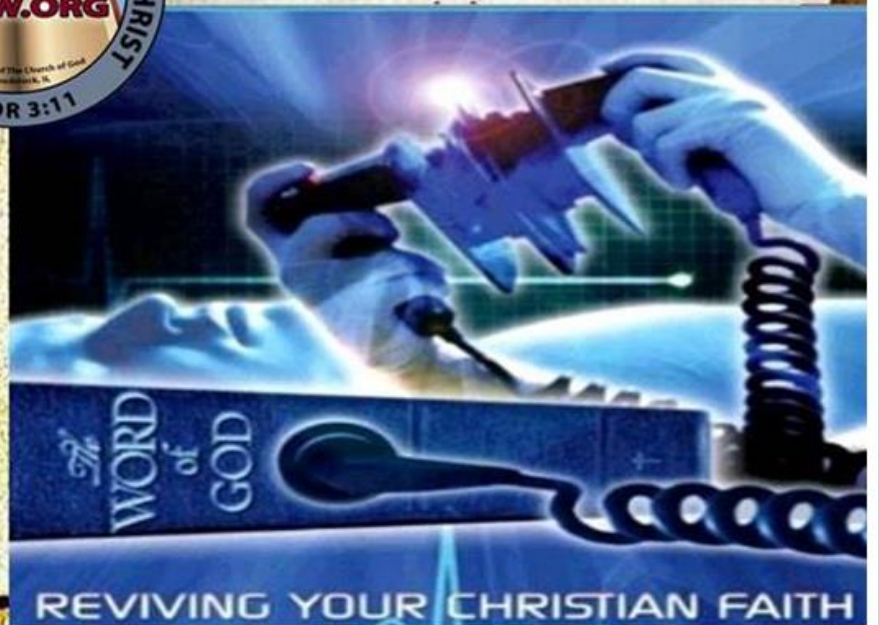
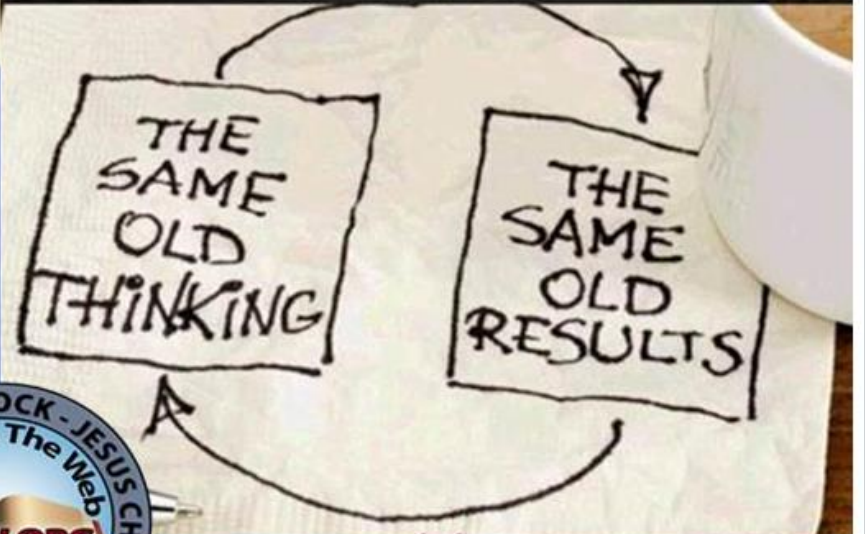


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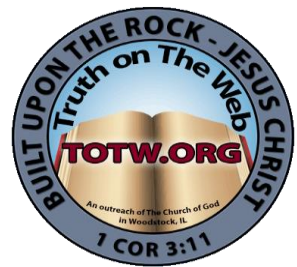


RENEW
your mind
ROMANS 12:2



Two silver trumpets are positioned diagonally across the upper half of the image. The word "Awake!" is written in a large, red, cursive font across the center of the image, overlapping the trumpets.

Awake!



Leviticus 23:24-25 Speak unto the children of Israel, saying, In the seventh month, in the first *day* of the month, shall ye have a shabbaton, a memorial of blowing of trumpets, an holy convocation. Ye shall do no servile work *therein*: but ye shall offer an offering made by fire unto the LORD.

Numbers 29:1 And in the seventh month, on the first *day* of the month, ye shall have an holy convocation; ye shall do no servile work: it is a day of blowing the trumpets unto you.

Numbers 10:1-7 And the LORD spake unto Moses, saying, **2** **Make thee two trumpets of silver; of a whole piece shalt thou make them: that thou mayest use them for the calling of the assembly, and for the journeying of the camps. 3** And when they shall blow with them, all the assembly shall assemble themselves to thee at the door of the tabernacle of the congregation. **4** And if they blow *but* with one *trumpet*, then the princes, *which are* heads of the thousands of Israel, shall gather themselves unto thee. **5** When ye blow an alarm, then the camps that lie on the east parts shall go forward. **6** When ye blow an alarm the second time, then the camps that lie on the south side shall take their journey: they shall blow an alarm for their journeys. **7** But **when the congregation is to be gathered together, ye shall blow, but ye shall not sound an alarm.**

Numbers 10:8-10 And the sons of Aaron, the priests, shall blow with the trumpets; and they shall be to you for an ordinance for ever throughout your generations.

9 And if ye go to war in your land against the enemy that oppresseth you, then ye shall blow an alarm with the trumpets; and ye shall be remembered before the LORD your God, and ye shall be saved from your enemies. **10** Also in the day of your gladness, and in your solemn days, and in the beginnings of your months, ye shall blow with the trumpets over your burnt offerings, and over the sacrifices of your peace offerings; that they may be to you for a memorial before your God: I *am* the LORD your God.

“These trumpets typify the preached gospel. It sounds an alarm to sinners, calls them to repent, proclaims liberty to the captives and slaves of Satan, and collects the worshippers of God. It directs and encourages their heavenly journey; stirs them up to combat against the world and sin, encouraging them with the assurance of victory. It leads their attention to the sacrifice of Christ, and shows the Lord's presence for their protection.”

Matthew Henry

The good news:

Liberty to the captive

Immortality to the dying

Pardon to the condemned

Salvation to the lost

THE FEASTS OF THE LORD

- Passover** - Christ's sacrifice
- Unleavens** - Putting sin out
- Pentecost** - First resurrection
- Trumpets** - Call to repentance
- Atonement** - Christ's sacrifice
- Tabernacles** - The wilderness
- Last Great Day** - First resurrection

“The blowing of trumpets represented the preaching of the gospel, by which men are called to repent of sin, and to accept the salvation of Christ, which was signified by the Day of Atonement. Also it invited to rejoice in God, and become strangers and pilgrims on earth, which was denoted by the Feast of Tabernacles, observed in the same month.”

Matthew Henry

“they were called by this sound of trumpet to shake off spiritual drowsiness, to search and try their ways, and to amend them. The Day of Atonement was the ninth day after this; thus they were awakened to prepare for that day, by sincere and serious repentance, that it might indeed be to them a Day of Atonement. The humbling of our souls for sin, and the making our peace with God, is work that requires the whole man, and the closest application of mind.”

Matthew Henry

“Let us watch. There are many that never watch. They never watch against sin; they never watch against the temptations of the enemy; they do not watch against themselves, nor against "the lusts of the flesh, the lusts of the eye, and the pride of life." They do not watch for opportunities to do good; they do not watch for opportunities to instruct the ignorant, to confirm the weak, to comfort the afflicted, to succor them that are in need; they do not watch for opportunities of glorifying Jesus, or for times of communion; they do not watch for the promises; they do not watch for answers to their prayers; they do not watch for the second coming of our Lord Jesus. These are the refuse of the world: they watch not because they are asleep. But let us watch: so shall we prove that we are not slumberers.”

C. H. Spurgeon

Isaiah 58:1-4 Cry aloud, spare not, lift up thy voice like a trumpet, and shew My people their transgression, and the house of Jacob their sins. Yet they seek Me daily, and delight to know My ways, as a nation that did righteousness, and forsook not the ordinance of their God: they ask of Me the ordinances of justice; they take delight in approaching to God. Wherefore have we fasted, *say they*, and thou seest not? *wherefore* have we afflicted our soul, and thou takest no knowledge? Behold, in the day of your fast ye find pleasure, and exact all your labours. Behold, ye fast for strife and debate, and to smite with the fist of wickedness: ye shall not fast as *ye do this* day, to make your voice to be heard on high.

“It is also necessary that the gospel trumpet give a distinct sound, according to the persons addressed, or the end proposed; whether to convince, humble, console, exhort, reprove, or teach.”

Matthew Henry

1 Corinthians 14:7-11 And even things without life giving sound, whether pipe or harp, except they give a distinction in the sounds, how shall it be known what is piped or harped? **8** For if the trumpet give an uncertain sound, who shall prepare himself to the battle? **9** So likewise ye, except ye utter by the tongue words easy to be understood, how shall it be known what is spoken? for ye shall speak into the air. **10** There are, it may be, so many kinds of voices in the world, and none of them *is* without signification. **11** Therefore if I know not the meaning of the voice, I shall be unto him that speaketh a barbarian, and he that speaketh *shall be* a barbarian unto me.

Am I Making Myself Clear?

Colossians 1:21-23 And **you, that were sometime alienated and enemies in *your* mind by wicked works, yet now hath He reconciled In the body of His flesh through death, to present you holy and unblameable and unreprieveable in His sight: If ye continue in the faith grounded and settled, and *be not moved away from the hope of the gospel*, which ye have heard, *and* which was preached to every creature which is under heaven; whereof I Paul am made a minister;**

What Does a Lukewarm Christian Look Like?

A Lukewarm Christian:

- Loves God, but not first
- Believes religion is important, but not all-important
- Loves in theory, but not in practice
- Has good intentions that are never realized
- Is entertained by zeal in others, rather than inspired
- Is often silent about his/her faith

Isaiah 29:13 Wherefore the Lord said,
Forasmuch as this people draw near *Me* with
their mouth, and with their lips do honour *Me*,
but have removed their heart far from *Me*, and
their fear toward *Me* is taught by the precept of
men:

Deuteronomy 5:29 **O that there were such an heart in them, that they would fear Me, and keep all My commandments always,** that it might be well with them, and with their children for ever!

“Christ will be master of the heart, and sin must be mortified. If your life is unholy, then your heart is unchanged, and you are an unsaved person. The Savior will sanctify His people, renew them, give them a hatred of sin, and a love of holiness. The grace that does not make a man better than others is a worthless counterfeit. Christ saves His people, not in their sins, but from their sins. Without holiness, no man shall see the Lord.”

C. H. Spurgeon

Revelation 2:4-5 Nevertheless I have *somewhat* against thee, because thou hast left thy first love. Remember therefore from whence thou art fallen, and repent, and do the first works; or else I will come unto thee quickly, and will remove thy candlestick out of his place, except thou repent.

Colossians 2:6-10 As ye have therefore received Christ Jesus the Lord, so walk ye in Him: Rooted and built up in Him, and stablished in the faith, as ye have been taught, abounding therein with thanksgiving. Beware lest any man spoil you through philosophy and vain deceit, after the tradition of men, after the rudiments of the world, and not after Christ. For in Him dwelleth all the fulness of the Godhead bodily. And ye are complete in Him, which is the head of all principality and power:

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- Do you walk in Christ?

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- Are you rooted in Christ?

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- Are you built up in Christ?

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- Are you established in the faith?

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- Are you abounding in thanks?

Luke 9:23-26 And He said to *them* all, If any *man* will come after Me, let him deny himself, and take up his cross daily, and follow Me. For whosoever will save his life shall lose it: but whosoever will lose his life for My sake, the same shall save it. For what is a man advantaged, if he gain the whole world, and lose himself, or be cast away? For whosoever shall be ashamed of Me and of My words, of him shall the Son of man be ashamed, when He shall come in His own glory, and *in His* Father's, and of the holy angels.

Galatians 2:20 I am crucified with Christ:
nevertheless I live; yet not I, but Christ liveth in
me: and the life which I now live in the flesh I
live by the faith of the Son of God, Who loved
me, and gave Himself for me.

Colossians 3:1-3 **If ye then be risen with Christ, seek those things which are above,** where Christ sitteth on the right hand of God. **Set your affection on things above, not on things on the earth.** For ye are dead, and your life is hid with Christ in God.

***WE DO NOT GIVE UP
PLEASURABLE THINGS
UNTIL WE FIND
SOMETHING WE LOVE
MORE. WE HAVE TO
LOVE GOD MORE THAN
OUR SIN.***



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James 4:7-8 Submit yourselves therefore to God. Resist the devil, and he will flee from you. Draw nigh to God, and He will draw nigh to you. Cleanse *your* hands, *ye* sinners; and purify *your* hearts, *ye* double minded.

Galatians 5:24-25 And they that are Christ's have crucified the flesh with the affections and lusts. If we live in the Spirit, let us also walk in the Spirit.

Galatians 5:16-17 *This* I say then, Walk in the Spirit, and ye shall not fulfil the lust of the flesh. For the flesh lusteth against the Spirit, and the Spirit against the flesh: and these are contrary the one to the other: so that ye cannot do the things that ye would.



Living Trumpets

1 Peter 2:11-12 Dearly beloved, I beseech *you* as strangers and pilgrims, abstain from fleshly lusts, which war against the soul; Having your conversation honest among the Gentiles: that, whereas they speak against you as evildoers, they may by *your* good works, which they shall behold, glorify God in the day of visitation.

Ye are our epistle written in our hearts, known and read of all men: Forasmuch as ye are manifestly declared to be the epistle of Christ ministered by us, written not with ink, but with the Spirit of the living God; not in tables of stone, but in fleshy tables of the heart.

2 Corinthians 3:2-3

Romans 10:14-15 How then shall they call on Him in whom they have not believed? And how shall they believe in Him of whom they have not heard? And how shall they hear without a preacher? And how shall they preach, except they be sent? As it is written, How beautiful are the feet of them that preach the gospel of peace, and bring glad tidings of good things!

Happy Day of Trumpets!

Put the trumpet to your lips:

Liberty to the captive

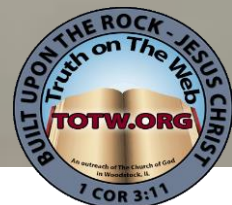
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