

# (prayed over by the elders) **Prayer Requests** 5/21/23

## Where is the God of Justice?

Pastor Ron Raymer

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Malachi 2:17-3:5

Introduction: Malachi's prophecy shifts to God's coming to His people. They were functioning as if He did not exist and wasn't involved with His creation. God's coming will mean judgment and purification as well as redemption.

### I. Wrong conclusions about God. 2:17

- A. All who do evil are good.
- B. God doesn't care about evil.
- C. God is absent.

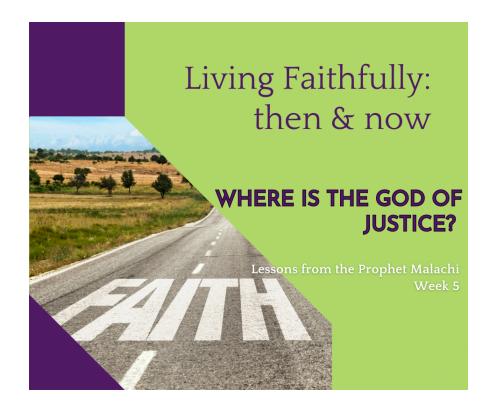
### II. God responds through: 3:1-5

- A, His messenger (John the Baptist). V. 3:1, 4:5-6
- B. His Son (Jesus). 3:1b-5, Isa 42:6-9
- C. Refiners Fire. (Purify like gold and silver). 3:2-3 & Ps 12:6
- D. Launderers soap. (Make white as by bleach). 3:2-3 Mark 9:3 Rev 3:4

### III. Judgement from the Lord Almighty. 3:5

- A. Against sorcerers.
- B. Adulterers.
- C. Perjurers.
- D. Those who defraud laborers of their wages.
- E. Oppressors of widows and the fatherless.
- F. Those who deprive aliens of justice.
- G. Those who don't fear God.

Conclusion: "But for you who revere my name, the sun of righteousness will rise with healing in its wings. And you will go out and leap like calves released from the stall. Then you will trample down the wicked; they will be ashes under the soles of your feet on the day when I do these things," say the Lord Almighty. Malachi 4:2-3



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# **Greenview** Alliance Church

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# Welcome!

We're glad you're here.

If you are a visitor today or church member with a prayer request or if you need to contact a staff member or elder, please take a moment to fill out the attached connection card and place it in the offering plate, located at the back of the sanctuary.

Nursery is available for children ages 0 up to 4 years old. KidZone, for kids age 4-5th grade, will be dismissed during the service after the Children's Message. All Children's Ministry workers have clearances on file with the church.

Pastor Ron Raymer will lead us in prayer.

The worship team will be leading the following songs: Living Hope, Wonderful, Merciful, Savior, The Blessing, and Give Us Clean Hands.

Thank you for spending your morning with us!

### **See Church Center App for** our Event Calendar

9:30am Sunday Worship Service



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# Announcements

### **Second Offering for May**

Every month Greenview supports a ministry or non-profit (local, national, or international) by providing an opportunity to give over and above the reqular tithe. Paradise Mountain Ministries is a non profit, faith based, residential ministry providing a home away from home for Third Culture Kids [TCKs]. https://www.paradisemtn.org/



### Youth Theatre

Youtheatre comes again! FLN will run a theater camp from August 7th-11th for kiddos between the ages of 8-15. Youtheatre will be held at Oak Grove Alliance facilities. Register now at https://www.greenviewalliance.com/

### Stay to Pray - Invitation for Women

Members of the deaconess team will be available to pray and intercede on your behalf after service a couple times per month. Meet us in the T&T room *today*. Future prayer times will be held on June 4th and June 18th.

### **Great Commission Day 2023**

Will you join your Alliance family in sending new workers—and sustaining existing ones—to suffering, marginalized, and lost people? Giving generously and expectantly on Great Commission Day will make you a part of launching gospel presence. When you give on June 2nd, your gift will be matched up to \$360,000! Will you give generously to launch gospel presence to the unreached? https://cmalliance.org/2023-great-commission-day/



For more information email the office at greenviewalliance@comcast.net or call 570-433-4506



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- recommitted my life to Jesus today
- becoming a member Greenview Alliance Church

in being baptized

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