**Amazing Agape Christian Church**

**2022.02.13 Sunday Sermon 主日講道講章**

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**主題經文Scripture Reading**

**Mark 7:15,18-23**

**15**There is nothing that enters a man from outside which can defile him; but the things which come out of him, those are the things that defile a man.

**18**So He said to them, “Are you thus without understanding also? Do you not perceive that whatever enters a man from outside cannot defile him,

**19**because it does not enter his heart but his stomach, and is eliminated,

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## Our desire to be free

**2 Corinthians 4:4**

**4**whose minds the god of this age has blinded, who do not believe, lest the light of the gospel of the glory of Christ, who is the image of God, should shine on them.

**1 John 5:19-20**

**19**We know that we are of God, and the whole world lies *under the sway of* the wicked one.

**Romans 8:5-11  
5**For those who live according to the flesh set their minds on the things of the flesh, but those *who live* according to the Spirit, the things of the Spirit.

**6**For to be [[b](https://www.biblegateway.com/passage/?search=Romans+8&version=NKJV#fen-NKJV-28123b)]carnally minded *is* death, but to be spiritually minded *is* life

and peace. **7**Because the [[c](https://www.biblegateway.com/passage/?search=Romans+8&version=NKJV#fen-NKJV-28124c)]carnal mind *is* enmity against God; for it is not subject to the law of God, nor indeed can be. **8**So then, those who are in the flesh cannot please God. **9**But you are not in the flesh but in the Spirit, if indeed the Spirit of God dwells in you. Now if anyone does not have the Spirit of Christ, he is not His. **10**And if Christ *is* in you, the body *is* dead because of sin, but the Spirit *is* life because of righteousness. **11**But if the Spirit of Him who raised Jesus from the dead dwells in you, He who raised Christ from the dead will also give life to your mortal bodies [[d](https://www.biblegateway.com/passage/?search=Romans+8&version=NKJV#fen-NKJV-28128d)]through His Spirit who dwells in you.

**1 Corinthians 2:14**

**14**But the natural man does not receive the things of the Spirit of God, for they are foolishness to him; nor can he know *them,* because they are spiritually discerned.

**1 Corinthians 3:3**

**3**for you are still carnal. For where *there are* envy, strife, and divisions among you, are you not carnal and [[a](https://www.biblegateway.com/passage/?search=1+Corinthians+3&version=NKJV#fen-NKJV-28414a)]behaving like *mere* men?

**Isaiah 11:2**

**2**The Spirit of the Lord shall rest upon Him, The Spirit of wisdom and understanding, The Spirit of counsel and might, The Spirit of knowledge and of the fear of the Lord.

**1 Corinthians 2:15  
15**But he who is spiritual judges all things, yet he himself is *rightly* judged by no one.

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Pride—驕傲

Prejudice- 偏見  
Preconception—定見

Sins—罪  
Lies —謊言 / deceit—欺騙  
Fear— 害怕  
Occult—神祕學

Unforgiving—不饒恕

OTHERS

**Ephesians 4:27-29**

**27**nor give [[g](https://www.biblegateway.com/passage/?search=Ephesians+4&version=NKJV#fen-NKJV-29300g)]place to the devil. **28**Let him who stole steal no longer, but rather let him labor, working with *his* hands what is good, that he may have something to give him who has need. **29**Let no corrupt word proceed out of your mouth, but what is good for necessary [[h](https://www.biblegateway.com/passage/?search=Ephesians+4&version=NKJV#fen-NKJV-29302h)]edification, that it may impart grace to the hearers.

**Luke 11:22**

**22**But when a stronger than he comes upon him and overcomes him, he takes from him all his armor in which he trusted, and divides his [[g](https://www.biblegateway.com/passage/?search=Luke+11&version=NKJV#fen-NKJV-25428g)]spoils.

**Luke 11:24-26**

**24**“When an unclean spirit goes out of a man, he goes through dry places, seeking rest; and finding none, he says, ‘I will return to my house from which I came.’ **25**And when he comes, he finds *it* swept and put in order.

**26**Then he goes and takes with *him* seven other spirits more wicked than himself, and they enter and dwell there; and the last *state* of that man is worse than the first.

**2 Corinthians 10:3-6**

**3**For though we walk in the flesh, we do not war according to the flesh. **4**For the weapons of our warfare *are* not [[a](https://www.biblegateway.com/passage/?search=2+Corinthians+10&version=NKJV#fen-NKJV-28976a)]carnal but mighty in God for pulling down strongholds, **5**casting down arguments and every high thing that exalts itself against the knowledge of God, bringing every thought into captivity to the obedience of Christ, **6**and being ready to punish all disobedience when your obedience is fulfilled.

**Colossians 2:14**

**14**having wiped out the [[i](https://www.biblegateway.com/passage/?search=Colossians+2&version=NKJV" \l "fen-NKJV-29509i" \o "See footnote i)]handwriting of requirements that was against us, which was contrary to us. And He has taken it out of the way, having nailed it to the cross.

**Psalms 119:130**

**130**The entrance of Your words gives light; It gives understanding to the

simple.

**John 8:31-32**

**31**Then Jesus said to those Jews who believed Him, “If you abide in My word, you are My disciples indeed. **32**And you shall know the truth, and the truth shall make you free. **1Timothy 1:18**

**18**This [[f](https://www.biblegateway.com/passage/?search=1Timothy+1&version=NKJV#fen-NKJV-29715f)]charge I commit to you, son Timothy, according to the prophecies previously made concerning you, that by them you may wage the good warfare

**Ephesians 6:11-12**

**11**Put on the whole armor of God, that you may be able to stand against the [[b](https://www.biblegateway.com/passage/?search=Ephesians+6&version=NKJV#fen-NKJV-29349b)]wiles of the devil. **12**For we do not wrestle against flesh and blood, but against principalities, against powers, against the rulers of [[c](https://www.biblegateway.com/passage/?search=Ephesians+6&version=NKJV#fen-NKJV-29350c)]the darkness of this age, against spiritual *hosts* of wickedness in the heavenly *places.*

**Philippians 4:6-8**

**6**Be anxious for nothing, but in everything by prayer and supplication, with thanksgiving, let your requests be made known to God; **7**and the peace of God, which surpasses all understanding, will guard your hearts and minds through Christ Jesus. **8**Finally, brethren, whatever things are true, whatever things *are* noble, whatever things *are* just, whatever things *are* pure, whatever things *are* lovely, whatever things *are* of good report, if *there is* any virtue and if *there is* anything praiseworthy—meditate on these things.

**John 14:30b... For the ruler  
30b** for the ruler of this world is coming, and he has nothing in Me.

**Proverbs 4:23**

**23**Keep your heart with all diligence, For out of it *spring* the issues of life.

**Romans 12:2**

**2**And do not be conformed to this world, but be transformed by the renewing of your mind, that you may prove what *is* that good and acceptable and perfect will of God.

**Isaiah 26:3  
3**You will keep *him* in perfect peace, *Whose* mind *is* stayed *on You,* Because he trusts in You. **1 Corinthians 9:24**

**24**Do you not know that those who run in a race all run, but one receives the prize? Run in such a way that you may [[i](https://www.biblegateway.com/passage/?search=1+Corinthians+9&version=NKJV" \l "fen-NKJV-28565i" \o "See footnote i)]obtain *it.*