

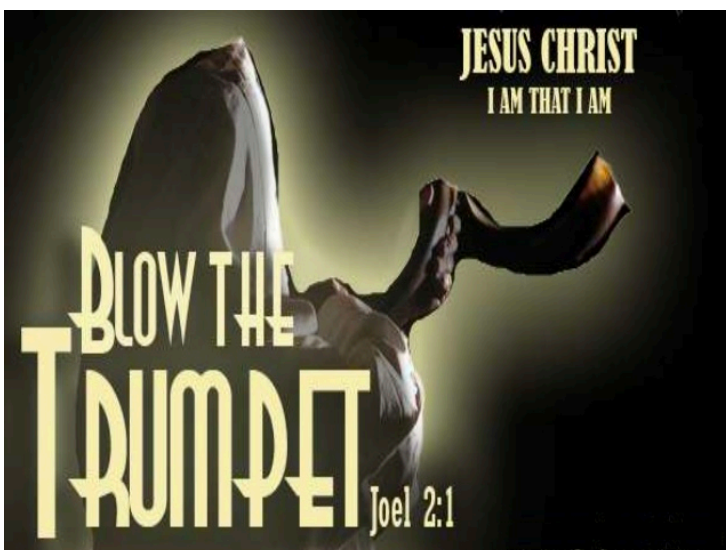


The tribe of Issachar supplied 200 leaders, along with all of their relatives under their command. They kept up-to-date in their understanding of the times and knew what Israel should do. - 1 Chronicles 12:32 ISV



# SOUND THE ALARM!

Seeking The Savior to understand the Times of Today



The Word of The Lord came to me saying...

**Blow the trumpet in Jerusalem (Zion)!**  
**Sound the alarm on my holy (sacred) mountain! Let everyone tremble in fear because the day of the LORD is upon us.**  
-Joel 2:1

Seeking, Praying, & Sleeping...

Business as usual, way it was, disenfranchised, economic spiral, confused

Ephesians 5:13 But everything exposed by the light becomes visible, for everything that is illuminated becomes a light itself. 14 So it is said: "Wake up, O sleeper, rise up from the dead, and Christ will shine on you." 15 Pay careful attention, then, to how you walk, not as unwise but as wise, 16 redeeming the time, because the days are evil. 17 Therefore do not be foolish, but understand what the Lord's will is. 18 Do not get drunk on wine, which leads to reckless indiscretion. Instead, be filled with the Spirit - ***fell asleep before Jesus***

Isaiah 60: 1 Arise, shine; For your light has come! And the glory of the Lord is risen upon you. 2 For behold, the darkness shall cover the earth, And deep darkness the people; But the Lord will arise over you, And His glory will be seen upon you. 3 The Gentiles shall come to your light, And kings to the brightness of your rising.



Isaiah 51:17 Wake up, Wake up (Wake yourselves) , stand up, O Jerusalem, you who have drunk from the hand of the LORD the cup of his wrath, who have drunk to the dregs the bowl, the cup of staggering. - ***Alarms***

Malachi 4:2 "But for you who fear my name, the Sun of Righteousness will rise with healing in his wings. And you will go free, leaping with joy like calves let out to pasture.

Isaiah 52:1 Awake, Awake, clothe yourself with strength, O Zion! Put on your garments of splendor, O Jerusalem, Holy City! For the unclean and godless will no longer enter you.

## The Lord Jesus Teaching us

### "our" Prayer Matthew 6:

9 After this manner therefore pray ye:

Our Father which art in heaven,  
Hallowed be thy name.

10 Thy kingdom come,  
Thy will be done in earth,  
as it is in heaven.

11 Give us this day our daily bread.

12 And forgive us our trespasses,  
as we forgive those who trespass against us.

13 And lead us not into temptation,  
but deliver us from evil (evil one & sickness):  
For thine is the kingdom, and the power,  
and the glory, for ever. Amen.

# Joel 2

**a prophetic view** - simply sounding the alarm for bcc to wake up to Christ's harvest call: repent, save, restore, Spirit

## Alarms

Waking Up!

Wrong

Warning

"Thy Will" - main point.

Not All change in a day...  
Have we ever been forgiven? Can we forgive, the failures and flaws of the governing authorities and power; rioters & looters, abusers & brutality; injustice when it seems to be "just us."  
Temptations - assault & attack of terrorism on my heart. (Hebrews 3:8,15)

Romans 13: 10c "Love your neighbor as yourself." b 10 Love does no harm to a neighbor. Therefore love is the fulfillment of the law. 11 And do this, understanding the present time: The hour has already come for you to wake up from your slumber, because our salvation is nearer now than when we first believed.



# Joel 2: 1-32

Selected Verses		Prophetic Views
vs. 1		OT Prophecy is predictive of the future; & also seeing & speaking relevance to current issues & culture
vs. 2		These Times ; Rejecting Racism
vs. 5		So many voices ; So many sounds
vs. 6		ANGER ; FEAR ; AGENDA ; GREED ; POWER
vs. 9		This week I sat with... couples, sick, buyers, adulterer, politically minded, email, bible teachers, abused
vs. 10		Main Street Reality
vs. 12		1 Hour Prayer A Day — versus cnn / fox / fb
vss.15-16		UNITY
vs. 17		what kind of slave... — Heroe is H.T.; Moses
vs. 19		Essentials- life depend on it: Word, Prayer, Worship, Faith obedience; Food, clothing, shelter, well
vs. 22		Focused Fruition
vs. 23		Prophetic Future
vs. 24		Essentials- life depend on it: Word, Prayer, Worship, Faith obedience (Heb 10/11 ; John H.S.) Food, clothing, shelter, well
vs. 25		Prophetic Future; Eternal Purpose Everlasting Covenant Educational Knowledge Economic Stability
vs. 26		Honoring in whom we disagree
vs. 28		The Prophecy over us; - Vision - SAVE
vs. 31		Seeking: Signs of the Times
vs. 32		Saved from sin & ourselves

1 Peter 4: 12 Dear friends, don't be surprised at the fiery trials you are going through, as if something strange were happening to you. 13Instead, be very glad—for these trials make you partners with Christ in his suffering, so that you will have the wonderful joy of seeing his glory when it is revealed to all the world. 14If you are insulted because you bear the name of Christ, you will be blessed, for the glorious Spirit of God rests upon you. 15 If you suffer, however, it must not be for murder, stealing, making trouble, or prying into other people's affairs. 16But it is no shame to suffer for being a Christian. Praise God for the privilege of being called by his name! 17For the time has come for judgment, and it must begin with God's household. And if judgment begins with us, what terrible fate awaits those who have never obeyed God's Good News? 18And also, "If the righteous are barely saved, what will happen to godless sinners?" 19So if you are suffering in a manner that pleases God, keep on doing what is right, and trust your lives to the God who created you, for he will never fail you. **Matthew 9: 35 - 10:8**