



**June 2, 2024**

**Call To Worship**

*Isaiah 33:5-6*

**Pastoral Prayer**

*Marty Brown*

*Teaching Pastor*

**Songs Of Worship**

*How Rich a Treasure*

*We Possess*

*How Firm a*

*Foundation*

**Scripture Reading**

*Luke 9:23-26*

**Songs Of Worship**

*Jesus, I My Cross*

*Have Taken*

*He Will Hold*

*Me Fast*

**Message**

*Marty Brown*

*Teaching Pastor*

**Song Of Response**

*Jesus, I My Cross*

*Have Taken*

“The only true church is truly apostolic. It is built on the foundation laid by the Apostles and holds the doctrines which they preached. The two grand objects at which its members aim are apostolic faith and apostolic practice; and they consider the man who talks of following the Apostles without possessing these two things to be no better than sounding brass and tinkling cymbal.” ~ J. C. Ryle

“We should not want a revival of experience alone without true reformation. And so the term revival is not adequate for our day unless we add the qualifiers ‘reformational’ or ‘Word-driven.’ It is not wrong to desire revival if we mean a revival that is a resurgence of correct believing along with the enlivening of our experience with God which comes out of (not apart from) that sound doctrine.” ~ Jim Elliff

“Only the truly faithful friend cares enough about you or me to undertake the often thankless task of pointing out where we are wrong. None of us enjoys being confronted with our faults or sins or mistakes, so we often make it difficult for our friends to do so. As a result, most of us are more concerned about speaking agreeableness to each other than about speaking the truth. This is not loyalty. Loyalty speaks the truth in faithfulness, but it also speaks the truth in love. Loyalty says, ‘I care enough about you that I will not allow you to continue unchecked in your wrong action or sinful attitude that will ultimately be harmful to you.’” ~ Jerry Bridges

“The ministry of encouragement is open to Christians as it is to no others. Christians have a new life in Christ, an all-powerful Holy Spirit to lead them into all the truth, and a Heavenly Father who will protect and bless them eternally. If any people anywhere are qualified and equipped to a ministry of positive and healthy encouragement in a desperately discouraging world, it is the Christian church.” ~ Derick Bingham

# Hold Fast the Treasure of God’s Word Entrusted to You

II Timothy 1:13-18

**Big Truth of this Series:** The apostle Paul encourages and warns Timothy and all believers to follow, entrust, and be always ready to proclaim God’s Word with confidence and joy as days of difficulty lie ahead.

**Big Truth of Today’s Message:** We must hold fast the treasure of God’s Word with faith, love, and the power of the Holy Spirit and be warned by remembering those who do not and be encouraged by remembering those who do.

vv. 13-14 – Be loyal to the treasure of God’s Word and never abandon it, with a spirit of faith and love empowered by the Holy Spirit.

v.15 – An example of disloyalty to the Word. We are to avoid people like this.

vv. 16-18 – An example of loyalty to the Word. We are to emulate people like this.