

2024-10-06 Elder Paul Cornish - Roll Call - Song and Worship Service Notes

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35:23 Invocation/Pastoral Prayer: Elder Ken Schmidt

40:03 Welcome and Call to Worship: Elder Scott Eastin

52:55 Special Music: “Come Ye Sinners” - Jessica Tandy

01:12:35 Special Music: "Not I, But Through Christ In Me" - Jessica Tandy

01:18:15 Sermon: “Roll Call” - Elder Paul Cornish

Sermon Overview

Elder Paul Cornish shares a scripture reading from Romans 10, which emphasizes the importance of confessing Jesus as Lord for salvation. Elder Cornish reflects on personal loss and the significance of community in honoring those who have passed away, particularly veterans. He encourages all to openly confess their faith in Jesus, reminding them that true belief leads to salvation and impacts others positively. Ultimately, the message is to acknowledge and share one’s faith in every aspect of life.

Highlights

1. **Confession for Salvation:** Acknowledging Jesus brings salvation.
2. **Unity in Belief:** No differences among believers, all are equal in Christ.
3. **Sacrifice of Jesus:** Remembering the sacrifice for our redemption.
4. **Community and Loss:** Honoring fallen friends and loved ones.
5. **Roll Call:** The significance of being recognized in faith.
6. **Living Faith:** Confessing Christ in all walks of life.
7. **Call to Action:** Encouragement to share the Gospel confidently.

Key Insights

1. **Power of Confession:** Confessing with our mouths what we believe in our hearts is crucial for our salvation. This highlights the importance of both belief and vocal acknowledgment in the Christian faith.
2. **Universal Salvation:** The verse illustrates that salvation through Christ is available to all, regardless of background, reinforcing the idea of unity among believers and the inclusive nature of God’s love.

3. **Cultural Remembrance:** Elder Cornish reflects on how cultures remember their dead, paralleling this with the Christian tradition of communion, emphasizing the importance of remembrance in faith and community.
4. **Impact of Community:** The roll call tradition among veterans signifies the importance of community in mourning and celebrating life, indicating that our connections with others can help us navigate grief.
5. **Faith's Visibility:** Confessing faith publicly can lead to the salvation of others, suggesting that living out one's faith can be a powerful witness.
6. **Urgency in Confession:** The call to confess Christ is presented as urgent; failing to do so could lead to spiritual silence in the end, emphasizing the need for active faith.
7. **Simplicity of the Gospel:** The message encourages believers to share the Gospel simply and joyfully, making it accessible and relatable, rather than complicated. This is a reminder that faith should be a source of joy and not a burden.