## WELCOME TO HAVEN ONLINE

Welcome

Worship Song "Love Will Hold Us Together/Let It Be"

Scripture for Today James 1:22-25 (NIV)

Prayer

Message "The Book of James: Listen & Do"

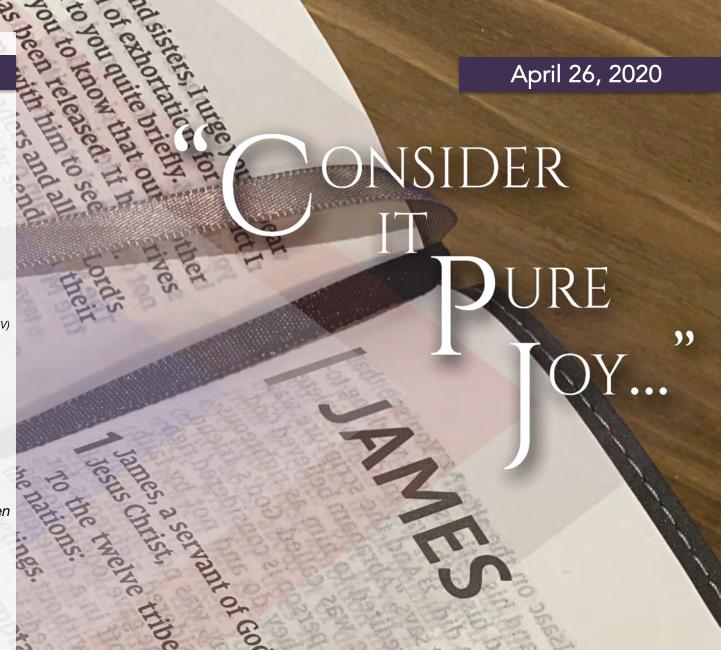
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Worship Song

"Cornerstone"

\*Closing







THE BOOK OF JAMES

LISTEN & DO

## **LISTEN & DO IT**

"Do not merely listen to the word, and so deceive yourselves. Do what it says. Anyone who listens to the word but does not do what it says is like someone who looks at his face in a mirror and, after looking at himself, goes away and immediately forgets what he looks like. But whoever looks intently into the perfect law that gives freedom and continues in it—not forgetting what they have heard, but doing it—they will be blessed in what they do."

— James 1:22-25

"In them is fulfilled the prophecy of Isaiah: "'You will be ever hearing but never understanding: you will be ever seeing but never perceiving. For this people's heart has become calloused; they hardly hear with their ears, and they have closed their eyes. Otherwise they might see with their eyes, hear with their ears, understand with their hearts and turn, and I would heal them.""

— Matthew 13:14–15

"Jesus replied: "A certain man was preparing a great banquet and invited many guests. At the time of the banquet he sent his servant to tell those who had been invited, 'Come, for everything is now ready.' "But they all alike began to make excuses. The first said, 'I have just bought a field, and I must go and see it. Please excuse me.' "Another said, 'I have just bought five yoke of oxen, and I'm on my way to try them out. Please excuse me.' "Still another said, 'I just got married, so I can't come.' "The servant came back and reported this to his master. Then the owner of the house became angry and ordered his servant, 'Go out quickly into the streets and alleys of the town and bring in the poor, the crippled, the blind and the lame.' "'Sir,' the servant said, 'what you ordered has been done, but there is still room.' "Then the master told his servant, 'Go out to the roads and country lanes and compel them to come in, so that my house will be full."

- Luke 14:16-23

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— Luke 14:17

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|   | "But they all alike began to make excuses. The first said, 'I have just bought a field, and I must go and see it.  Please excuse me.'"  - Luke 14:18  |
|   | "'Go out quickly into the streets and alleys of the town and bring in the poor, the crippled, the blind and the lame.'"  – Luke 14:21   |
| / | Remember how we are   |
|   | "The Lord is close to the brokenhearted and saves those who are crushed in spirit." - Psalm 34:18   |
|   | "Jesus straightened up and asked her, "Woman, where are they? Has no one condemned you?" "No one, sir," she said. "Then neither do I condemn you," Jesus declared. "Go now and leave your life of sin."  – John 8:10-11 |
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|   | "Then the master told his servant, 'Go out to the roads and country lanes and compel them to come in, so that my house will be full."  — Luke 14:21   |
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