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Signs of the Times: Shining Bible Light on Current Events

The Lord has wrought many blessed judgments in the world this week which can be seen plainly by any who have been given eyes to see, ears to hear, and a heart to understand by the gracious hand of God. **“Son of man, thou dwellest in the midst of a rebellious house, which have eyes to see, and see not; they have ears to hear, and hear not: for they are a rebellious house.” (Ezekiel 12:2)** This entire world is a rebellious house! Therefore, the Lord, the God of Israel, is punishing the people of it! Let’s view some of this week’s judgments from the proper perspective:

This past week has been like many of the weeks before it: sheer chaos. Riots and protests are everywhere in response to law enforcement brutality. The lawless riots prompt the lawless police into more brutality which only furthers more protests and riots – in a ceaseless cycle. Neither group willing to let go of their own pride; protesters and police alike continue to gather en masse... in the middle of a plague. The COVID-19 pandemic continues to reign, and models continue to project that it will only continue to get worse. As the plague rages, schools across the nation are trying to force normalcy by holding classes in person. Inviting students in only to shut down days later when cases of COVID-19 spike. Meanwhile government officials sit on their hands in feigned concern. This week Nancy Pelosi, Speaker of the House, unwittingly stood representative of the entire United States. Mrs. Pelosi, in all her vanity and pride, decided to get her hair done at a closed salon in San Francisco, amid all this chaos. **“Favour is deceitful, and beauty is vain: but a woman that feareth the LORD, she shall be praised.” (Proverbs 31:30)** Despite all her words about wearing masks Mrs. Pelosi was filmed walking through the salon without a mask on when salons were not allowed to be operating in San Francisco under COVID restrictions. As one would expect from a ruler with no regard to her Maker, she actively refuses to take accountability for her actions and instead complains of being “set up”. Chaos reigns and Mrs. Pelosi chooses to get her hair done, how fitting. At the same time, President Trump is only concerned about his reelection, not actually running the country he was elected to and is vying to lead. Like Egypt of old, chaos reigns in our nation and the way to peace has been hid from our leaders like to door of Lot’s house: **“Surely the princes of Zoan are fools, the counsel of the wise counsellors of Pharaoh is become brutish: how say ye unto Pharaoh, I am the son of the wise, the son of ancient kings? Where are they? where are thy wise men? and let them tell thee now, and let them know what the LORD of hosts hath purposed upon Egypt. The princes of Zoan are become fools, the princes of Noph are deceived; they have also seduced Egypt, even they that are the stay of the tribes thereof. The LORD hath mingled a perverse spirit in the midst thereof: and they have caused Egypt to err in every work thereof, as a drunken man staggereth in his vomit.” (Isaiah 19:11-14)**. From Trump to Pelosi, police to protesters, Republican to Democrat everyone is looking for some solution to the nation’s problems; but will never find it – because they have forgotten God. Fix *that*. Repent of your proud sin, as a nation; establish righteousness; seek Jesus Christ. And peace will ensue. Without Jesus Christ there is no hope.

“The wicked shall be turned into hell, and all the nations that forget God.” (Psalms 9:17)

“For God giveth to a man that is good in his sight wisdom, and knowledge, and joy: but to the sinner he giveth travail, to gather and to heap up...” (Ecclesiastes 2:26)

“Righteousness exalteth a nation: but sin is a reproach to any people.” (Proverbs 14:34)

“Seek ye the LORD while he may be found, call ye upon him while he is near: Let the wicked forsake his way, and the unrighteous man his thoughts: and let him return unto the LORD, and he will have mercy upon him; and to our God, for he will abundantly pardon.” (Isaiah 55:6-7)

Woe to you who have hardened your hearts against the Lord and His word. The destruction of this world is imminent; you must believe on Christ, repent of your sins, and seek the Lord with humility. **“For Gaza shall be forsaken, and Ashkelon a desolation: they shall drive out Ashdod at the noon day, and Ekron shall be rooted up. Woe unto the inhabitants of the sea coast, the nation of the Cherethites! the word of the LORD is against you; O Canaan, the land of the Philistines, I will even destroy thee, that there shall be no inhabitant.” (Zephaniah 2:4-5)**

Repent or Perish!