SEPTEMBER 17, 2017

9:30 & 11:00 A.M.

MESSAGE NOTES

Pastor Bill Ehmann

GOSPEL OF JOHN

CHAPTER NINETEEN:
"Jesus - Creator God Redeeming Savior"

"These are written that you may believe that Jesus is the Christ, the Son of God, and that by believing you may have life in His Name." John 20:31

Chapter 19 of the Gospel of John covers the trial of Jesus by religious and civil leaders, the announcement of His condemnation to death by crucifixion and the final words of Jesus before He died.

In reality, it is not Jesus Who is on trial – it is His accusers and human decision-makers. They think they are in charge, but it is God managing the process as the plan for our redemption is completed.

It is good to review passages like Psalm 22 and Isaiah 53 to be reminded of how prophecy was fulfilled the day Jesus died. Also read Matthew 26-27, Mark 14-15 and Luke 22-23 to learn the details that John does not include.

1. Religious leaders, a governor and a king who think they are in charge.

- 2. Roman soldiers who do what they are assigned to do.
- 3. Jesus Who demonstrates that He is God but is rejected.
- 4. The disappointment of apparent failure that in days will turn to rejoicing.

Ponder This

The Word of God (the Bible), the Plan of God (Redemption) and the Promise of God (Savior Jesus) have never been in question in the Mind of God. For humans, it is a matter of trust – accepting the faith that God wants to give us in order to believe Him.

NEXT SUNDAY

September 24, 2017

9:30 & 11:00 A.M.

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Chapter 20: "Jesus — Creator God Risen Forever"

Spanish interpretation available at 11:00am service