

CALLED TO BE A FIRSTFRUIT

5/16/21

* Today -- We are observing the Day of Pentecost
* Today -- I have the opportunity to give a Bible study
* Title -- Called to Be a Firstfruit

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Exod. 23:14	3 times a year
15	Feast of Unleavened Bread
16	Feast of Harvest -- Feast of Ingathering
Deut. 16:9-12	Feast of Weeks
13-15	Feast of Tabernacles
16	Feast of Unleavened Bread -- Feast of Weeks -- Feast of Tabernacles

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Rom. 1:16	for the Jew first -- also for the Greek
Rom. 2:5-6	judgment of God
7	doing good -- glory, honor & immortality
8-9	not obey -- indignation, wrath, tribulation and anguish -- to Jew first, also to Greek
10	do what is good -- to the Jew first, and also to the Greek
11	no partiality with God
	* No partiality -- the final judgment
	* Difference -- in time of the calling
Rom. 3:9	are Jews better than Greeks?
10-18	both are carnal
22	there is no difference
23	all have sinned and fall short of the glory of God

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Acts 2:1-5	day of Pentecost -- devout Jewish converts
Acts 10:44-48	Gentile converts

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1 Cor. 7:17	as the Lord has called each one -- so walk
18	called circumcised -- not become uncircumcised
	called uncircumcised -- not become circumcised
19	circumcision is nothing -- uncircumcision is
nothing -- keeping	the commandments of God is what matters
20	remain in same calling -- in which called

21-23 slavery
24 let each one remain with God in the state in which
he was called
1 Cor. 12:12 body is many members
13 by one Spirit, we were all baptized into one body
-- whether Jews or Greeks
14 the body is many members
20 there are many members, but one body
25 there should be no schism in the body -- the
members should have the same care for one
another
26 if one member suffers, all the members suffer
with it -- if one member is honored, all
the members rejoice with it
1 Cor. 15:20 Christ -- has become the firstfruits of those
who have fallen asleep
23 each in his own order -- Christ -- afterwards,
those who are Christ's at His coming

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Luke 12:47 knew his master's will, and did not prepare himself
-- beaten with many stripes
48 he who did not know, and committed things worthy of
stripes -- beaten with few stripes
John 12:47 hear & does not believe -- no judgment
48 rejects -- has one who judges him

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1 Cor. 3:6 Paul planted -- Apollos watered -- God gave the
increase
7 the planter is nothing -- and the waterer is nothing
-- God who gives the increase (He is
something special)
8 planters and waterers are evaluated -- based upon how
well they influence
13 how we influence -- will be determined by fire
14 if we influence well -- reward
15 if we influence poorly -- we will still be saved, yet
as through fire
16 you are the temple of God -- the Spirit of God dwells
in you