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CHAR SERMON ONLINE DUE TO CCP-CORONA VIRUS: 'CLEANLINESS IS NEXT TO GODLINESS'

MATTHEW 23:25-28:

Mt 23:25 "Woe to you, teachers of the law and Pharisees, you hypocrites! You clean the outside of the cup and dish, but inside they are full of greed and self-indulgence. <sup>Mt 23:26</sup> Blind Pharisee! First clean the inside of the cup and dish, and then the outside also will be clean.

Mt 23:27 "Woe to you, teachers of the law and Pharisees, you hypocrites! You are like whitewashed tombs, which look beautiful on the outside but on the inside are full of dead men's bones and everything unclean. <sup>Mt 23:28</sup> In the same way, on the outside you appear to people as righteous but on the inside you are full of hypocrisy and wickedness.

1<sup>ST</sup> THESSALONIANS 5:18-22 IN GREEK WOULD BE:

IN EVERYTHING – GIVE THANKS

(FOR THIS IS THE WILL OF GOD IN CHRIST JESUS FOR YOU)

THE SPIRIT – DO NOT QUENCH

PROPHECIES – DO NOT REJECT

ALL THINGS – TEST (BUT)

THE GOOD – HOLD FAST

FROM EVERY FORM OF EVIL – ABSTAIN.

Mt 23:23 "Woe to you, teachers of the law and Pharisees, you hypocrites! You give a tenth of your spices—mint, dill and cummin. But you have neglected the more important matters of the law—justice, mercy and faithfulness. You should have practiced the latter, without neglecting the former.

Mt 23:24 You blind guides! You strain out a gnat but swallow a camel.

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A PROPOSED CCP – CORONA VIRUS PROTOCOL

1. GOD IS IN CONTROL; GLORIFY HIM
2. SO, PRAY AND READ YOUR BIBLE (A GOOD HABIT TO GET IF YOU DON'T HAVE IT)
3. DON'T PANIC:
4. DON'T HOARD
5. BE KIND & LOVE ONE ANOTHER
6. STAY HOME IF YOU ARE NOT GOING OUT FOR FOOD OR EMERGENCIES OR APPROVED WORKING.
7. PRACTICE SOCIAL DISTANCING – STAY 6 FEET OR MORE AWAY FROM PEOPLE
8. WASH YOUR HANDS PROPERLY (WET THEM, THEN PULL AWAY FROM THE WATER, APPLY SOAP AND SCRUB FOR AT LEAST 20 SECONDS, THEN RINSE, AND DRY ON SOMETHING THAT IS NOT AT RISK FOR CONTAMINATION ALREADY. USE SOMETHING OTHER THAN YOUR HANDS TO SHUT OFF THE WATER AND OPEN THE BATHROOM DOOR AND SO ON.)
9. COUGH INTO YOUR ELBOW (AGAIN IF YOU ARE COUGHING AND SNEEZING, STAY HOME OR FOLLOW YOUR HEALTH PROVIDER'S INSTRUCTIONS)
10. EAT HEALTHY
11. KEEP INFORMED. SOME GOOD NEWS SITES: [WWW.THEEPOCHTIMES.COM](http://WWW.THEEPOCHTIMES.COM);  
[WWW.FOXNEWS.COM](http://WWW.FOXNEWS.COM); [WWW.WORLD.WNG.ORG](http://WWW.WORLD.WNG.ORG); [WWW.HERITAGE.ORG](http://WWW.HERITAGE.ORG)
12. AND KEEP PRAYING AND BEING KIND TO ONE ANOTHER.