

Friday, November 11

²⁰ For everyone who does wicked things hates the light and does not come to the light, lest his works should be exposed. ²¹ But whoever does what is true comes to the light, so that it may be clearly seen that his works have been carried out in God.”

1. According to Jesus, how can we recognize those who hate the light?
2. How are they like vampires?
3. What does it mean that they do not come to the light?
4. In what does this light consist now that Jesus is no longer here with us bodily?
5. How would you respond to someone who claims to love the light but continues to choose to do wicked things?
6. In what power do those who love the light do what is true?
7. What does it mean to do what is true?
8. Based on all the things that we have seen in this passage this week, how would you summarize what this passage tells us about the work of evangelism?

KTFK: wickedness pursue. / do that / those who / Only those / darkness more / who love / love the / which is / the light / true, but

Song: “More Love to Thee, O Christ”

Prayer: “Lord, help us to proclaim the gospel in ways that are clear and pointed, and not fall prey to the gray version of the gospel that so many are gravitating toward. Help us to call things as they are by the perfect light of your word. Amen.”

Saturday, November 12

Read the entire passage again and review the key thoughts from each day. Which did you find most important for you this week?

Nov 7 - It was / love that / caused the / LORD to / give his / only Son, / that for / those who'd / believe in / him their / new lives / would be / won.
Nov 8 - In his / love he / came that / those who / trust him / might be / saved, from / the death / and hell / that comes / when to / sin we're / enslaved.
Nov 9 - We bring / our condemnation / with us / from the / womb, and / if we / don't believe / in Christ / we'll take / it to / the tomb.
Nov 10 - This is / evil to / the core, / that we / love the / dark more.
Nov 11 - Only those / who love / the light / do that / which is / true, but / those who / love the / darkness more / wickedness pursue.

Family Worship 2022

November 7-12

Mission Emphasis

John 3:16-21

Kids and Parents: See if you can unscramble the daily
KTFK - Key Thought for Kids (Answers on back page)

Monday, November 7

¹⁶ “For God so loved the world, that he gave his only Son, that whoever believes in him should not perish but have eternal life.

1. Read I John 2:15-17. The apostle John wrote both John 3:16 and I John 2:15. Is he saying that God loved the world but he doesn't want us to love it?
 - a. In what sense and for what purpose did God love the world?
 - b. In what sense and for what purpose are we not to love the world?
 - c. In what sense, then, does our loving the world require us not to love the world?
2. To whom, or to what, did God give his only Son?
3. What does it mean to you to “believe in him”?
4. What does Jesus mean here by “perish”?
 - a. What do you think this experience will be like for those who perish?
5. How would you describe “eternal life” to someone who asked what it was and why they should want it?

KTFK: LORD to / believe in / love that / new lives / won. / It was / caused the / only Son, / would be / that for / give his / him their / those who'd

Song: “The Love of God”

Prayer: “LORD God, what great love you have shown to your fallen world that you did give your only Son up to suffer the pains of hell for us that you might give us new life – new life that begins now and will extend into eternity. Thank you for loving me in this amazing way. Amen.”

Tuesday, November 8

¹⁷ For God did not send his Son into the world to condemn the world, but in order that the world might be saved through him.

1. What do you understand is meant here by the word “condemn”?
 - a. What would Jesus have done if he was sent here to condemn the world?
 - b. Will Jesus ever be sent to condemn the world?
(See Revelation 6:12-16)
2. How does the meaning of condemn differ from the meaning of convict?
 - a. Did Jesus convict the world while he was here?
 - b. Do you think it is true to say that Jesus (and his Spirit in his absence) needed to convict the world in order that he might not condemn the world?
 - c. How is this related to the concept of “believing in him” that is mentioned in verse 16?
3. What do you understand is meant here by the word “saved”?
 - a. What was the world to be saved from?
 - b. What was the world to be saved for?
4. Why do you think it was necessary for the Son to be sent in order for the world to be saved?

KTFK: saved, from / that comes / came that / In his / and hell / enslaved. / trust him / when to / love he / sin we’re / those who / the death / might be

Song: “In Christ Alone”

Prayer: “Lord, in our sin all we had to look forward to was the visiting of your wrath. I praise you and thank you with all my heart that you did not leave me in what I had chosen, but saved me from it by your perfect sacrifice. Help me to daily embrace the eternal life for which you saved me. Amen.”

Wednesday, November 9

¹⁸ Whoever believes in him is not condemned, but whoever does not believe is condemned already, because he has not believed in the name of the only Son of God.

1. What is our eternal state before we believe in Jesus?
2. What is our eternal state after we believe in Jesus?
 - a. What is meant here by “believe”?
3. What is the eternal state of those who never meet Jesus?
 - a. How do we know?

4. Why do you believe Jesus specifies that those who do not believe in him have not believed in “the name of the only Son of God”?
 - a. Why is believing in his name so important?

KTFK: in Christ / womb, and / We bring / the tomb. / if we / it to / our condemnation / we’ll take / from the / don’t believe / with us

Song: “How Vast the Benefits Divine”

Prayer: “Lord, you did not need to come to earth to condemn it, for we were already condemned. Thank you for setting us free from the chains of sin and death and hell, removing our condemnation from us. May your word go forth with power from us that many others may experience all that we have. Amen.”

Thursday, November 10

¹⁹ And this is the judgment: the light has come into the world, and people loved the darkness rather than the light because their works were evil.

1. What is Jesus referring to here by “the light”?
 - a. In what way is his light still with us?
2. Is it possible to love the darkness and the light?
3. What do you think it was like for Jesus to be rejected by those who loved darkness more than him?
4. Do you think it is accurate to say that one of the ways we are made in God’s image is that we are motivated in all that we do by what we love?
5. To what degree can you honestly say that you love the light?
 - a. How does your love for the light come out in how you live?

KTFK: love the / the core, / evil to / This is / dark more. / that we

Song: “And Can It Be?”

Prayer: “Lord Jesus, hold my heart and keep me from the love of darkness. Thank you for the beauty that I see in your light, but help me not to simply see it; help me to live it and choose it as I choose you. Amen.”