

Questions from the Sermon

February 28, 2021

1. If you had to choose between a Sci-Fi movie or a movie about Supernatural events or powers, which would you choose?

-What is your favorite Sci-fi movie or movies about the Supernatural?

2. Why do you think so many people enjoy these kinds of movies or stories?

3. Do you like when the Bible talks about things that seem Supernatural or 'strange' and are hard to explain? Why or why not?

READ...1 PETER 3:18-22

4. If you had to explain this passage to someone, what would you tell them is the main point of these verses?

5. C.S Lewis once said, "There are two equal and opposite errors into which our race can fall about the devils. One is to disbelieve in their existence. The other is to believe, and to feel an excessive and unhealthy interest in them."

-Which error do you believe to be more prevalent in the North American church today?

-What about in the culture around us? Is it similar to when you were growing up, or do you think it's less or more?

-Do you believe these verses do a good job of dealing with this issue?

6. What do you think of Pastor Curt's explanation of who these 'spirits in prison' were -and what Jesus proclaimed to them?

-have you ever read or studied this passage before? Was this similar or different to what you have understood?

READ Genesis 6:1-8

7. Who are the different groups mentioned in this passage? (*hint – there are at least 4*)

-How would you describe these different groups? Are they all explainable?

(*hint: Pastor Curt mentioned the 'sons of God' are often considered fallen angels*)

8. After reading the passage, does it change how you view how things were before the flood?

9. Reading this passage...what would you say is the key point being made here?

-How is the story of Noah a good picture of the Gospel message?

10. Peter compares the flood and the salvation of Noah's family to Baptism

-How would you explain the connection?

-Does this help give baptism more or less priority in your mind?

-If you are not baptized, what has kept you from taking that important step?

11. Back in 1 Peter 3:22, who is mentioned and what picture does this give you of how things are today?

12. What main point do you believe Peter is trying to make to the followers of Jesus he is writing to who are suffering so much?

-Does this same message help you today to be encouraged and to endure?