Who Is Life Song Church? Part 7

Life Song Church is a God loving, people loving, grace filled, family oriented, spiritual waring, prophetic, evangelical, charismatic, nondenominational, ecumenical, Bible believing, Spirit filled, salvation driven, servant-leader led, youth oriented, praise powered, faith walking, Kingdom building, bondage breaking church. We are Life Song!

(<u>Mark 9:33-50</u>) The Apostles were disputing among themselves who would be the greatest, then Jesus forbids sectarianism, then He warns of offending the "little ones" (those less mature in Christ). Desiring to be the greatest, sectarianism, and offence are all connected to the spirit of pride.

Jesus Forbids Sectarianism (and so do we)

Sectarianism: favor to a certain sect. A form of prejudice by believing one group inferior or superior to another. Most often sectarianism comes through pride and will cause offense and division. Predestination, Always Saved, or Apostacy? These concepts all seem to contradict one another, but each concept has merit. 3 years ago, last Sunday; pride in me.

<u>Mark 9:38-41</u> Now John answered Him, saying, "Teacher, we saw someone who **does not follow us** casting out demons in Your name, and we forbade him because he does not follow us." 39 But Jesus said, "Do not forbid him, for no one who works a miracle in My name can soon afterward speak evil of Me. 40 For he who is not against us is on our side. 41 For whoever gives you a cup of water to drink in My name, because you belong to Christ, assuredly, I say to you, he will by no means lose his reward.

Teaching Style: We hope to avoid **sectarianism** understanding no one has everything figured out, and we all see Scripture a little differently. Our messages are based on the Word of God, line upon line, relevant to our culture and current events, practical, heart-challenging, life changing to the point of believer's expectations and faith. We teach topically meaning we look at a certain topic like faith, love, salvation, spiritual warfare, prophecy, the resurrection, the birth of Jesus, communion, Kingdom of God and so on, then teach what the Bible has to say on these topics along with how it applies to our culture and our lives today. We pass out notes every Sunday about the message, and post the complete message on our website and Church Planning Center. According to **Rev 2-3**, there are angels who are messengers to all of the churches to guide them. They primarily speak to the "Vision Holder" or Lead Pastor of the church, but also to the Leadership and the members.

The **vision and doctrine of the local church** will be woven into the Sunday messages which will reflect the gifting-mix of the Lead Pastor (Apostle Prophet Evangelist Pastor Teacher). We see Scripture through our gifting-calling which will cause certain Scriptures to have a greater draw to our spirit. This is why it is very seldom the congregation will be in 100% agreement with everything the Lead Pastor says. The mature Christian will not use these differences to cause division, but look for a way to walk in unity and love. Christians who believe there is only one way (their way) to see and interpret Scripture will have a difficult time at Life Song. We all see Scripture through our "opinion."

Eschatology, Revelation and Prophecy: Eschatology means "the study of the last things or last days"

The Bible is one-third prophecy and culminates in a book called Revelation which is the Revelation of Jesus Christ. The Greek word for Revelation is **apocalypse** which means "uncovering of what is hidden, unveiling or disclosure." The book of Revelation is the **prophecy** of Jesus Christ.

The Final Battle, page 61 "No one knows precisely how the book of Revelation will unfold...no one. The Rapture, the Second Coming of Christ, the Great Tribulation, the fall of Babylon will all come to pass exactly how God has planned. We can only speculate, watch and be ready."

At the sounding of the Seventh Trumpet, the mystery of God will be finished, as He declared to His servants the prophets (**Rev 10:7**), but before the Seventh Trumpet, the Two Witnesses will prophesy for three-and-a-half years straight! Then the Seventh Trumpet will proclaim "The kingdoms of this world have become the kingdoms of our Lord and His Christ and He shall reign forever and ever!" (**Rev 11:15**). Pre-trib, Mid-trib, Prewrath-trib, Post-trib or no trib? No one knows for sure until it all plays out. But this we know; the Kingdom of God will manifest on this earth.

Prophecy: There is a difference between the OT Prophets and the NT Prophets. In the OT, the children of Israel were not filled with the Spirit of God or the Holy Spirit. The Spirit of the Lord came upon the Prophets and they prophesied. The people were completely dependent upon the Prophets for direction from God, therefore a great accountability was placed on the Prophets. In the NT, all believers are filled with the Holy Spirit and have the spirit of prophecy and the ability to hear from God. The NT Prophets only see in part.

Rev 19:10 Worship God! For the **testimony of Jesus** is the **spirit of prophecy**.

<u>1 Cor 11:23-26</u> For I received from the Lord that which I also delivered to you: that the Lord Jesus on the same night in which He was betrayed took bread; 24 and when He had given thanks, He broke it and said, "Take, eat; this is My body which is broken for you; do this in remembrance of Me." 25 In the same manner He also took the cup after supper, saying, "This cup is the new covenant in My blood. This do, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of Me." 26 For as often as you eat this bread and drink this cup, **you proclaim the Lord's death till He comes.**Communion has a prophetic proclamation.

<u>1 Cor 12:7-11</u> But the *manifestation of the Spirit* is given to each one for the profit of all: 8 for to one is given the word of wisdom through the Spirit, to another the word of knowledge through the same Spirit, 9 to another faith by the same Spirit, to another gifts of healings by the same Spirit, 10 to another the working of miracles, to another *prophecy*, to another discerning of spirits, to another different kinds of tongues, to another the interpretation of tongues. 11 But one and the same Spirit works all these things, distributing to each one individually as He wills.

We each have a different set of gifts which will influence our opinion of Scripture.

<u>1 Cor 14:1-5</u> Pursue love, and desire spiritual gifts, **but especially that you may prophesy.** 2 For he who speaks in a tongue does not speak to men but to God, for no one understands him; however, in the spirit he speaks mysteries. 3 But he who **prophesies speaks edification and exhortation and comfort to men**. 4 He who speaks in a tongue edifies himself, but he who **prophesies edifies the church**. 5 I wish you all spoke with tongues, **but even more that you prophesied**; for he who **prophesies** is greater than he who speaks with tongues, unless indeed he interprets, that the church may receive edification.

Eph 4:11-12 And He Himself gave some to be apostles, some **prophets**, some evangelists, and some pastors and teachers, 12 for the equipping of the saints for the work of ministry, for the edifying of the body of Christ, I am first and foremost a Lead Pastor.

<u>1 Cor 13:8-13</u> Love never fails. But whether there are prophecies, they will fail; whether there are tongues, they will cease; whether there is knowledge, it will vanish away. 9 For we know in part and we prophesy in part. 10 But when that which is perfect has come, then that which is in part will be done away.

11 When I was a child, I spoke as a child, I understood as a child, I thought as a child; but when I became a man, I put away childish things. 12 For **now we see in a mirror, dimly**, but then face to face. **Now I know in part**, but then I shall know just as I also am known. 13 And now abide faith, hope, love, these three; but the **greatest of these is love**.

The Prophets of today only prophesy in part according to what they see. No one Prophet sees everything perfectly clear. Just like Predestination, Always Saved and Apostacy all seem to be contradictive, but yet will one day fit together, so many of the different prophesies that seem to be contradictive, will one day fit together, unless it is a prophecy that is not a part of what God is doing.

Sunday Message 11-29-20

"President Trump will be President for another 4 years. I believe this because the voice of the Prophets has proclaimed it and I bear witness by our Queen Esther Decree, "They (the Deep State) have manipulated our Constitutional Rights and have put people in bondage instead of protecting our freedom. This system they abused, will be their gallows. They will be hung by the Constitution."

This is the prophetic "part" that I see: The Queen Esther Decree will manifest as the Church receives the revelation of the government being on the shoulder of Jesus Christ, as the kingdoms of this world transition into the kingdoms of our Lord and His Christ. Some of you will not see this and that is ok. Be faithful with the part that God has given you and walk in love, humility and unity and this will give glory to God!

Heart Check:

Has pride gotten into your heart and caused a critical spirit? Is your opinion of Scripture the only one you see? Are you still teachable as child? Guard your heart will all diligence for out of it flows the issues of life (Prov 4:23).