



SUNDAY SERMON

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Sermon Notes

Sermon Title: The name of JESUS

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Key Scripture: Philippians 2

Introduction

Do you love the name of Jesus?

Song - What a beautiful name it is, the name of Jesus Christ my King.

Isaiah 26:8 NIV

Yes, Lord, walking in the way of your laws, we wait for you; your name and renown are the desire of our hearts.

We are called to live for the name and renown of the Lord Jesus Christ, and for his glory.

The name Jesus means Saviour.

Jesus is the Greek form of the Hebrew name Yeshua, or Joshua.

Matthew 1:21 NKJV

And she will bring forth a Son, and you shall call His name Jesus, for He will save His people from their sins.

The name Christ means anointed. Christ is a title given to Jesus that refers to Him as the anointed one. The Messiah.

Acts 10:38 NKJV

³⁸ how God anointed Jesus of Nazareth with the Holy Spirit and with power, who went about doing good and healing all who were oppressed by the devil, for God was with Him.

Jesus is our anointed Saviour.



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1. The name above all names

Phil 2:9-11 NKJV

⁹ Therefore God also has highly exalted Him and given Him the name which is above every name, ¹⁰ that at the name of Jesus every knee should bow, of those in heaven, and of those on earth, and of those under the earth, ¹¹ and *that* every tongue should confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father.

Song: It's the name above all name, and we will declare it to a dying world.

Why do people curse using the name Jesus or Christ?

It is because there is rebellion in their hearts, and they want to rebel against the highest authority.

How did Jesus get so exalted. It is because of His humility. He humbled himself, even to death on a cross. So, the Father exalted Him.

There will come a day where every knee will bow and every tongue confess that Jesus Christ is Lord.

2. No other name by which we can be saved.

Universalism is a lie. It teaches that everyone will be reconciled to God and go to heaven. But this is false. It is heresy.

An Anglican archbishop in our country held to this belief. He was widely praised by many Christian leaders because of his good works, but their praise should have been more circumspect. His view regarding universalism should have been challenged.

When we are ambassadors of Jesus Christ, we don't have the right to represent our own opinions, we represent the truth that Jesus taught.

Acts 4:12 NKJV / GW

¹² Nor is there salvation in any other, for there is no other name under heaven given among men by which we must be saved."

In the God's Word Translation it reads as follows, "No one else can save us. Indeed, we can be saved only by the power of the one named Jesus and not by any other person."

Contemporary culture wants us to believe that there are many ways to be saved. But this is not true. We should not be concerned about being popular but about being true to the Word of God.



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3. Honour His Name.

Matthew 6:9 NKJV

⁹ In this manner, therefore, pray: Our Father in heaven, Hallowed be Your name.

To hallow means to respect, to revere, to honor, to esteem.

We need to hallow the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit and hold them in the highest regard. Their names should be hallowed and revered. We need to honor the name of the Lord, and we need to teach our children to do this too.

Exodus 20:7 KJV

⁷ Thou shalt not take the name of the Lord thy God in vain; for the Lord will not hold him guiltless that taketh his name in vain.

If you have used the name of Jesus in vain you need to repent, ask the Lord to forgive you and then endeavour to not use His name in vain again.

Malachi 1:11 ESV

¹¹ For from the rising of the sun to its setting my name will be great among the nations, and in every place incense will be offered to my name, and a pure offering. For my name will be great among the nations, says the Lord of hosts.

4. There is power in the name of Jesus

Mark 16:17-18 NKJV

¹⁷ And these signs will follow those who [\[a\]](#)believe: In My name they will cast out demons; they will speak with new tongues; ¹⁸ they [\[b\]](#)will take up serpents; and if they drink anything deadly, it will by no means hurt them; they will lay hands on the sick, and they will recover.”

Jesus has power and authority. And in His name we can live and minister with power and authority.

James 2:19 NKJV

¹⁹ You believe that there is one God. You do well. Even the demons believe—and tremble!

We need to declare the name of Jesus.

Song - I just want to speak the name of Jesus.

In Acts 5:40 NKJV we read, “⁴⁰ And they agreed with him, and when they had called for the apostles and beaten *them*, they commanded that they should not speak in the name of Jesus, and let them go.”

They did this because there is power in the name of Jesus. But the apostles were determined to obey God rather than men. Don't let anyone ever stop you from declaring the name of Jesus. Be wise, yes, but remember that you are under mandate to speak in His name.



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5. Call upon the name of the Lord and be saved.

Romans 10:13 (NKJV)

¹³ For “whoever calls on the name of the Lord shall be saved.”

This primarily refers to salvation, but it also refers to deliverance in times of peril.

Example of Pastor Ed and Pal travelling back from East London. Could have had a car accident but called on the name of Jesus, and He saved them.

There are times where all we need to do is call on the name of Jesus.



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