

# No News is Good News

Mark 16:12-20

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**Isaiah 52:7** - “How beautiful on the mountains are the feet of those who bring good news, who proclaim peace, who bring good tidings, who proclaim salvation, who say to Zion, ‘Your God reigns.’”

“No news is good news,” can be comforting when we are waiting for someone to come home, and they are a little late. In many homes today we are saturated with news.

- Newspapers arrive in the morning . . . In some places, afternoon as well.
- We begin our day with all the news—good, bad, indifferent, or informative.

Radio & Television offer:

- “The Morning News”
- “Mid-Morning News”
- “The News at Noon”
- “Early Afternoon News”
- “The Evening News”
- “Late Night News”
- “Breaking News” interrupting regular programming.

We have “top of the hour” headlines and thirty minutes later, “bottom of the hour” headlines. Internet news, cable news (24/7), news via your cell phone. Monitors in the gate areas of major airports report news.

Certainly, these things absorb our time and energy. World events, beyond our control, create worry. While it is good to remain “informed” about current news and events, how much better it would be if we were as informed about the Good News” of the Bible as we are with the news snet through various forms of the media.

Many years ago, an angel from Heaven visited some shepherds, saying, “I bring good news of great joy that will be for all the people. Today . . . A Savior has been born to you, He is Christ the Lord.” That’s our good news . . . That’s our best news and we need to be attuned to it every day. Let’s never stop teaching and proclaiming the good news that Jesus is the Christ.” **Acts 2:43** – “Day after day, in the temple courts and from house to house, they never stopped teaching and proclaiming the good news that Jesus is the Christ.”

## God’s Plan for Man’s Salvation

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