

Daily Reflections on God's Word

Overland church of Christ Week10 2021 – Additional Studies on Sunday Sermons

SundayAM: “You are God’s Gift” - the members of a physical family and members of a spiritual family are gifts to one another. Love and Sacrifice are the elements of God’s gifts and our gifts to each other.

Monday Scripture: Ephesians 5:29-6:3

Key Idea: The husband, wife, parents, and children are a gift from God to each other *in the Lord*.

Study Questions: How should a husband love his wife (v29, v33)? Should a wife submit to her husband (v33)? Children obey their parents in the ____ (v6:1)? Are there blessings in these relationships (6:3)?

Faith Builder: We are to imitate Christ in our “love” and “sacrifice” to be a gift to others as God wants.

Tuesday Scripture: Ephesians 4:11-16

Key Idea: The roles God placed in the church (elders, deacons, preachers, teachers, members) are gifts.

Study Questions: What are the roles given (v11)? Why were these roles given (v12-13)? Does God want us to grow to full strength to withstand sin (v14)? How is every member a gift to the others (v16)?

Action Item: Can you be a better gift as a neighbor, worker, spouse, parent, child, and church member?

Wednesday Scripture: Colossians 2:23-3:1

Midweek Prep: The New Covenant gives us a Savior, hope, and life to overcome the lusts of the flesh.

SundayPM: “Wait on the Lord” - that is the response we can have in trials of life...false reports, threats, abuse, temptations, finances, physical dangers, and with death. We are living for eternity not this earth.

Thursday Scripture: Psalm 27:1-7

Key Idea: The Lord is needed for salvation, strength, overcoming fears and threats, good times and bad.

Study Questions: Whom shall the faithful Christian fear (v1)? Are we to be scared of enemies that outnumber us (vs2-3)? Where did the psalmist go for refuge (vs4-5)? Who do we need in our trials (v7)?

Godly Wisdom: The way of the Lord is a blessing and source of strength to Christians (Proverbs 10:29).

Friday Scripture: Psalm 27:8-14

Key Idea: Seek the Lord, seek His ways, and wait on Him to have strength when all others forsake you.

Study Questions: Why do we seek the Lord’s face (v8)? What does “hiding a face” mean (v9)? Who can you turn to even if close family forsake you (v10)? List all the strength that we get from God (vs11-14)?

Prayer Idea: Pray for wisdom and patience to “wait on the Lord” to make it through your own trials.

Saturday Scripture: James 3:17

Sunday Prep: How can you be more wise? Try to apply the 8 “wisdom from above” traits in this verse.
