# **Sermon Notes**

### The Gospel of Christ Saves. Believe It. Share It.

1 Corinthians 15:1-11 by Christian Sanich, 11/15/2020

There may be Q&A at the end as time allows. So note your questions.

15:1-2 The true gospel saves.

The inclusion of Christ's resurrection in the gospel is critical.

For the gospel we believe to be saving, its content has to be consistent with the word of God.

If someone only believe the gospel for this life, it lacks a lot of purpose of believing the gospel, namely eternal salvation.

What do you believe?

#### 15:3-8 The gospel which Paul entrusted to the Corinthians

Christ died for our sins, and He was buried, and He was raised on the third day. Christ was raised from the dead, in the past, but also remains resurrected. He is still alive in heaven.

When you have the opportunity, share these basic facts of the gospel of Jesus Christ, and ask the person to believe.

Jesus' death and resurrection fulfilled O.T. prophecy, showing that Jesus is the Christ, the Savior who was promised from God.

Jesus was seen alive, after his death, by many people, on different occasions. This makes Jesus' resurrection as well attested to as any historical event which is trusted as fact.

## 15:9-11 Paul was a messenger of the gospel, by God's grace, and in delivering the message, the grace of God was with him.

We are not apostles, like Paul was, but we are called to be witnesses of Jesus Christ.

You know the gospel.

You don't have to convince people. God's grace will be with you.

#### What is your response to this? Discuss it with someone today.

Suggested related reading: 1 Peter 3:15

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