reminding us that Jesus Himself is the **goal of human history**. In Him all things will be summed up; all human history will **be resolved and united** to the Father through the work of the Son.

As Paul said in Scripture...“...it was the **Father's good pleasure** for **all** the **fulness** [of Deity] to **dwell** in [Christ], and **through Him** to **reconcile all**

things to Himself, having made peace through the blood of His cross” ([Col 1:19-20](#)).

The **culmination** of Christ's **reconciling** work will come after **His millennial Kingdom** on earth ends. When satan & his followers (angelic and human) are finally **(forever)** put down and (our **ABBA**...i.e. our **Daddy**) will at long last put a **PERIOD** on this thing we call **TIME**. [Rev 20](#),

Before **we enter eternity** Scriptures says “... (Christ) will **yield** (hand) the **Kingdom** back to the Father. ([Rev 21](#)), Following that, **GOD** will **usher in the eternal state with a new heaven and new earth**



“Be still, and know
that I am God!”

I AM EXALTED AMONG THE NATIONS,
I AM EXALTED IN THE EARTH.”

PSALM 46:10, NRSV

So despite the, **effects** of the **WORLDWIDE** pandemic upon **individuals & families**. The **political, social** (*incl. social media*) **confusion, the economic UPHEAVAL** that's before us along with the **military unrest in Ukraine & other nations** in the **world today**.

BE **ASSURED** that God (*our Abba i.e. our Daddy*) **is in control**. He **governs the world** ([Isa 40:22-24](#)), the **nations** ([Isa 40:15-17](#)), and **individuals** as well ([Pr 16:9](#)).

So relax... SAINTS... **GOD's timetable** is **right on schedule**. **Nothing** takes Him by **surprise**, and **nothing thwarts** His **purposes**. Ultimately... through CHRIST He will **vanquish evil and will make everything right in HIM**.

We here at **Christian Fellowship Church of Detroit** we are **currently** studying the **Book of Revelation** and **witnessing** the **character** of the **TRIUNE** GOD's **involvement** in history, come **out and join us in this study**, as we **move closer** towards the **climax of human history**.

We're at the **cliff's edge**...think. What we are experiencing today means we are that much closer to...**Christ Return**

Finally saints... we Elders along with many saints are mindful of and praying **foremost** for our **brothers & sisters** who **have for one reason or another** as the Scriptures say... forsaken, the

ASSEMBLY of themselves...(**think Zoom**)
listen... **we get it!**

We thank **GOD** for that **medium**, we especially saw **the benefit** of it during the **Pandemic**... and it's **continual** use in ministry (think the **REAL** shut-in's & unsaved for starters) but let's get **REAL** ...we never **BELIEVED** it was **Scripturally** a **SUBSTITUTE** for biblical **Koinonia** (**Church**).

That is why we (the **Elders**) in **CHRIST's name** do say to those who are **HIS CHILDREN**...it's **TIME** for you to come **HOME** and let us as **ONE** re-establish His fellowship (**HIS CHURCH**) and **OCCUPY** (*i.e. doing His will*) till he comes. Finally, if I may be as bold to borrow (paraphrase) the Apostle John

“...we are writing to you, **young people**, because **your sins** have been **forgiven on account of his name**... we are writing to you **Father's & Mothers** because you have **known HIM** from the beginning...we are writing to you **Young Adults** because you are strong and the word of God lives in you.” [1John 2:12 -14] emphasis mine.

This Sunday...on the Lord's day at 9:30 and 11:15am we will gather at the church...**Will you be there?** Our hope that you will respond to the Spirit's **calling**.

Suggestions for Prayer: **Thank God** for the **wisdom and insight** He gives you to see beyond

your temporal circumstances to His eternal purposes. • LET US today LIVE with that perspective in mind.

For Further Study: Read [Rev 20](#). •

What happens to Satan prior to the millennial Kingdom? • How does Satan meet his final doom? • What happens at the Great White Throne Judgment?

so... let's remember what **Christ taught His Apostles (and us) ...THY WILL BE DONE ON EARTH AS IT IS IN HEAVEN**

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