

2026-06-17 Scripture

Scripture References from the Sermon

Explicitly Mentioned References:

1. **Amos 8:5-8** - Merchants cheating with dishonest scales, skimping measures
2. **Amos 8:9-14** - Sun going down at noon, famine of hearing God's word
3. **Amos 9:1** - The Lord standing by the altar
4. **Revelation 2-3** - "I know your deeds" (letters to the seven churches)
5. **Matthew 27:50-54** - Earthquake at Jesus' death, curtain torn, centurion's declaration
6. **Romans 8:22** - All creation groaning, waiting for sons of God to be revealed
7. **1 Samuel 3:1** - The word of the Lord was rare in those days
8. **Romans 12:1** - Present yourselves as living sacrifices
9. **James 1:5** - If you lack wisdom, ask God who gives without finding fault

Alluded to References:

10. **Genesis 4** - Abel's acceptable sacrifice (Cain and Abel story)
11. **Genesis 22** - Abraham and Isaac at the altar
12. **Genesis 28:10-22** - Jacob's ladder/stairway to heaven, promise to tithe
13. **Genesis 32:22-32** - Jacob wrestling with God
14. **Luke 16:19-31** - Rich man and Lazarus
15. **Matthew 6:1-4** - Don't do righteous acts to be seen by men; Father sees in secret
16. **Matthew 10:19-20** - Holy Spirit will give you words to speak
17. **John 14:16-17, 26** - Jesus sending the Comforter/Holy Spirit who teaches
18. **Matthew 16:24** / **Luke 9:23** - Deny yourself, take up your cross
19. **Hebrews 4:12** - Word of God is living and active, sharper than

double-edged sword

20. **Romans 8:26-27** - Spirit intercedes with groans

21. **2 Corinthians 12:9-10** - "My grace is sufficient"; when weak, then strong

22. **Philippians 2:12-13** - Work out your salvation with fear and trembling

Relevant Verses for Main Themes:

Theme: God Sees Everything

- **Proverbs 15:3** - "The eyes of the LORD are everywhere"

- **Hebrews 4:13** - "Nothing is hidden from God's sight"

Theme: Judgment and Warning

- **Amos 5:18-24** - Day of the Lord, justice and righteousness

- **Ezekiel 33:11** - God takes no pleasure in death of wicked

Theme: True vs. False Worship

- **Isaiah 1:11-17** - God despises empty religious rituals

- **Micah 6:8** - Do justice, love mercy, walk humbly

Theme: Famine of God's Word

- **Amos 8:11-12** - (directly referenced in sermon)

Theme: Living Sacrifice

- **Galatians 2:20** - "I have been crucified with Christ"

- **Romans 6:11-14** - Dead to sin, alive to God