

Worship Service

April 14th, 2017

Welcome & Opening Prayers

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Lesson: The Believer's Pursuit of Christ-likeness

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Bible Study I: The Believer's Pursuit of Christ-likeness

Philippians 2:3-5, Matthew 11:28-30

When a sinner repents of his or her sin and unrighteousness after hearing the message of the Gospel, he is regenerated and renewed in the image of Him that created him.

A. The Beginning of life in Christ

Psalms 51:5; Romans 7:15; Revelation 3:20; John 3:3; Galatians 4:19; Mark 16:16; Romans 6:4; 2 Corinthians 5:17; 1 Peter 2:2; Galatians 2:20; 2 Peter 1:3:4

Christ-likeness begins with hearing the word of God through which a sinner is convicted and subsequently converted as he repents of his sins.

B. Bearing The Cross with Christ

Matthew 11:28-30; Luke 9:23; Romans 5:1-3; Corinthians 11:22-27; Romans 8:28,29; Hebrews 12:9,10

The Christian life begins with coming to Christ. The new life in Christ does not grant us the freedom to do evil or live the way we like. There are constraints on our lifestyle as we have a cross to bear.

C. The Beauty of Christ-likeness

Matthew 3:17; John 6:38; 8-29; Hebrews 1:9; Psalms 90:17; Hebrews 7:26; 1 Peter 1:14-16; Philippians 2:15; Psalms 119:1-3; 2 Corinthians 6:16, 17; Ephesians 2:4-7; 2 Corinthians 3:18

As the believer conforms more and more to Christ in attitude, motives character, utterance and action, the more beautiful he becomes in the eyes of God.