



PLEASANT VIEW PROCLAIMER

March 12, 2023

<div>Welcome!</div> <div><p>Trust in the LORD</p><p>WITH ALL YOUR HEART and lean not on your own UNDERSTANDING in all your ways submit to Him AND HE WILL MAKE your paths straight</p><p>PROVERBS 35-6</p></div> <div><p>"In the world you will have tribulation; but be of good cheer, I have overcome the world"</p><p>Please come back tonight at 6pm to join us in a service in song!</p></div>	<div>Prayer List</div> <div><p>Sheila Krantz is recovering from her kidney surgery</p><p>Maria Hunter Harrington's surgery was rescheduled for March 27th</p><p>Weston Johnson's cancer has returned but is isolated to his lungs</p><p>Kim Waller is recovering well from her shoulder surgery</p><p>Elizabeth's grandmother Carol Saling has cancer</p><p>Forshia Pennington has cancer.</p><p>Continue to pray for: Carol Allen, Jo Walker, Pat Agee Sherry Russell, Keith Walker, Camille Brosky, Diane Singleton, Chelsea Roaden, those in Ukraine; Judy Cook, the Brown family, Kristine Garrett, Catherine Pennington, John Hayes, Nick Phifer, and Bill Gillock</p></div>	<div><p>We invite everyone to study the book of Romans with us this Wednesday night at 7:00; we will be in chapter 6 this week</p><p>Serving Today</p><p>Song Leader: Steve Buchanan</p><p>SUNDAY SCHOOL (9:30 am)</p><p>Scripture Reading: Eddie Walker</p><p>Prayer: David Billingsley</p><p>WORSHIP (10:30 am)</p><p>Scripture Reading: Charlie Baker Mark 1:29-31</p><p>Wait On Table: Jeff Baker</p><p>Serve: John Buchanan Doug Demonbreun</p><p>Prayer: Mike Reed</p></div>							
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1. The _____ in the Home

The Details

A. It was Serious

- Luke describes it as a "High" (Great) fever (**Lk 4:38**). Luke was a physician (**Col 4:14**).
- Peter and Andrew are concerned enough to "immediately" tell Jesus about her (**Mk 1:30**). Peter "appealed" to Jesus (**Lk 4:38**).

B. It was Sudden

- No indication that Peter knew about this before inviting Jesus into his home.

The Difficulty

- This comes just as Peter has given up his business and gone into full-time service for God (**Lk 5:1-11**).

Three important truths about trials:

A. The Exemption Fallacy

- The idea that God's people will escape earthly trials is not found in scripture (**Ps 39:14; Jam 1:1-12**)

B. The Enmity Factor

- Satan will come after us when we feel like we are at our highest spiritually.
- Jesus "rebuked" the fever (**Lk 4:39**), which implies that Satan is the source (**Lk 4:35**).

C. The Enlargement Feature

- God can use our toughest trials to deliver blessings (**Heb 12:11; Jam 1:1-12; Rom 5:1-5; 8:28**)

Peter was originally from Bethsaida (Jn 1:44) but now lives in Capernaum

Matthew 8:5-13 (ESV)

⁵ When he had entered **Capernaum**, a centurion came forward to him, appealing to him, ⁶ "Lord, my servant is lying paralyzed at home, suffering terribly." ⁷ And he said to him, "**I will come and heal him.**" ⁸ But the centurion replied, "Lord, I am not worthy to have you come under my roof, but only say the word, and my servant will be healed ... ¹³ And to the centurion Jesus said, "**Go; let it be done for you as you have believed.**" And the servant was healed at that very moment.

Luke 4:31-37 (ESV)

³¹ And he went down to **Capernaum**, a city of **Galilee**. And he was teaching them on the Sabbath, ³² and they were astonished at his teaching, for his word possessed authority. ³³ And in the synagogue there was a man who had the spirit of an unclean demon, and he cried out with a loud voice, ³⁴ "Ha! What have you to do with us, Jesus of Nazareth? Have you come to destroy us? I know who you are—the Holy One of God." ³⁵ But Jesus rebuked him, saying, "**Be silent and come out of him!**" And when the demon had thrown him down in their midst, he came out of him, having done him no harm. ³⁶ And they were all amazed and said to one another, "What is this word? For with authority and power he commands the unclean spirits, and they come out!" ³⁷ And reports about him went out into every place in the surrounding region.

Matthew 8:14-15 (ESV)

¹⁴ And when Jesus entered **Peter's** house, he saw his **mother-in-law** lying sick with a fever. ¹⁵ He touched her hand, and the fever left her, and she rose and began to serve him.

Mark 1:29-31 (ESV)

²⁹ And immediately he left the synagogue and entered the house of **Simon and Andrew, with James and John**. ³⁰ Now Simon's mother-in-law lay ill with a fever, and immediately they told him about her. ³¹ And he came and took her by the hand and lifted her up, and the fever left her, and she began to serve them.

Luke is the only one to place this before Peter being called by Jesus (5:1-11)

Luke 4:38-39 (ESV)

³⁸ And he arose and left the synagogue and entered Simon's house. Now Simon's mother-in-law was ill with a **high fever**, and they **appealed** to him on her behalf. ³⁹ And he **stood over her** and **rebuked** the fever, and it left her, and **immediately** she rose and began to serve **them**.

2. The _____ in the Home

A. The Petitions for Healing

- "immediately they told him..." (**Mk 1:30**)
- "they appealed to Him..." (**Lk 4:38**)
- They clearly recognized the power of Jesus...why?
- It is always wise to seek the Lord in times of trouble.

B. The Particulars of the Healing

- **Cognizance:** "He saw" (**Mt 8:14; Lk 12:7**)
- **Compassion:** "stood over her" (**Lk 4:39**)
- **Comfort:** "took her by the hand" (**Mk 1:31**)
- **Condemnation:** "rebuked the fever" (**Lk 4:39**)
- **Conquered:** "lifted her up" (**Mk 1:31**)

3. The _____ in the Home

A. The Evidence from her Ministry

- From "sick with a fever" (**Mt. 8:14**) to "immediately she rose and began to serve them" (**Lk 4:39**)
- The sudden change in her conduct meant that a miracle had taken place.

B. The Enabling for her Ministry

- She used this sudden change (blessing) as an opportunity to serve those in her home.