

**Fighting the Good Fight,
Finishing the Course, and
Loving the Lord's Appearing**

Monday 2/22

2 Tim. 4:7

7 I have fought the good fight; I have finished the course; I have kept the faith.

2 Tim. 2:3-4

3 Suffer evil with me as a good soldier of Christ Jesus.

4 No one serving as a soldier entangles himself with the affairs of this life, that he may please the one who enlisted him.

1 Tim. 6:11-12

11 But you, O man of God, flee these things, and pursue righteousness, godliness, faith, love, endurance, meekness.

12 Fight the good fight of the faith; lay hold on the eternal life, to which you were called and have confessed the good confession before many witnesses.

Eph. 6:11-13

11 Put on the whole armor of God that you may be able to stand against the stratagems of the devil,

12 For our wrestling is not against blood and flesh but against the rulers, against the authorities, against the world-rulers of this darkness, against the spiritual forces of evil in the heavenlies.

13 Therefore take up the whole armor of God that you may be able to withstand in the evil day, and having done all, to stand.

Further Reading: *HWMR The Christian Life, the Church Life, the Consummation of the Age, and the Coming of the Lord - Week 7, Day 1*

Corporate Reading of "The Basic Revelation in the Holy Scriptures" Chapter 2 – Sections: Abolishing the Law of the Commandments in Ordinances; Destroying Satan and Judging the World

Tuesday 2/23

1 Tim. 1:3-4, 18

3 Even as I exhorted you, when I was going into Macedonia, to remain in Ephesus in order that you might charge certain ones not to teach different things

4 Nor to give heed to myths and unending genealogies, which produce questionings rather than God's economy, which is in faith.

18 This charge I commit to you, my child Timothy, according to the prophecies previously made concerning you, that by them you might war the good warfare,

Eph. 5:32

32 This mystery is great, but I speak with regard to Christ and the church.

Eph. 6:14-18

14 Stand therefore, having girded your loins with truth and having put on the breastplate of righteousness

15 And having shod your feet with the firm foundation of the gospel of peace;

16 Besides all these, having taken up the shield of faith, with which you will be able to quench all the flaming darts of the evil one.

17 And receive the helmet of salvation and the sword of the Spirit, which Spirit is the word of God,

18 By means of all prayer and petition, praying at every time in spirit and watching unto this in all perseverance and petition concerning all the saints,

Further Reading: *HWMR The Christian Life, the Church Life, the Consummation of the Age, and the Coming of the Lord - Week 7, Day 2*

Corporate Reading of "The Basic Revelation in the Holy Scriptures" Chapter 2 – Sections: *Releasing the Divine Life; Resurrected; Glorified in the Divine Life; Becoming the Firstborn Son of God with Many Brothers*

Wednesday 2/24

2 Tim. 4:7

See Monday

Heb. 12:1

1 Therefore let us also, having so great a cloud of witnesses surrounding us, put away every encumbrance and the sin which so easily entangles us and run with endurance the race which is set before us,

Acts 20:24

24 But I consider my life of no account as if precious to myself, in order that I may finish my course and the ministry which I have received from the Lord Jesus to solemnly testify of the gospel of the grace of God.

1 Cor. 9:24-26

24 Do you not know that those who run on a racecourse all run, but one receives the prize? Run in this way, that you may lay hold.

25 And everyone who contends exercises self-control in all things; they then, that they may receive a corruptible crown, but we, an incorruptible.

26 I therefore run in this way, not as though without a clear aim; I box in this way, not as though beating the air;

Phil. 3:12-14

12 Not that I have already obtained or am already perfected, but I pursue, if even I may lay hold of that for which I also have been laid hold of by Christ Jesus.

13 Brothers, I do not account of myself to have laid hold; but one thing I do: Forgetting the things which are behind and stretching forward to the things which are before,

14 I pursue toward the goal for the prize to which God in Christ Jesus has called me upward.

Further Reading: *HWMR The Christian Life, the Church Life, the Consummation of the Age, and the Coming of the Lord - Week 7, Day 3*

Corporate Reading of "The Basic Revelation in the Holy Scriptures" Chapter 2 – Sections: *Becoming the Life-giving Spirit; Breathing into His Believers; Exalted*

Thursday 2/25

Heb. 12:2

2 Looking away unto Jesus, the Author and Perfecter of our faith, who for the joy set before Him endured the cross, despising the shame, and has sat down on the right hand of the throne of God.

Psa.27:4

4 One thing I have asked from Jehovah; That do I seek: To dwell in the house of Jehovah All the days of my life, To behold the beauty of Jehovah, And to inquire in His temple.

Heb. 2:9

9 But we see Jesus, who was made a little inferior to the angels because of the suffering of death, crowned with glory and honor, so that by the grace of God He might taste death on behalf of everything.

Heb. 12:3

3 For compare Him who has endured such contradiction by sinners against Himself, so that you may not grow weary, fainting in your souls.

Gen. 15:6

6 And he believed Jehovah, and He accounted it to

him as righteousness.

S. S. 1:4

4 Draw me; we will run after you-The king has brought me into his chambers-We will be glad and rejoice in you; We will extol your love more than wine. Rightly do they love you.

2 Cor. 3:16-18

16 But whenever their heart turns to the Lord, the veil is taken away.

17 And the Lord is the Spirit; and where the Spirit of the Lord is, there is freedom.

18 But we all with unveiled face, beholding and reflecting like a mirror the glory of the Lord, are being transformed into the same image from glory to glory, even as from the Lord Spirit.

Further Reading: *HWMR The Christian Life, the Church Life, the Consummation of the Age, and the Coming of the Lord - Week 7, Day 4*

Corporate Reading of "The Basic Revelation in the Holy Scriptures" Chapter 3 – Sections: The Spirit's Application

Friday 2/26

2 Tim. 4:1, 8, 18, 2, 5

1 I solemnly charge you before God and Christ Jesus, who is to judge the living and the dead, and by His appearing and His kingdom:

8 Henceforth there is laid up for me the crown of righteousness, with which the Lord, the righteous Judge, will recompense me in that day, and not only me but also all those who have loved His appearing.

18 The Lord will deliver me from every evil work and will save me into His heavenly kingdom, to whom be the glory forever and ever. Amen.

2 Proclaim the word; be ready in season and out of season; convict, rebuke, exhort with all long-suffering and teaching.

5 But you, be sober in all things, suffer evil, do the work of an evangelist, fully accomplish your ministry.

1 Cor. 2:9-12

9 But as it is written, "Things which eye has not seen and ear has not heard and which have not come up in man's heart; things which God has prepared for those who love Him."

10 But to us God has revealed them through the Spirit, for the Spirit searches all things, even the depths of God.

11 For who among men knows the things of man, except the spirit of man which is in him? In the same way, the things of God also no one has known except the Spirit of God.

12 But we have received not the spirit of the world but the Spirit which is from God, that we may know the things which have been graciously given to us by God;

Rev. 17:14

14 These will make war with the Lamb, and the Lamb will overcome them, for He is Lord of lords and King of kings; and they who are with Him, the called and chosen and faithful, will also overcome them.

Further Reading: *HWMR The Christian Life, the Church Life, the Consummation of the Age, and the Coming of the Lord - Week 7, Day 5*

Corporate Reading of "The Basic Revelation in the Holy Scriptures" Chapter 3 – Sections: The Spirit Throughout The Word; The Spirit of God; The Spirit of Jehovah; The Holy Spirit; The Spirit Being Not Yet

Saturday 2/27

1 Thes. 1:10

10 And await His Son from the heavens, whom He raised from the dead, Jesus, who delivers us from the wrath which is coming.

Rev. 22:20

20 He who testifies these things says, Yes, I come quickly. Amen. Come, Lord Jesus!

Phil. 3:20

20 For our commonwealth exists in the heavens, from which also we eagerly await a Savior, the Lord Jesus Christ,

Luke 12:22-23, 29-31, 34, 40

22 And He said to His disciples, Therefore I say to you, Do not be anxious for your life, what you should eat; nor for your body, what you should put on;

23 For the life is more than food, and the body more than clothing.

29 And you, do not seek what you shall eat and what you shall drink, and do not be unsettled.

30 For all these things the Gentiles of the world are anxiously seeking, but your Father knows that you need these things.

31 However, seek His kingdom, and these things shall be added to you.

34 For where your treasure is, there also your heart

will be.

40 You also, be ready, because at an hour when you do not expect it, the Son of Man is coming.

Further Reading: *HWMR The Christian Life, the Church Life, the Consummation of the Age, and the Coming of the Lord - Week 7, Day 6*

Hymns #1206

Lord's Day 2/28

Acts 20:32

32 And now I commit you to God and to the word of His grace, which is able to build you up and to give you the inheritance among all those who have been sanctified.

Phil. 2:12-16

12 So then, my beloved, even as you have always obeyed, not as in my presence only but now much rather in my absence, work out your own salvation with fear and trembling;

13 For it is God who operates in you both the willing and the working for His good pleasure.

14 Do all things without murmurings and reasonings

15 That you may be blameless and guileless, children of God without blemish in the midst of a crooked and perverted generation, among whom you shine as luminaries in the world,

16 Holding forth the word of life, so that I may have a boast in the day of Christ that I did not run in vain nor labor in vain.

1 Cor. 9:24-26

See Wednesday

2 Tim. 4:17, 22

17 But the Lord stood with me and empowered me that through me the proclamation of the gospel might be fully accomplished and all the Gentiles might hear; and I was delivered out of the lion's mouth.

22 The Lord be with your spirit. Grace be with you.

Further Reading

Life-Study of 1 Timothy, msgs. 2, 12

Life-Study of Hebrews, msg. 50

CWWL, 1963, vol. 3, "A Brief Definitions of the Kingdom of the Heavens", ch. 5