Pastoral Notes

"Just a little taste" Psalm 34:6-8

We kicked off our 3 day revival seeking God for strength & endurance to fend off a formidable foe, the devil. From a spiritual perspective, the word "revive" means to live again. Unlike, resurrect, where God give 'new life', to revive is when God gives 'more life'.

In the old days, revivals were used to evangelize to people who did not regularly go to church. It has become a we have as human beings. It is important as it eating both pleasurable & repeatable. God wants us to pleasure in him through a repeatable relationship of prayer & supplication.

Food is necessary to sustain human life but we are what we eat. Therefore, it is necessary for us to eat the right things. We must not forget that eating the wrong thing got us in sin in the first place. Jesus is the Bread of Life, so we must partake of him daily to give us all we need to have 'more life'. We think we get soul

Key Sermonic Points

- 1. What you can taste, you can trust
- 2. A little Jesus goes a long way
- 3. When you open your mouth, God opens your eyes

time for church to get refreshed and rejuvenated. I believe a huge key to being revived is to position yourself close to a source of energy that has the power to provide what you need. That source for Christians is God.

The sermonic spotlight was on verse 8 of the text where the psalmist writes "oh taste and see that the Lord is good". We can experience and metaphorically 'taste' the goodness of the Lord when we consider how great is his faithfulness and how he shows us new mercies day by day. Taste is one of five key senses food when we go to places like Pricilla's, McArthurs and Roscoes but only God can provide authentic food to nourish your body and Soul.

Keeping God on your lips, continually, is how you actually taste him. You'll find that like Campbell's soup, he's um um good.

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Stay Blessed, Pastor Robbie

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Nuggets:

- When you make an effort, God makes a way.
- When you trust in God he blesses you.
- Did you know that you can bless God by acknowledging him daily through your prayer and praise.
- God will lift you when the Devil tries to sift you.
- God will bless you when the Devil tries to mess you.
- God will heal you when the Devil tries to kill you.

"When you open your mouth to pray, God allows you to see what he is about to do."