

Welcome to the church of Christ at Alisal



Sermons for the Lord's Day

A.M. - Introduction to Philippians
P.M. - Salutation

Announcements

Alisal Weekly

1. **Romans Class This Wednesday at 6:30 pm** - Chapter 12 #4
2. **Wednesday Invitation** - Charles
3. **Think!** *What are your Christian talents?*

What will your answer be?

We are praying for you!



Prayer List

1. **Don and Sheri Blackwell** - for successful recovery from their injuries.
2. **Rosemarie Johnson** - for rest, less pain and better health.
3. **Norma Decker** - for better health and strength to be with us.
4. **Teresa Battle** - for comfort and joy in her life.
5. **Loyd Barry** - for finding other Christians to worship with in Elko, Nevada
6. **Bobby Glover** - for wisdom to teach the lost.
7. **Raymond and Virginia Elliott** - for good health and strength to continue teaching those in and outside the body of Christ.
8. **David Smith**- for success and spiritual strength in his service to the Lord.
9. **The church at Winslow Arizona** - for great success as a mission church to the Native Americans and other minorities in their area.

Lessons from a Watermelon

William Jennings Bryan wrote of a visit he made to a restaurant in which he ordered a slice of watermelon.

He writes, "I was so pleased with the taste of the melon that I took the seeds home with me to plant in my garden. That night a thought came to my mind. How many watermelon seeds would it take to make a pound? The next day I weighed them and found that it would take about 5,000 dried seeds to weigh one pound. A few weeks later I planted just one of the seeds. Under the influence of sunshine and shower, the little seed had taken off its coat and gone to work. It had gathered from somewhere two hundred thousand times its own weight, and forced the enormous weight through a tiny stem and built a watermelon. On the outside it had a covering of green and within a rind of white, and within that a core of red; and then it had scattered through the red many little black seeds each one capable of doing the same thing over again."

He continues, "What architect drew the plan? Where did that little seed get its tremendous strength? Where did it find its flavoring, extract, and coloring matter? How did it build a watermelon? Until you can explain a watermelon, do not be too sure that you can set limits to the power of the Almighty. The most learned men in the world cannot explain a watermelon, but the most ignorant man can eat one and enjoy it. God has given us the knowledge necessary to use those things, and the truth He has revealed to us is infinitely more important for our welfare than it would be to understand the mysteries that He has seen fit to conceal from our faltering view."



[Jesus concluded his explanation of the parable of the sower and the seeds:] "And the seeds that fell on the good soil represent honest, good-hearted people who hear God's word, cling to it, and patiently produce a huge harvest." — Luke 8:15

Thought:

Good soil! That's what the message of Jesus, the gospel of the Kingdom of God, is looking to find. What is that good soil? It is a heart that is open, honest, and good — a heart that is genuinely searching for the truth. Is that your heart? Fruitfulness is the natural spiritual result of a heart that is open to God and that clings to the message of God's good news. How's your heart?

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“Aim at Heaven and you will get earth ‘thrown in’:
aim at earth and you will get neither.”

— C. S. LEWIS

Walk in wisdom toward them that are without, redeeming the time. Let your speech be always with grace, seasoned with salt, that ye may know how ye ought to answer every man.
Colossians 4:5-6



The only thing missing is you!

Meeting Days and Times

Sunday 9:00 am Class - 10:00 am & 5:00 pm Worship
Wednesday Bible Class, singing & prayer - 6:30 pm

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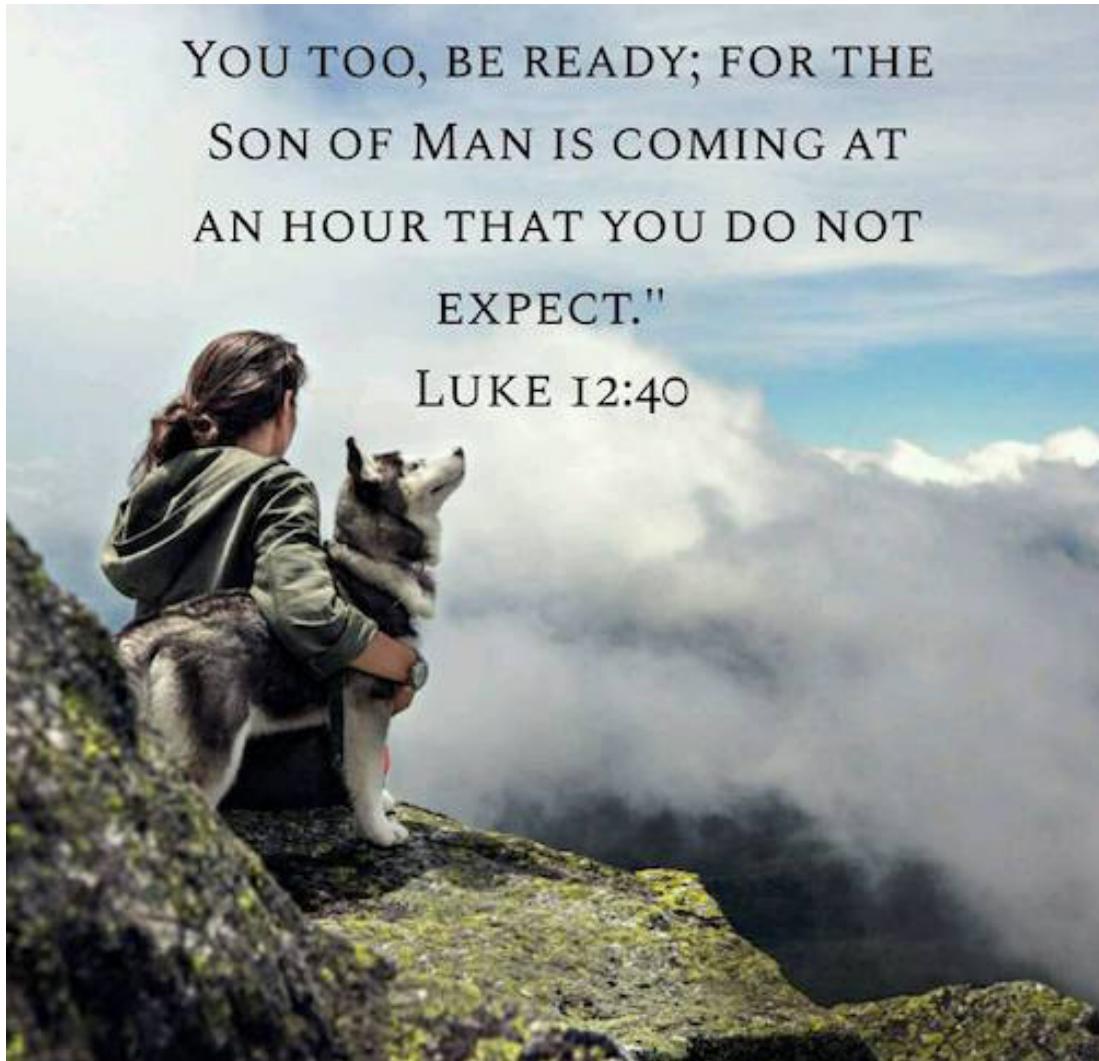
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SON OF MAN IS COMING AT
AN HOUR THAT YOU DO NOT
EXPECT."

LUKE 12:40