Cayucos Community Church Sermon Notes: 8-18-2024 Pastor Dale James

Great Transitions, pt 2

What are some changes you have experienced?

God creates, navigates & sustains transitions to bring about His good plans & purposes.

Review: Grief and Go - God is with you

Transition takes strength and courage.

Courage = ability to face danger or fear

Strong = power beyond what's expected

Where does the courage & strength come from?

Transition thrusts us deeply into God's Word

Crisis reveals/begets core values

Courage & strength flow from meditation on God's word.

Meditation leads to action: DO

Knowing & doing God's word leads to success/ prosperity

Success = prudent; circumspect

Prosperity = coming to God's desired ends

Doing what God wants, in His way, on His time

Day and night

Not terrified or dismayed

Terror is more than apprehension or anxiety

Dismayed/discouraged from root, to be broken

⇒ crushed or demoralized in spirit

You will never fall off a cliff if tethered to the truth and refuged in God.

Living with ALS

Take it Home

God's way does not remove all the obstacles, silence all the critics, shut down all comparison, evict all our insecurities & inadequacies

Are you ready?

The twin towers of transition: truth and trust