

Based on the sermon transcription, here are the scripture references mentioned or alluded to, as well as some relevant verses that align with the main themes discussed:

Mentioned or Alluded to:

1. Psalm 103:1 - "Praise the Lord, O my soul, and all that is within me."
2. Job 1:21 - "The Lord gave and the Lord has taken away; may the name of the Lord be praised."
3. Philippians 4:4 - "Rejoice in the Lord always."
4. Revelation 2:4 - (Allusion to Ephesus forsaking its first love)
5. John 1:14 - "Full of grace and truth"
6. John 8:1-11 - The woman caught in adultery
7. Acts 6:2 - Apostles not neglecting prayer and ministry of the word
8. Acts 20:17-38 - Paul's farewell to the Ephesian elders
9. Ephesians 6:11 - "Put on the full armor of God"

10. 1 Peter 1:15-16 - "Be holy, because I am holy"

11. Hebrews 5:12 - "By this time you ought to be teachers"

Relevant verses aligning with main themes:

1. On knowing the whole will of God:

- Colossians 1:9-10
- 2 Timothy 3:16-17

2. On being a witness for Christ:

- Matthew 28:19-20
- Acts 1:8

3. On spiritual growth and maturity:

- 2 Peter 3:18
- Ephesians 4:15

4. On false teachers and discernment:

- Matthew 7:15
- 1 John 4:1

5. On the importance of Scripture:

- Psalm 119:105
- Joshua 1:8

6. On perseverance in faith:

- James 1:2-4
- Hebrews 12:1-2

7. On the role of church leaders:

- 1 Peter 5:2-3
- Titus 1:9