

The Triune God in Christ Being Life to Us by Shining in Our Hearts**Monday 9/30****2 Cor. 4:4-5**

4 In whom the god of this age has blinded the thoughts of the unbelievers that the illumination of the gospel of the glory of Christ, who is the image of God, might not shine on them.

5 For we do not preach ourselves but Christ Jesus as Lord, and ourselves as your slaves for Jesus' sake.

Heb. 1:3

3 Who, being the effulgence of His glory and the impress of His substance and upholding and bearing all things by the word of His power, having made purification of sins, sat down on the right hand of the Majesty on high;

1 Tim. 1:11

11 According to the gospel of the glory of the blessed God, with which I was entrusted.

Acts 26:18

18 To open their eyes, to turn them from darkness to light and from the authority of Satan to God, that they may receive forgiveness of sins and an inheritance among those who have been sanctified by faith in Me.

John 1:14

14 And the Word became flesh and tabernacled among us (and we beheld His glory, glory as of the only Begotten from the Father), full of grace and reality.

Eph. 1:6

6 To the praise of the glory of His grace, with which He graced us in the Beloved;

Further Reading: *HWMR The Christian Life – Week 6, Day 1*

Tuesday 10/1**2 Cor. 4:6**

See Lord's Day

Phil. 2:15

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,

Matt. 17:2

2 And He was transfigured before them, and His face shone like the sun, and His garments became as white as the light.

Matt. 5:16

16 In the same way, let your light shine before men, so that they may see your good works and glorify your Father who is in the heavens.

Isa. 60:1-2

1 Arise! Shine! For your light has come, And the glory of Jehovah has risen upon you.

2 For, behold, the darkness will cover the earth, And deep darkness the peoples; But Jehovah will rise upon you, And His glory will be seen upon you.

1 Pet. 2:9

9 But you are a chosen race, a royal priesthood, a holy nation, a people acquired for a possession, so that you may tell out the virtues of Him who has called you out of darkness into His marvelous light;

Eph. 5:8

8 For you were once darkness but are now light in the Lord; walk as children of light

Further Reading: *HWMR The Christian Life – Week 6, Day 2*

Wednesday 10/2**2 Cor. 4:7**

See Lord's Day

Phil. 4:13

13 I am able to do all things in Him who empowers me.

Col. 2:9

9 For in Him dwells all the fullness of the Godhead bodily,

Col. 3:11

11 Where there cannot be Greek and Jew, circumcision and uncircumcision, barbarian, Scythian, slave, free man, but Christ is all and in all.

Col. 1:27

27 To whom God willed to make known what are the riches of the glory of this mystery among the Gentiles, which is Christ in you, the hope of glory,

2 Cor. 3:5-6

5 Not that we are sufficient of ourselves to account anything as from ourselves; but our sufficiency is from God,

6 Who has also made us sufficient as ministers of a new covenant, ministers not of the letter but of the Spirit; for the letter kills, but the Spirit gives life.

2 Cor. 1:9

9 Indeed we ourselves had the response of death in ourselves, that we should not base our confidence on ourselves but on God, who raises the dead;

Further Reading: *HWMR The Christian Life – Week 6, Day 3*

Thursday 10/3**2 Cor. 3:18**

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.

Rom. 8:29

29 Because those whom He foreknew, He also predestinated to be conformed to the image of His Son, that He might be the Firstborn among many brothers;

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.

Rom. 12:2

2 And do not be fashioned according to this age, but be transformed by the renewing of the mind that you may prove what the will of God is, that which is good and well pleasing and perfect.

2 Cor. 3:3, 6, 16-17

3 Since you are being manifested that you are a letter of Christ ministered by us, inscribed not with ink but with the Spirit of the living God;

not in tablets of stone but in tablets of hearts of flesh.

6 Who has also made us sufficient as ministers of a new covenant, ministers not of the letter but of the Spirit; for the letter kills, but the Spirit gives life.

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.

Further Reading: *HWMR The Christian Life – Week 6, Day 4*

Friday 10/4

Eph. 5:8-9

8 For you were once darkness but are now light in the Lord; walk as children of light

9 (For the fruit of the light consists in all goodness and righteousness and truth),

1 John 1:5

5 And this is the message which we have heard from Him and announce to you, that God is light and in Him is no darkness at all.

John 12:36a

36a While you have the light, believe into the light, so that you may become sons of light.

Matt. 5:14

14 You are the light of the world. It is impossible for a city situated upon a mountain to be hidden.

1 John 1:7

7 But if we walk in the light as He is in the light, we have fellowship with one another, and the blood of Jesus His Son cleanses us from every sin.

Rom. 5:21

21 In order that just as sin reigned in death, so also grace might reign through righteousness unto eternal life through Jesus Christ our Lord.

John 16:13

13 But when He, the Spirit of reality, comes, He will guide you into all the reality; for He will not speak from Himself, but what He hears He will speak; and He will declare to you the things that are coming.

Further Reading: *HWMR The Christian Life – Week 6, Day 5*

Saturday 10/5

Rev. 21:23

23 And the city has no need of the sun or of the moon that they should shine in it, for the glory of God illumined it, and its lamp is the Lamb.

Rev. 22:4-5

4 And they will see His face, and His name will be on their forehead.

5 And night will be no more; and they have no need of the light of a lamp and of the light of the sun, for the Lord God will shine upon them; and they will reign forever and ever.

1 Cor. 2:7

7 But we speak God's wisdom in a mystery, the wisdom which has been hidden, which God predestined before the ages for our glory,

1 Pet. 5:10-11

10 But the God of all grace, He who has called you into His eternal glory in Christ Jesus, after you have suffered a little while, will Himself perfect, establish, strengthen, and ground you.

11 To Him be the glory and the might forever and ever. Amen.

1 Thes. 2:12

12 So that you might walk in a manner worthy of God, who calls you into His own kingdom and glory.

Rom. 8:30

30 And those whom He predestinated, these He also called; and those whom He called, these He also justified; and those whom He justified, these He also glorified.

Further Reading: *HWMR The Christian Life – Week 6, Day 6*

Lord's Day 10/6

Num. 6:24-25

24 Jehovah bless you and keep you;

25 Jehovah make His face shine upon you and be gracious to you;

Psa. 17:15

15 As for me, in righteousness I will behold Your face; When I awake, I will be satisfied with Your

likeness.

Psa. 42:5

5 Why are you cast down, O my soul? And why are you disquieted within me? Hope in God, for I will yet praise Him For the salvation of His countenance.

2 Cor. 4:6-7

6 Because the God who said, Out of darkness light shall shine, is the One who shined in our hearts to illuminate the knowledge of the glory of God in the face of Jesus Christ.

7 But we have this treasure in earthen vessels that the excellency of the power may be of God and not out of us.

2 Cor. 3:18

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.

Hymn, #501

Further Reading:

*Footnotes on 2 Corinthians 3:18 –
Notes 1 through 11*

Churchwide Truth Pursuit

Level 1—Hebrews Sequential Reading

Scripture Reading and Copying: *Heb. 11:23-31*

Assigned Reading: *Life-study of Hebrews*, msgs. 56

Level 2—Hebrews Topical Study

Crucial Point: *The Witnesses of Faith and the Work of Faith*

Scripture: *Heb. 11:2-40*

Assigned Reading: *Life-study of Hebrews*, msg. 48

Supplemental Reading: CWWN, vol. 6, "The Christian (4): Spiritual Teachings," chs. 10, 12

Questions:

1. Consider each of the witnesses of faith.
2. In Heb. 11:13, what does it mean that the witnesses of faith saw the promises "from afar?"
3. Of the manners of life of the witnesses listed in Heb. 11, which manner of life did the Lord use to speak to you the most?
4. What does Heb. 11:40 mean?