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Signs of the Times: Shining Bible Light on Current Events

The Lord has wrought many blessed judgments in the world this week which can be seen plainly by any who have been given eyes to see, ears to hear, and a heart to understand by the gracious hand of God. **“Son of man, thou dwellest in the midst of a rebellious house, which have eyes to see, and see not; they have ears to hear, and hear not: for they are a rebellious house.” (Ezekiel 12:2)** This entire world is a rebellious house! Therefore, the Lord, the God of Israel, is punishing the people of it! Let’s view some of this week’s judgments from the proper perspective:

God’s wrath continues to pour out against this vile world for their refusal to give Him the glory for all things. The Lord of hosts has stretched forth His hand against the nations of the world and it is made manifest daily. **(Jeremiah 21:4)** People everywhere hate their neighbors. Their hearts are dark and full of self-serving desires: **“...the thoughts of [man’s] heart was only evil continually.” (Genesis 6:5)** The Lord commands us to love our neighbors and this means to tell them the truth. **“Thou shalt not hate thy brother in thine heart: thou shalt in any wise rebuke thy neighbour, and not suffer sin upon him. Thou shalt not avenge, nor bear any grudge against the children of thy people, but thou shalt love thy neighbour as thyself: I am the LORD.” (Leviticus 19:17-18)** The events surrounding Charlottesville, which continued to make headlines this week, are just a few examples of the confusion the Lord has given you, and the hatred man has in their heart towards their fellow man. The so called ‘white supremacist’ movement is sinful. For more words on this, see last week’s release. Here are more examples from this week:

- On Monday, August 14th, a man intentionally drove his car into a pizzeria in a small village east of Paris, France. In doing so, he took the life of one 13-year-old girl and injured about 12 others. The man had reportedly attempted suicide last week.
- On Thursday, August 17th, amongst various other attacks throughout Spain this week, a van drove into a crowd in Barcelona killing 14 and injuring around 100 more.
- On Friday, August 18th, a man ran through a market place in the Finnish city of Turku stabbing people with a large white knife. Two victims lost their lives to this act and six others needed hospitalization, three of whom required surgery.

News stories about each of these events also made regular mention of whether they were perceived to be terror attacks. The Spain incidents appear to be terrorist related, however any act of violence in the world has now been escalated to potentially being an act of terror. How perfect is this? This is the idea of Magormissabib, or terror on every side, that is spoken of in Jeremiah: **“...Then said Jeremiah unto him, The LORD hath not called thy name Pashur, but Magormissabib. For thus saith the LORD, Behold, I will make thee a terror to thyself, and to all thy friends: and they shall fall by the sword of their enemies, and thine eyes shall behold it: and I will give all Judah into the hand of the king of Babylon, and he shall carry them captive into Babylon, and shall slay them with the sword. Moreover I will deliver all the strength of this city, and all the labours thereof, and all the precious things thereof, and all the treasures of the kings of Judah will I give into the hand of their enemies, which shall spoil them, and take them, and carry them to Babylon.” (Jeremiah 20:3-4)**

Shall a trumpet be blown in the city, and the people not be afraid? shall there be evil in a city, and the LORD hath not done it? Surely the Lord GOD will do nothing, but he revealeth his secret unto his servants the prophets. The lion hath roared, who will not fear? the Lord GOD hath spoken, who can but prophesy? (Amos 3:6-8) It is a rhetorical question. Just like if a lion were standing before you, roaring with all his power, you will be afraid, likewise, when the Lord GOD speaks, His words will be prophesied. Therefore, your friends and servants at the Westboro Baptist Church will continue to warn this world to repent of their sins as the faithful stewards and ambassadors of Christ. **“And for me, that utterance may be given unto me, that I may open my mouth boldly, to make known the mystery of the gospel, For which I am an ambassador in bonds: that therein I may speak boldly, as I ought to speak.” (Ephesians 6:19-20)**

Woe to you who have hardened your hearts against the Lord and His word. The destruction of this world is imminent; you must believe on Christ, repent of your sins, and seek the Lord with humility. **“For Gaza shall be forsaken, and Ashkelon a desolation: they shall drive out Ashdod at the noon day, and Ekron shall be rooted up. Woe unto the inhabitants of the sea coast, the nation of the Cherethites! the word of the LORD is against you; O Canaan, the land of the Philistines, I will even destroy thee, that there shall be no inhabitant.” (Zephaniah 2:4-5)**

Repent or Perish!