

The London Baptist Confession of 1689

X. Of Effectual Calling

3. Elect Infants dying in infancy, are ^aregenerated and saved by Christ through the Spirit; who worketh when, and where, and ^bhow he pleaseth: so also are all other elect persons, who are incapable of being outwardly called by the Ministry of the Word.

^aJohn 3:3, 5–6 ^bJohn 3:8

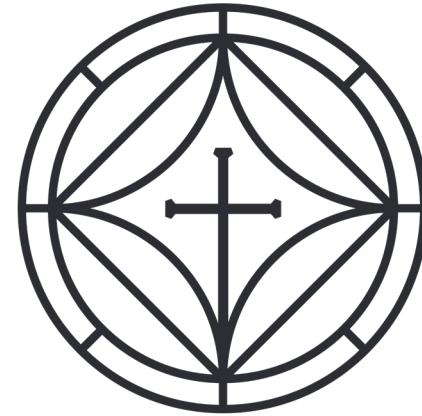
4. Others not elected, although they may be called by the Ministry of the word, ^aand may have some common operations of the Spirit, yet not being effectually drawn by the Father, they neither will, nor can truly ^bcome to Christ; and therefore cannot be saved: much less can men that receive not the Christian Religion ^cbe saved; be they never so diligent to frame their lives according to the light of nature, and the Law of that Religion they do profess.

^aMatt. 22:14; Matt. 13:20–21; Heb. 6:4–5 ^bJohn 6:44–45, 65; 1 John 2:24–25 ^cActs 4:12; John 4:22; John 17:3

Elders' Comments on Article 10: Of Effectual Calling

10.3 Elect Infants dying in infancy...

We would prefer this sentence to begin as follows: “Infants dying in infancy, are regenerated and saved...”. Though we do not find any direct, explicit statement in Scripture regarding the destination of those who die in infancy, the Bible does provide indications that they are not morally accountable, and that they come under the gracious care of God, who is by nature a Savior (e.g. Rom. 1:18–20; 2 Sam. 12:22–23; Deut. 1:39; Jonah 4:11; Matt. 19:14).



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ORDER OF SERVICE

Prayer Meeting - 9:30 a.m. in the Prayer Room (Stage Left)

Welcome & Announcements

Call to Worship

Scripture: Ephesians 1:13-14

Adoration

Prayer of Adoration

Song: All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name

Song: And Can It Be?

Confession

Scripture: Ephesians 4:25-32

Prayer of Confession & Petition

Assurance of Pardon & Thanksgiving

Song: My Jesus I Love Thee

8-11 Year-Olds Class Dismissed

Instruction

Isaiah 63:1-14

"More Serious Than We Know"

The Lord's Table

Offering

Song: Yet Not I But Through Christ in Me

Prayer & Dismissal

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Welcome Center

Our Welcome Center can be found in the lobby before and after Sunday morning service. This is a great place to get connected and ask questions about our church. Also, you will find helpful resources such as info on our outreach ministries, Bibles and Bible study tools, a preaching schedule, and more!

Nursing Mothers' Room

Located in the far-right corner in the back of the auditorium, this room is set aside as a quiet and comfortable space for mothers who need to nurse their babies. It is equipped with rocking chairs and a changing table. While we hope this serves as a helpful resource for nursing moms, please note that this is not intended to function as a general cry room, and it is not yet soundproof. Thank you for helping us maintain a peaceful environment for all.

Men's and Women's Bible Study Signups

- Men's Bible Study will meet on Thursdays beginning on Sept. 11 at either 6:00a.m or 6:00p.m.
- Women's Bible Study will meet on Tuesdays beginning on Sept. 9 at either 9:00a.m or 6:00p.m.

Scan the corresponding QR code to sign up:

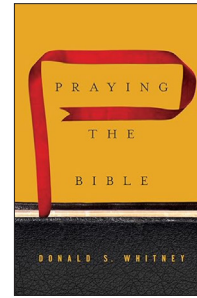


MEN



WOMEN

RESOURCES



Book of the Month

Praying the Bible

by Donald Whitney

"Donald Whitney offers simple and practical tools to help you open your Bible and pray through it. This book hasn't just deepened my prayer life—it's also helped me meditate more meaningfully on God's Word. If you want to grow in prayer but aren't sure where to start, this book is for you."

—Elijah Olander



Weekly Resource

"Do Not Grieve the Holy Spirit"

by Tim Challies

"We do well, then, to consider the magnitude of our offences against God that they could move him to such sorrow. Sins that bring disunity to the church also bring grief to the Holy Spirit. Again, Chapell says, 'The same Spirit who convicts my heart of sin, generates in me love for God, gives me new birth, provides my apprehension of the beauty of grace in the world, and seals my redemption until the coming of my Lord—this same Spirit who loves me so intimately and perfectly, I can cause to grieve.'"

It is also worth noting what Paul does not say, for there is comfort to be had here. Paul does not threaten abandonment. Clinton Arnold makes this point and concludes 'Under the new covenant, the Spirit does not depart when sin is committed. Instead, the Spirit deeply grieves over it. Paul presents this as a truth that should motivate believers not to indulge their sinful desires—whether this might be filthy talk, stealing, uncontrolled anger, lying, or any other vice.' The true believer does not need to fear that God will respond to sin by giving up and moving out. We are sealed by the Spirit for all eternity."

Scan the QR code to read the rest of the article.

OUTREACH PRAYER

El Camino Bible Church Chinandega, Nicaragua

Join us in praising God for Pastor Frank and our brothers and sisters in Nicaragua. We are grateful for a church that is faithful to God's Word in a spiritually dark area.

Here are some reasons to be praising God:

- For the men who had filled the pulpit for Pastor Frank in the last few weeks
- For the improved health of Frank's son, David, who had a low platelet count recently
- For opportunities for this church to share the Gospel in the community

Here are some ways to be praying:

- For a man in the church who is training to become an elder
- For the physical and spiritual health of Pastor Frank and his family
- For more opportunities to bring the Gospel to lost souls
- For continued provision and protection for the church

Scan the QR code to visit:
iglesiaelcamino.org



CALENDAR

Aug
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Student Ministry

6:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.

Student Ministry is for students from 6th - 12th grade. The group meets for games, worship, Bible study, and small group discussion every first and third Wednesday here at the church campus.

Scan the QR code to receive newsletter updates for students' parents.



Aug
11

Anchored: A Fellowship of Hope

6:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.

The mission of Anchored is to help and encourage suffering believers by pointing them to the Anchor for their soul, Jesus Christ, through biblical instruction and compassionate support. Contact Pastor Josh at jarellano@canyonprescott.org with any questions.

Aug
17

Christianity Explored

8:30 a.m. - 9:30 a.m.

This Fall, we will be offering a six week class on Sunday mornings for anyone who is currently wondering what the Bible teaches about Christianity. This is not a class for our members, but for anyone you may know who is considering the truth-claims of the Bible. The class will be held in Room 103. Register by emailing admin@canyonprescott.org

Aug
17

Member's Meeting

5:30 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.

Member's Meetings are open to all those who have completed the membership process. There will be a time of prayer, fellowship, instruction, and updates from the elders on the various ministries of CBCP. Those who attend will also receive an updated Membership Directory.

PASSAGE DISCUSSION

Isaiah 63:1–14

"More Serious Than We Know"

1. Do you feel any level of discomfort when the Bible uses graphic images of Christ's punishment of His enemies? Why or why not?
2. Read verses 1-6. Identify the times when God's punishment of His enemies is linked to His people's salvation.
3. In light of the description of God's coming judgment, how would vv. 7-14 be an encouragement to God's people?
4. According to v. 11, one of the ways God demonstrated His faithfulness to Israel was by giving them faithful leaders. Which leaders has God blessed you with throughout your Christian life?
5. Read Ephesians 4:25-32. Is there any way you've been grieving the Holy Spirit who has been so gracious to you? Take time to confess this to the Lord, and then resolve—by God's grace—to be obedient.

SERMON NOTES

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