

... of such men fool - of scorn you a fool - there are  
 fool, would expect - who regarding go to church. Key word of  
 fool is heart, not mind, but emptiness, w/out meaning. warns  
 that is might invade worship - highest act, man - fool  
 here is the biggest fool: what would normally be  
 regarded as a commendable practice is fool's sacrifice  
result: sin in church - don't realize it - results are opposite  
- a man can make a fool of himself at church.

Def. of fool: Self- confident - imagines God is satisfied w/ this  
worship is sacrifice - offering to God - 3 pictures of worship  
 outward observance w/out  
 inward obedience

I - worships w/out Preparing for it - VI - Fool

- ① Keep foot - "watch your step" - movement approach  
worship begins before it begins @ Jer 7; Matt 5 - preparation
- ② Thoughtfully, realizing what you to do - Sat. with affects Sun morn
- ③ more ready to hear = soft power, reaching, lies in  
mutual preparation. - Parable of Sower

II - worships w/out Paying attention to it - v. 2

- ① Ask w/ thy mouth - v. 36 asking in church, voice hear God's  
voice ① words in few - ② God's lofty position our lowly  
place Reverence, fear - Pre-occupied man
- ② Wastly heart = emotional response only - flighty, light,  
trifling w/ God - even decisions are made thoughtlessly  
- words travel further down road than our hearts

View is a contract w/ God, a commitment made to God.

III - worships w/out Practicing it - v. 4 - 6 - Sun. worship

don't affect Sat morn days world - ① Reason: Delay -  
 ① young Xian resolved to live better but not yet  
 ② witness ③ fishes ④ apologize - nothing hardens hearts,  
stiffens wills & sees conscience as much as to be brought  
 to point of melting, then to cool down into old shape.

⑤ "no man can put hand to plow & turn back".

Cortez land on shores, burned ships so they could not  
 leave - He made no arrangements for retreat - one-way

Reaction = vs 4 "destroy worky hands" - God renders unsuccessful  
whatever man attempts - God's blessings w/drawn from this me.  
Offered everything but self.