

"Antisemitism: The World's Oldest Hatred" (Isaiah 41:8-13)

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"But as for you, Israel my servant, Jacob my chosen one, descended from Abraham my friend, I have called you back from the ends of the earth, saying, 'You are my servant.' For I have chosen you and will not throw you away." (Isaiah 41:8-9)

25 9AM Colin Lituri

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Thought for the Week

God's Covenant

In 1963 the American television show Let's Make a Deal came on the air. It awarded prizes for the choices that the contestants made in the show. They could choose what lay behind curtain one, two or three. Their choices won them either desirable rewards or undesirable consequences.

In Genesis 17:8, God made a forever covenant with Abraham in regard to the land of Israel "And I will give the entire land of Canaan, where you now live as a foreigner, to you and your descendants. It will be their possession forever, and I will be their God."

In Exodus 19:5&6, God made a conditional covenant with Moses about how He would bless the Hebrew people. "Now therefore, if you will indeed obey My voice and keep My covenant, then you shall be a special treasure to Me above all people; for all the earth is Mine. And you shall be to Me a kingdom of priests and a holy nation"

In the New Testament, God has made a forever covenant with the destiny of people who accept Jesus as their Saviour. John 3:16 "For God so loved the world that he gave his one and only Son, that whoever believes in him shall not perish but have eternal life" With God, forever is forever and eternal is eternal. James 1:25 says "But if you look carefully into the perfect law that sets you free, and if you do what it says and don't forget what you heard, then God will bless you for doing it"

While a Christian's destiny may be secure, like the people of Israel, the blessings that God bestows upon us are conditional on the choices we make as to whether to obey Him or not.

Regards, Greg Blunden

Prayer Points

• Pray for Elaine Rose's eldest grandson Matt. He has 3 young children and at just 37 has just been diagnosed with bowel and liver cancer and has to undergo strong chemotherapy

- Pray for Ruth Sinclair as she is at home recovering after a fall she had last week. Pray also for Alan as he supports her during this time of recovery
- Pray for Lesley as she recovers from her operation on Thursday
- Pray for the people of Israel, not only for the war that is going on but also pray that the world-wide anti-Semitic attitude that running amuck in the world would cease

Whatson?

If you would like to know more about our Home Groups, contact Beth Pfeffer 0449 584 284

MONDAY
5PM Walking Soccer
BIRTHDAYS: 30th Paul Cracknell, 31st Alice Dacombe

TUESDAY
9:30AM Playgroup

WEDNESDAY
9AM Prayer Meeting

THURSDAY
9AM Quilters/Craft

FRIDAY
9:30AM Playgroup
4PM Kids Ignite
& Youth





Whoever keeps commandments keeps their life, but whoever shows contempt for their ways will die.

- PROVERBS 19:16 NIV

WALKING SOCCER MISSION'S FUNDRAISER

The fundraising at the walking soccer festival raised over \$700 for missions. A big thank you to all of those who served, cooked and made goods.

FATHER'S DAY

Next week we are putting on a special morning tea for Father's Day. We would appreciate it if any woman would be able to provide food for the morning tea.

ANEW LADIES CONFERENCE

A number of our women are away this weekend at the ANEW Ladies Conference

SOS OUTING

The SOS outing this month will be Mary Cairncross Park on Thursday 29th August. Please see the form in the foyer for more details. Last week to let Anneli know if you are coming.

MAF FUNDRAISER

On the 25th August and the 1st September we will be raising funds for MAF, in there 'Fuel for Father's Day' Appeal

COOLUM FARM FRESH

Did you know that Coolum Farm Fresh donates fresh fruit for our Monday morning breakfasts for disadvantaged people? If you want good quality fruit at a competitive price then this is the place to go.