

Nov. 20, 2011 Black Earth Bible Reading

Topics Related To The Doctrines Of The Gospel

Introduction/New Birth/Regeneration

Statement: As a Christian, the understanding of the gospel and the truths of the accomplished work of our Lord Jesus Christ will help one to grow in grace and knowledge of His love for us.

Outcome: As Christians gathered to His name, we would proclaim the gospel with worshipping hearts, in unity, presenting a clear gospel as we would proclaim His name. That we would be practically in our character and living, what we already are positionally.

1. New Birth- Readings- John 3:3-8, Romans 5:12-21
 - A. Why do I have a sin nature?- Born in Adam
 - a. Sin entered the world
 - b. Death entered the world
 - c. Condemnation entered the world
 - d. Sin continually enters the world
 - B. Why must I be born again?
 - a. Absolute truths
 - b. Imperatives
 - C. How can I be born again?
2. Regeneration-Readings- Titus 3:5, I Peter 1:23, Hebrews 4:12
 - A. What is it?
 - B. How do I grow in this new life?
3. The Gospel- Its proclamation, It's ministry, Discussion
 - A. It is the gospel of Grace
 - a. Its' Origin-from God- (Rom. 1:1) (1 Thess. 2:8,9)
 - b. Its' Subject-about Christ- (Rom. 1:16) (1 Cor. 15:1-4)
 - c. It is by Grace – (Acts 20:24) (Gal. 1:15)
 - d. It is to soul's for their salvation- (Matt. 11:29) (Acts 2: 41) (1 Tim. 2: 4-6)
 - e. It is for the glory of God- (Rom. 15:7) (2 Cor. 1:20) (Phil. 2:11)
 - B. The gospel in its presentation. Passages and scripture for illustrations abound in scripture.
 - a. God's Word is all authoritative and true
 - b. The soul is created eternal
 - c. Every person has a sin nature
 - d. The sinner is responsible for their salvation (react or reject)
 - e. The sinner would desire salvation
 - f. The sinner is convicted
 - g. The sinner is willing to repent
 - h. There will be judgment
 - i. Salvation is by God's Grace alone through faith
 - j. The object of Faith is Christ-His work, His way
 - k. The finished work of Calvary- His death, burial and resurrection according to the scriptures
 - l. Entering in- A day of salvation