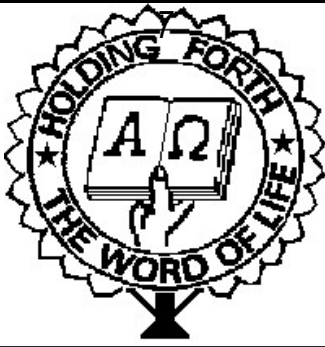




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LORD'S DAY 18 OCTOBER 2026

ORDER OF WORSHIP

Morning Service – 11am

Prelude

The Lord Is in His Holy Temple

Call to Worship

Psalm 122

Opening Hymn *

RHC 95 – "My Savior's Love"

Opening Prayer

Mr Joey Seow

Responsive Reading

Psalm 74

Second Hymn *

Psalm 74:1–4

(To the tune of St Agnes, RHC 231)

Scriptural Text

Job 27

Pastoral Prayer

Mr Charles Scott-Pearson

Sermon Message

"Maintaining our Integrity when falsely accused"

Closing Hymn *

RHC 55 – "Our Great Savior"

Benediction/3-Fold Amen *

Mr Charles Scott-Pearson

Postlude

The Lord Bless You

** Congregation Stands*

THE LORD IS IN HIS HOLY TEMPLE

The Lord is in His holy temple,
The Lord is in His holy temple:
Let all the earth keep silence,
Let all the earth keep silence before Him -
Keep silence, keep silence before Him. Amen.

THE LORD BLESS YOU

The Lord bless you and keep you;
The Lord lift His countenance upon you,
and give you peace, and give you peace;
The Lord make His face to shine upon you,
And be gracious unto you, be gracious,
The Lord be gracious, gracious unto you. Amen.

WESTMINSTER SHORTER CATECHISM QUESTION 28

Q: Wherein consisteth Christ's exaltation?

A: Christ's exaltation consisteth in his rising again from the dead on the third day, in ascending up into heaven, in SITTING AT THE RIGHT HAND OF GOD the Father, and in coming to judge the world at the last day

Comments:

Exaltation means a rising from meanness to greatness. Christ's exaltation consists in the following particulars: 1. In rising from the dead; 2. In ascending up into heaven; 3. In sitting at God's right hand; 4. In being appointed to judge the world. This is the state in which our Saviour is now.

Scriptural Reference:

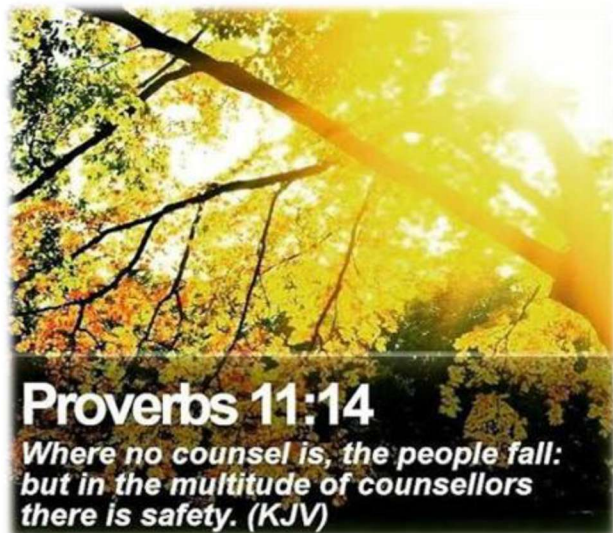
Matthew 28:6, Mark 16:19, Matthew 25:31-32

Dear brethren, this week's article is concluding part of the article written by Rev Jack Sin taken from Sovereign Hope B-P Church's bulletin dated 19th July 2026. This is reproduced for our edification.

Discerning & Obeying God's Holy Will (Part 2)

Thirdly, it is the matter of fervent prayer.

Have you been praying importunately to the Lord in seeking His will (John 14:14)? Do you cry out to Him daily in persevering incessant prayer? This is a sure mark that the Lord will answer and guide you. Read John 16:24 which says, *"Hitherto have ye asked nothing in my name: ask, and ye shall receive, that your joy may be full,"* and Jer 33:3, *"Call unto me, and I will answer thee, and shew thee great and mighty things, which thou knowest not."* God rewards those who diligently seek Him with a sincere and faithful heart (Heb 11:6). Abraham's servant prayed when he was seeking for a spouse for his master's son, Isaac. God answered his prayer and guided him and led him to Rebekah (Gen 24:14). Our Lord says, *"And ye shall seek me, and find me, when ye shall search for me with all your heart"* (Jer 29:13). **You will not be cast away in the matter of guidance and counsel if you would zealously seek Him in private and public prayers. God will guide and lead us if we sincerely seek His will.**



Fourthly, have you consulted or spoken to someone who is a servant of God, who fears Him and who knows you fairly well? Have you discussed it with your Pastor or Elder? Did you get the opinion of your parents, especially if they are believers who love the Lord? God used people, especially godly men, to help others along the way. Jehoshaphat (2Chr 18:7–17) asked Micaiah, God's servant; Samuel asked Eli when he was called of the Lord (1Sam 3:9). Ask someone, a godly person (e.g., your pastor or elder or godly parents) for spiritual counsel

and a word of advice. **While man's words are not infallible (e.g., Nathan's advice to David on building a temple for God), they are nevertheless useful especially when it is confirmed by the other factors mentioned here.**

Fifthly, what about the prevailing circumstances in life? God often uses events in our lives to awaken us to follow His will. You want to go to a particular country, but an impending earthquake or typhoon is coming. What do you do? Wait upon the Lord

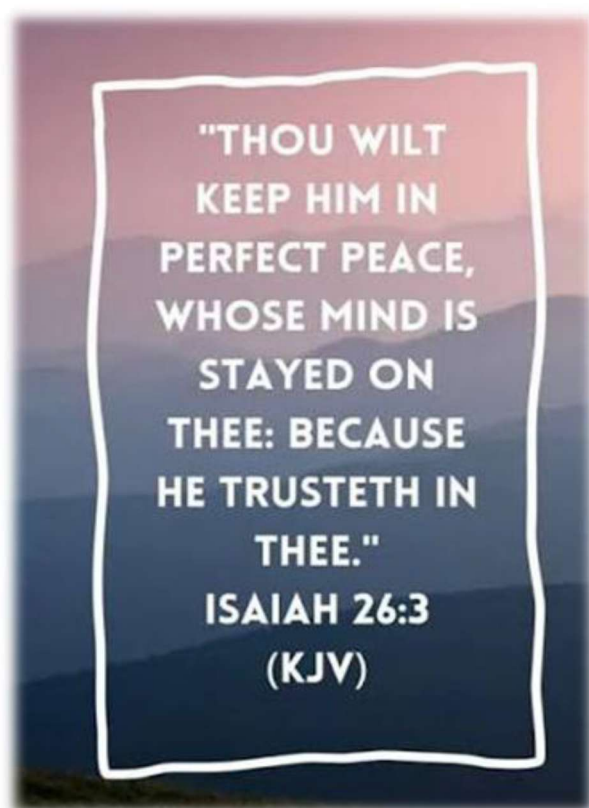
for the right timing. However favourable circumstances do not always mean it is God's will, and unfavourable circumstances do not necessarily mean that it is not God's will. Jonah the prophet ran away from God and found a ship waiting for him at Joppa (Jonah 1:3) but he was defying the clear command of God. So, you must be careful that circumstances be not given undue emphasis. Other factors are equally important and a consistent view of all of them put together is a good sign.

Finally, what about the inner conviction and condition of your heart? Psa 37:3-5 says, *"Trust in the LORD, and do good; so shalt thou dwell in the land, and verily thou shalt be fed. Delight thyself also in the LORD; and he shall give thee the desires of thine heart. Commit thy way unto the LORD; trust also in him; and he shall bring it to pass."* Do you experience peace and serenity when you have made a particular decision? God speaks to our hearts directly. A brother called me concerning an offer he had from a certain company with an attractive salary and prospect. He was attracted to it and wanted to have a career switch. He passed the interview and was about to make that change, but he had no peace in his heart. **Circumstances were favourable. The money was good but there was one complication—no peace in the heart. That settled it finally.**

Follow the way of the Lord and *"keep thy heart with all diligence; for out of it are the issues of life"* (Prov 4:23). A heart of peace, joy and contentment in the Lord, and time to serve God is more valuable than a quantum increase in salaries and perks. Make the right decision to put God first (Col 3:2), and He will surely bless you. Remember Matt 6:21, *"For where your treasure is, there will your heart be also."*

Conclusion

Prov 3:5-7 says *"Trust in the LORD with all thine heart; and lean not unto thine own understanding. In all thy ways acknowledge him, and he shall direct thy paths. Be not wise in thine own eyes: fear the LORD, and depart from evil. It shall be health to thy navel, and marrow to thy bones."* Seeking and obeying God's will is of paramount importance. **The Lord wants the best for us and obeying God wholeheartedly is more than just doing it our way or for the sake of soothing our conscience. There is great joy and blessing when we are walking according to His sovereign will. Something to think about.**



WELCOME TO NEW LIFE B-P CHURCH LONDON

Our Lord's Day activities begin with the **Worship Service** at **11.00 am** followed by a **Bible Study & Children's Sunday School** at **1:30pm**. Do invite your friends to come to Church.

NEWS/ANNOUNCEMENTS

Dear Worshippers, we extend a warm welcome to you this Lord's Day. We hope that you have a blessed time worshipping with us today.

For those unable to attend Church in person, please join our Worship Service and Bible Study on our live-stream via YouTube - <https://www.youtube.com/@NewLifeBPCLondon>

We thank God for providing Mr Charles Scott-Pearson to minister to us today.

Next Sunday, Dr David Allen will be ministering to us and we will observe the Lord's Supper.

Tithes & Offerings – The offering box is located at the entrance to the Church Sanctuary.

Lunch Fellowship — Join us for lunch fellowship after the morning worship service.

Please bring your own lunch as only drinks will be provided.

Afternoon Bible Study, 1:30pm – Mr Scott-Pearson will conduct the study on the “The Perplexity of the Believer when faced with the Prosperity of the Wicked” from Psalm 73.

Children's Sunday School, 1:30pm – held at side hall & manse after Lunch Fellowship.

MEMORY VERSE

This Week

“My righteousness I hold fast, and will not let it go: my heart shall not reproach me so long as I live.”

Job 27:6

Last Week

“Then I commanded, and they cleansed the chambers: and thither brought I again the vessels of the house of God, with the meat offering and the frankincense.”

Nehemiah 13:9

The Believer's Daily Remembrancer – 18th October

(written by Rev James Smith)

“Therefore I will look unto the LORD; I will wait for the God of my salvation: my God will hear me.” Micah 7:7

LOOKING to creatures always ends in disappointment; therefore it is forbidden by Him who loves us best, and consults our best interests at all times. The prophet had been weaned from this, by many and sore trials; and now he determines to look unto the Lord. Let us imitate his example. We cannot do better than look to the Lord, as our Captain, to command; as our Master, to direct; as our Father, to provide; and as our God, to defend. His name is a strong tower, the righteous run into it and are safe. Looking to Jesus, will preserve us from a thousand snares; and prepare us to suffer as Christians and triumph as conquerors. The eyes of the Lord are always upon us; may our eyes be ever towards the Lord. Let us look to Him for all we need; from all we fear; through all that obstructs our progress; and so press on towards the mark for the prize of the high calling, which is of God in Christ Jesus. He says, “Look unto me and be ye saved.” It is recorded, “They looked upon Him and were lightened, and their faces were not ashamed.” Jesus is the same, yesterday, today, and forever.

*Lord, shine on my benighted heart, With beams of mercy shine;
And let Thy Spirit's voice impart, A taste of joys divine:
To Thee I look, to Thee I cry, Oh, bring Thy sweet salvation nigh.*