

**The Economy of God
In 1 and 2 Peter**

Monday 5/25

1 Peter 1:2

2 Chosen according to the foreknowledge of God the Father in the sanctification of the Spirit unto obedience and the sprinkling of the blood of Jesus Christ: Grace to you and peace be multiplied.

1 Pet. 2:24

24 Who Himself bore up our sins in His body on the tree, in order that we, having died to sins, might live to righteousness; by whose bruise you were healed.

1 Pet. 3:18

18 For Christ also has suffered once for sins, the Righteous on behalf of the unrighteous, that He might bring you to God, on the one hand being put to death in the flesh, but on the other, made alive in the spirit;

Eph. 1:3-6, 9-10

3 Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who has blessed us with every spiritual blessing in the heavenlies in Christ,

4 Even as He chose us in Him before the foundation of the world to be holy and without blemish before Him in love,

5 Predestinating us unto sonship through Jesus Christ to Himself, according to the good pleasure of His will,

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

9 Making known to us the mystery of His will according to His good pleasure, which He purposed in Himself,

10 Unto the economy of the fullness of the times, to head up all things in Christ, the things in the heavens and the things on the earth, in Him;

1 Pet. 1:10, 12, 15

10 Concerning this salvation the prophets, who prophesied concerning the grace that was to come unto you, sought and searched diligently,

12 To them it was revealed that not to themselves but to you they ministered these things, which have now been announced to you through those who preached the gospel to you by the Holy Spirit sent from heaven, which things angels long to look into.

15 But according to the Holy One who called you, you yourselves also be holy in all your manner of

life;

Further Reading: *HWMR The Crystallization-Study of 1 & 2 Peter and Jude - Week 2, Day 1*

Corporate Reading of “The Christian Life”

Chapter 17 – Sections: *The Anointing Spirit—The Compound Spirit With All His Ingredients (Elements) Becoming The Anointing Ointment For The Anointing Of All The Things And Persons That Are Of God And For God*

Tuesday 5/26

2 Peter 1:3-4

3 Seeing that His divine power has granted to us all things which relate to life and godliness, through the full knowledge of Him who has called us by His own glory and virtue,

4 Through which He has granted to us precious and exceedingly great promises that through these you might become partakers of the divine nature, having escaped the corruption which is in the world by lust.

1 Peter 5:10

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.

Rom 8:18-19, 28-30

18 For I consider that the sufferings of this present time are not worthy to be compared with the coming glory to be revealed upon us.

19 For the anxious watching of the creation eagerly awaits the revelation of the sons of God.

28 And we know that all things work together for good to those who love God, to those who are called according to His purpose.

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;

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.

2 Pet. 3:18

18 But grow in the grace and knowledge of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. To Him be the glory both now and unto the day of eternity. Amen.

Further Reading: *HWMR The Crystallization-Study of 1 & 2 Peter and Jude - Week 2, Day 2*

Corporate Reading of “The Christian Life”

Chapter 17 – Sections: *The Spirit—The Consummated Spirit Of The Processed And Consummated Triune God As The Consummation Of The Triune God; The Spirit And The Bride; The Christian Life*

Wednesday 5/27

1 Peter 1:3-5

3 Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who according to His great mercy has regenerated us unto a living hope through the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead,

4 Unto an inheritance, incorruptible and undefiled and unfading, kept in the heavens for you,

5 Who are being guarded by the power of God through faith unto a salvation ready to be revealed at the last time;

2 Peter 1:11

11 For in this way the entrance into the eternal kingdom of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ will be richly and bountifully supplied to you.

Heb. 11:1

1 Now faith is the substantiation of things hoped for, the conviction of things not seen.

Heb. 12:1-2a

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,

2a Looking away unto Jesus, the Author and Perfecter of our faith,

2 Pet. 1:1

1 Simon Peter, a slave and apostle of Jesus Christ, to those who have been allotted faith equally precious as ours in the righteousness of our God and Savior, Jesus Christ:

2 Pet. 3:13

13 But according to His promise we are expecting new heavens and a new earth, in which righteousness dwells.

Further Reading: *HWMR The Crystallization-Study of 1 & 2 Peter and Jude - Week 2, Day 3*

Corporate Reading of “The Overcoming Life”

Chapter 1 – Sections: *Our Experience; The Life That God Has Ordained For A Christian; Eight Types Of Failure In A Christian; Spiritual Sins*

Thursday 5/28

1 Peter 5:8-9

8 Be sober; watch. Your adversary, the devil, as a roaring lion, walks about, seeking someone to devour.

9 Him withstand, being firm in your faith, knowing that the same sufferings are being accomplished among your brotherhood in the world.

2 Peter 3:7-13

7 But the heavens and the earth now, by the same word, have been stored up for fire, being kept unto the day of judgment and destruction of ungodly men.

8 But do not let this one thing escape you, beloved, that with the Lord one day is like a thousand years and a thousand years like one day.

9 The Lord does not delay regarding the promise, as some count delay, but is long-suffering toward you, not intending that any perish but that all advance to repentance.

10 But the day of the Lord will come as a thief, in which the heavens will pass away with a roar, and the elements, burning with intense heat, will be dissolved, and the earth and the works in it will be burned up.

11 Since all these things are to be thus dissolved, what kind of persons ought you to be in holy manner of life and godliness,

12 Expecting and hastening the coming of the day of God, on account of which the heavens, being on fire, will be dissolved, and the elements, burning with intense heat, are to be melted away?

13 But according to His promise we are expecting new heavens and a new earth, in which righteousness dwells.

Further Reading: *HWMR The Crystallization-Study of 1 & 2 Peter and Jude - Week 2, Day 4*

Corporate Reading of "The Overcoming Life" Chapter 1 – Sections: Sins of the Flesh; Sins of the Mind; Sins in the Body

Friday 5/29

1 Peter 3:3-4

3 Let your adorning not be the outward plaiting of hair and putting on of gold or clothing with garments,

4 But the hidden man of the heart in the incorruptible adornment of a meek and quiet spirit, which is very costly in the sight of God.

1 Peter 4:14

14 If you are reproached in the name of Christ, you are blessed, because the Spirit of glory and of God

rests upon you.

1 Peter 1:11, 23

11 Searching into what time or what manner of time the Spirit of Christ in them was making clear, testifying beforehand of the sufferings of Christ and the glories after these.

23 Having been regenerated not of corruptible seed but of incorruptible, through the living and abiding word of God.

1 Peter 2:2-3, 5, 9

2 As newborn babes, long for the guileless milk of the word in order that by it you may grow unto salvation,

3 If you have tasted that the Lord is good.

5 You yourselves also, as living stones, are being built up as a spiritual house into a holy priesthood to offer up spiritual sacrifices acceptable to God through Jesus Christ.

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;

Further Reading: *HWMR The Crystallization-Study of 1 & 2 Peter and Jude - Week 2, Day 5*

Corporate Reading of "The Overcoming Life"

Chapter 1 – Sections: Sins in Disposition; No Willingness to Obey God's Word

Saturday 5/30

2 Peter 3:15-16

15 And count the long-suffering of our Lord to be salvation, even as also our beloved brother Paul, according to the wisdom given to him, wrote to you,

16 As also in all his letters, speaking in them concerning these things, in which some things are hard to understand, which the unlearned and unstable twist, as also the rest of the Scriptures, to their own destruction.

Eph. 4:13-16

13 Until we all arrive at the oneness of the faith and of the full knowledge of the Son of God, at a full-grown man, at the measure of the stature of the fullness of Christ,

14 That we may be no longer little children tossed by waves and carried about by every wind of teaching in the sleight of men, in craftiness with a view to a system of error,

15 But holding to truth in love, we may grow up into Him in all things, who is the Head, Christ,

16 Out from whom all the Body, being joined together and being knit together through every joint of the rich supply and through the operation in the measure of each one part, causes the growth of the Body unto the building up of itself in love.

2 Cor. 3:6

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. 5:9-10

9 Therefore also we are determined, whether at home or abroad, to gain the honor of being well pleasing to Him.

10 For we must all be manifested before the judgment seat of Christ, that each one may receive the things done through the body according to what he has practiced, whether good or bad.

Hymns, #1211

Further Reading: *HWMR The Crystallization-Study of 1 & 2 Peter and Jude - Week 2, Day 6*

Hymns, #1211

Lord's Day 5/31

2 Peter 1:4-11

4 Through which He has granted to us precious and exceedingly great promises that through these you might become partakers of the divine nature, having escaped the corruption which is in the world by lust.

5 And for this very reason also, adding all diligence, supply bountifully in your faith virtue; and in virtue, knowledge;

6 And in knowledge, self-control; and in self-control, endurance; and in endurance, godliness;

7 And in godliness, brotherly love; and in brotherly love, love.

8 For these things, existing in you and abounding, constitute you neither idle nor unfruitful unto the full knowledge of our Lord Jesus Christ.

9 For he in whom these things are not present is blind, being shortsighted, having forgotten the cleansing of his past sins.

10 Therefore, brothers, be the more diligent to make your calling and selection firm, for doing these things you shall by no means ever stumble.

11 For in this way the entrance into the eternal kingdom of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ will be richly and bountifully supplied to you.

Further Reading

Living in and with the Divine Trinity, ch. 4

Life-Study of 2 Peter, msg. 13

Life-Study of Jude, msgs. 4, 5