

11-16-25 Scripture

Scripture References from the Sermon

Explicitly Mentioned References:

1. **Matthew 22:37-39** - Greatest commandment: Love God with all your heart, soul, mind, and strength; love your neighbor as yourself
2. **1 Corinthians 2:9** - "No eye has seen, no ear has heard, no mind has conceived what God has prepared for those that love him"
3. **Hebrews 12:14** - "Without holiness, no one will see God"
4. **Acts 2** - Day of Pentecost, Peter's sermon, 3,000 baptized
5. **Acts 2:38** - "Repent and be baptized, every one of you"
6. **Acts 3** - Peter and John heal the crippled beggar
7. **Acts 3:19** - "Repent then and turn to God so that your sins may be wiped out"
8. **Acts 3:22-26** - Moses' prophecy about the coming prophet; turning from wicked ways
9. **Acts 4** - Peter and John before the Sanhedrin
10. **Acts 4:12** - "Salvation is found in no one else"
11. **Acts 4:18-20** - Command not to speak in Jesus' name; response about obeying God rather than men
12. **Romans 1** - People knew God but neither glorified Him nor gave thanks

13. **Romans 6** - Buried with Christ in death, united with Him in resurrection
14. **Romans 12:1-3** - Offer bodies as living sacrifices; transformed by renewing of mind; sober judgment
15. **James 2:14-26** - Faith without works is dead
16. **Matthew 7:13-14** - Narrow gate and broad way
17. **Matthew 19:16-24** (Mark 10:17-25, Luke 18:18-25) - Rich young ruler; camel through eye of needle
18. **Matthew 6:33** - "Seek first the kingdom of God and His righteousness"
19. **Matthew 10:19-20** (Luke 12:11-12) - Holy Spirit will give you words when brought before authorities
20. **Matthew 18:3** - "Be like a child"
21. **Matthew 17:20** - Mustard seed faith

Alluded To or Thematic References:

22. **Psalm 23:4** - "Valley of the shadow of death, fear no evil"
23. **Matthew 28:19-20** - Great Commission ("Go into all the world")
24. **John 14:26** - Holy Spirit will teach you
25. **Luke 9:23** - "Take up your cross and follow me"
26. **1 Corinthians 15:6** - Jesus appeared to over 500 people
27. **John 19:34** - Spear in Jesus' side, blood and water

28. **2 Corinthians 6:2** - "Today is the day of salvation"
29. **Acts 1:3** - Jesus appeared over 40 days after resurrection
30. **Galatians 2:20** - "I have been crucified with Christ"
31. **1 Thessalonians 5:18** - "Give thanks in all circumstances"
32. **Ephesians 2:8-9** - Saved by grace through faith
33. **2 Timothy 3:12** - "All who desire to live godly in Christ Jesus will be persecuted"

This sermon heavily emphasizes the book of Acts (chapters 2-4) while weaving in teachings about following Christ, sacrifice, transformation, and bold witness.