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OUTLINE 9/9/12: LUKE 13:1-9

“REPENTANCE”

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1. A common misconception: vs. 1 —“Bad things only happen to bad people. Good things only happen to good people.” Until, it happens to YOU! Rom. 3:23/Gen. 3:16, 17

Amos 3:1, 6/ Prov. 16:4/ Isa. 45:7/ Jer. 18: 8,10,11/ Covenant faithfulness: Josh. 23:13-16/ Dan. 9:16 Nehemiah/ Ezra.

2. Misconception: vs. 2—“I am safe/ we are safe, from this kind of calamity.” Until we are truly informed, we assume we’re better, safer and more righteous than other men.

Deut. 29:19: “hardness of heart”/Prov. 21:2;12:15;16:2 (Sinners/Debtors)

**3. Repentance is first in the command of the gospel call
(Matt. 3:7; 4:17/Mk. 6:12): vs.3-5— Acts 17:34; 20:21/ 2 Pet 3: 9**

WHAT DOES THIS TERM TEACH US? There is a judgment to be averted. That all men are under judgment and it has been affirmed by the cross of Christ (John 12:30).

“Metanoia”: change the mind, the thinking, the actions, life course. “Turn”

Repentance is a gift of God: Acts 5:31; 11:18/ Ps. 80: 17-18

4. The parable of fruitlessness in the face of patience: vs. 6-9 - Isa 5:1-7 /Micah 7:1-7

Israel / The Church: 3 years the Husbandman looks for fruit, faith, trust, repentance and all he gets is a religious show. No humility, no confession of the truth, just religious arguments.

Lord, turn your people! Turn this nation! And if we don’t turn we deserve what we get!

