

**Rise Up! The Prayers of Elijah**  
**“Of Ravens and Widows”**  
**1 Kings 17:1-24**  
**April 21, 2024**

**Sermon Points:**

- 1. Elijah declares a drought (1 Kings 17:1).**
- 2. The Lord directs Elijah to leave and head for the Kerith Ravine (1 Kings 17:3-4).**
- 3. The Lord then instructs Elijah to head to Sidon to meet a widow.**
- 4. The widow felt she was out of options (1 Kings 17:12).**
- 5. The Lord began to provide for Elijah, the widow, and her son (1 Kings 17:13-14, 1 Kings 17:15-16)**
  - A. Doubt may still exist; but we can always say yes to the One who is Faithful.
- 6. The widow’s son grew ill and stopped breathing (1 Kings 17:17-18)**
- 7. Elijah pleaded to God to save the boy’s life (1 Kings 17:19-21)**
  - A. Prayer is not an incantation or magic spell, it is a conversation between you and God.
  - B. Our Prayers must be in accordance with His will and purpose.
- 8. The Lord heard Elijah’s pleas and brought the boy back to life (1 Kings 17:22-24).**
  - A. God is willing to perform a miracle for you just as he did for the widow.
  - B. Never lose grip of Jesus’ sacrifice which he made for you.

**A.S.A.P.**

Fill in what Pastor Henry’s ASAP is for us today!

1. Examine your \_\_\_\_\_ Life.
2. Get in God’s \_\_\_\_\_.
3. See the \_\_\_\_\_ around \_\_\_\_\_.
4. \_\_\_\_\_ Up.

