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THE TEACHABLE TEACHER

MESSAGE FROM PASTOR



Acts 18:24-27
 Now a Jew named Apollos, a native of Alexandria, came to Ephesus. He was an eloquent man, competent in the Scriptures. He had been instructed in the way of the Lord. And being fervent in spirit, he spoke and taught accurately the things concerning Jesus, though he knew only the baptism of John. He began to

...speak boldly in the synagogue, but when Priscilla and Aquila heard him, they took him aside and explained to him the way of God more accurately. And when he wished to cross to Achaia, the brothers encouraged him and wrote to the disciples to welcome him. When he arrived, he greatly helped those who through grace had believed

This little vignette of Apollos presents important lessons for those who would serve the Lord. Apollos shows up in Ephesus with an impressive resume. He is eloquent, competent in the Scriptures, fervent in spirit, accurate in his knowledge of Jesus, and bold in his declaration of Christ. However, unbeknownst to him, while his knowledge was accurate, it was incomplete (verse 25). Priscilla and Aquila, two more seasoned Christians, heard him, took him aside and provided further instructions for him.

Apollos' response to this intervention revealed another facet of his wonderful character. He was teachable. He was humble enough to allow other Christians to pour into his life and help him become a better witness for Christ. We all need those same qualities of humility

and teachability. Just because we are gifted, passionate and even somewhat knowledgeable, does not mean we cannot grow and improve in our Christian walk and ministry. We must be willing to receive help and instruction from each other so that we can be equipped to "greatly help" others who believe in Christ.


One of the greatest "abilities" God can use is teachability.

How teachable are you?

God bless you,

Pastor James

BE NOT WISE IN YOUR OWN EYES



When pride comes, then comes disgrace,
 but with the humble is wisdom.

Proverbs 11:2

WHAT'S HAPPENING

<p>CORPORATE PRAYER TUE @ 7 PM</p> <p>Mar 1</p> <p>Join us via Zoom video</p> <p>Please contact Pastor James for log on information at rcantio@gmail.com</p>	<p>EVENING SERVICE 1st & 3rd SUN @ 6 PM</p> <p>Mar 6 & Mar 20</p> <p>Join us in-person at church.</p>	<p>WORSHIP SERVICE SUN @ 11 AM</p> <p>Mar 6</p> <p>In-person service & livestream.</p> <p>Livestreaming only on Facebook and our church's website.</p>
<p>GROWTH GROUPS THU & FRI @ 7 PM</p> <p>Mar 3 & Mar 4</p> <p>In-person at church.</p> <p>Plan to attend one convenient to you.</p>	<p>YOUTH GROUP FRI @ 6:45 PM</p> <p>Mar 4</p> <p>Youth meetings are in-person at church.</p> <p>For ages 13 & older</p>	<p>KIDZONE SUN @ 11 AM</p> <p>Mar 6</p> <p>Kidzone is available every Sunday during the morning service.</p> <p>For ages 6 – 12 yrs. old.</p>

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- **Growth Groups continue this week on Thursday & Friday at 7 pm at church.** Sign up at the Information Center or Online to attend a group convenient to you. Preparatory questions are available at the Information Center and on our website.
- We'll celebrate the Lord's Supper in the service on Sunday morning. Please be sure to have your supplies on hand if you will be participating from home.
- If you haven't turned in your donation for the Baby Bottle Fundraiser yet, please do so right away as the cutoff date was Feb 27.
- Help BCM Peru purchase a new ministry van. Donate today to help us as a church raise \$2000 of the total price of \$20,000.
- Giving Statements for 2021 are available at the Information Center at church.
- Bible Reading plans for 2022 are now available at the Information Center. Also, read Pastor Jimmie's daily blog on the readings via the link on our website.

QUICK TIPS

Two ways to give your offering. Traditional with a check by mail or through our secured website online giving is now possible. Please remember to hit "SAVE" after you give if you did not set up an account so the church can have a record of who gave for tax purposes. Thank you!