

Minor Prophets - Major Implications

History, His Story, & You

Hosea 12-14

Sunday, March 21, 2021

2021 HHBC Focus: Growing in thankfulness to God. Stay focused!
Are you filling up your Thankfulness Jar? (*Do you need a jar?*)

Patterns to follow. Patterns to break.

I. God, in His _____, uses _____ to grab the _____ of His children (Ch. 12).

Remember Jacob?

- from birth
- wrestled God
- cheater/deceiver/deceived

God is the worthy hero (vss. 10 & 13):

*Review your history and the Lord's hand in it. How have you experienced His patience, generosity, forgiveness?

II. Apart from _____ with God, we're all the _____ dead (Ch. 13:1-3).

“dead” =

Idolatry is the heart's attempt to fill itself apart from God.

Turning from the Lord is a pattern that impacts EVERYTHING:

Sacrifices will always be made for that which we deem most valuable.

The pattern of human history in Scripture is consistent:

III. God calls His children to _____ from _____ and _____ to His story (Ch. 14:1-3).

A loving, yet firm plea...

- What to do (literally what to say!):
- Put off, renew the mind (agree with God), put on...
- Specifics!

“In you the orphan finds mercy.”

You might be the most miserable person.

A call to be wise (vs. 9)

You can choose.

Next Steps:

1. If this is your first worship experience at HHBC, let us know and tell us how we can pray for you or answer any questions. Send us a message on Facebook or e-mail at info@hhbc.org.
2. If you would like to experience **God's saving grace** through His Son, Jesus Christ, please e-mail or call Pastor Gene this week (cell: 864.616.5899 or gene@hhbc.org).
3. Join us Wednesday at 6:30 pm for Refuel: Prayer & Bible Study, Children's Choir, and Student Ministry!