# SERMON NOTES



Pastor Carl Toti January 2-3, 2021

Philippians 4:4 (NKJV) Rejoice in the Lord always. Again I will say, rejoice!

Romans 12:12 (NIV) Be joyful in hope, patient in affliction, faithful in prayer.

Luke 10:20 (NKJV) Nevertheless do not rejoice in this, that the spirits are subject to you, but rather rejoice because your names are written in heaven."

Proverbs 17:22 (NKJV) 22 A merry heart does good, like medicine, But a broken spirit dries the bones.

Matthew 22:2 (NLT) "The Kingdom of Heaven can be illustrated by the story of a king who prepared a great wedding feast for his son.

Psalm 92:2 (TLB) 2 Every morning tell him, "Thank you for your kindness," and every evening rejoice in all his faithfulness.

Acts 2:46 (TLB) 46 They worshiped together regularly at the Temple each day, met in small groups in homes for Communion, and shared their meals with great joy and thankfulness,

# WE CAN REJOICE FOR THREE REASONS

# (1) GOD IS \_\_\_\_\_ YOU

Joshua 1:9 (ESV) "Have I not commanded you? Be strong and courageous. Do not be frightened, and do not be dismayed, for the Lord your God is with you wherever you go."

### Zephaniah 3:17 (NIV)

17 The LORD your God is with you, he is mighty to save. He will take great delight in you, he will quiet you with his love, he will rejoice over you with singing."

The phrase God is "with you" assures us of God's presence.

# (2) GOD IS \_\_\_\_\_ YOU

Romans 8:31 (NKJV) 31 What then shall we say to these things? If God is for us, who can be against us?

The phrase God is "for you" assures us of God's provision.

# (3) GOD IS \_\_\_\_ YOU

1 Corinthians 3:16 (NKJV)16 Do you not know that you are the temple of God and that the Spirit of God dwells in you?

1 John 4:4 (NKJV)

4 You are of God, little children, and have overcome them, because He who is in you is greater than he who is in the world.

The phrase God is "in you" assures us of God's peace.

#### ANSWERS:

1. WITH

2. FOR

3. IN