



Does God Still Ask Us to Tithe?
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Malachi 3:6-18

Introduction: God reminds the “Descendants of Jacob” that it is because of His mercy that they haven’t been destroyed and then describes the blessings of returning to God. V. 6

I. Turning away.

- A. Not keeping the decrees. V. 7
- B. Robbing God. V. 8
- C. Saying harsh things against God.
 - 1. It is futile to serve God. V.14
 - 2. What did we gain by carrying out His requirements? V. 14
 - 3. Evildoers prosper. V. 15

II. Turning back.

- A. Bring the whole tithe into the storehouse. V. 10
- B. Fear God. V. 16
- C. Talk to like minded people. V.16
- D. Honor His name. V.16

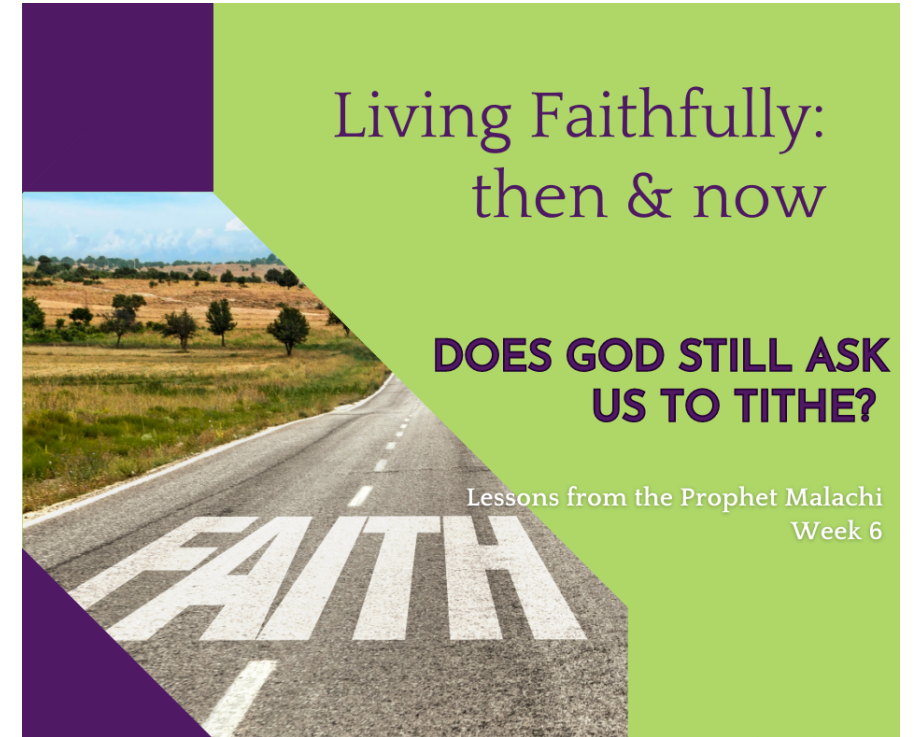
III. The curse of disobedience.

- A. Pests devouring crops. V. 11, Deut 28:39-40
- B. Vines do not produce fruit. V. 11

IV. The blessing of obedience.

- A. God will open the floodgates of heaven and pour out His blessings. V. 10 & 2 Chron 31:11-12
- B. All nations will call you blessed for yours will be a delightful land. V. 1 Gen 12:2-3 Isa 61:9
- C. They will be mine. V. 17
- D. I will spare them. V. 17 & Ex 19:5
- E. They will see the distinction between the righteous and the wicked. V. 18

Conclusion: God shares an important Kingdom principle regarding reaping and sowing. If the Israelites would repent of their sins, and turn their hearts back to God, then blessings would come. But if they continued in their sins they would remain under the curse. HIS principles never change.



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Helping people take the next step in their relationship with God.

(prayed over by the elders)
Prayer Requests

5/28/23

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.

Corey Smith will lead us in prayer.

The worship team will be leading the following songs: Come Thou Fount (Above All Else), Great I Am, A Thousand Hallelujahs, and Blessed Be Your Name.

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 June



Every month, Greenview supports a ministry or non-profit (local, national, or international) by providing an opportunity to give over and above the regular tithe. Expectations Women's Center, located in Williamsport and Lewisburg, is a safe place for women to receive evidence-based education and compassionate support with a message of Hope. <https://expectationswc.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 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/>

Spring Fling Outreach Event

The Missions & Outreach and Hospitality Committees are planning a day of fun at the park for fellowship & loving our neighbors. Save the Date - June 3rd from 11am-2pm at Short Park pavilion in Loyalsock.



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



Name: _____

E-Mail: _____

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a 1st Time Guest

a Returning Guest

a Regular Attendee

NEXT Steps:

I would like to be a follower of Jesus.

I am interested in becoming a member Greenview Alliance Church.

I recommitted my life to Jesus today

I am interested in being baptized

I would like my baby dedicated

Change in contact information