



PREACHING CURRICULUM

BUILDING GOD'S WAY - PSALM 127

"The providence of God means the continuing action of God in preserving his creation and guiding it toward his intended purposes"
- Millard Erikson

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REVIEW THE SERMON

"If He is not in it, we won't succeed."

What is the providence of God? How would you define it? What are the implications of God's providence? _____

Why do we not have to be anxious in our lives as we work and build? _____

2

ASSESS YOUR LIFE

"If He is in it, we need not be anxious."

Do you believe and live in the reality of the providence of God? How does it affect your Christian life? _____

Are you tempted to work, serve, or build in your own strength and not in God's strength and direction? How have you combated that desire in your own life? _____

3

APPLY THE TRUTH

"If He is in it, it will succeed. There will be fruit."

How can you pray, build, watch, and give in a particular area/work the Lord has for you right now? _____

How are you anxious or worried as you are trying to work and build? How can you affirm truth and think rightly to not operate out of anxiety? _____

Big Idea: Human effort must have His/ God's blessing and involvement in order to be truly successful.

How should we understand God's providence and what are the implications of it?

1. If God is not in it, our efforts are wasted. Psalm 127:1; 75:6-7
2. Pray. Build. Watch. Give.
3. If God is in it, there's no need to be anxious. Psalm 127:2; 3:1-6; 37:1-2
4. If God is in it, there will be fruit. Psalm 127:3-5

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COMMIT THIS WEEK

How will you commit to praying, building, and watching in your life/ministry this week? _____

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PRAYER REQUESTS/PRAISE REPORTS

DATE: _____

PERSON	REQUEST	ANSWER/PRAISE REPORT