

A Matter of Perspectives
April 11, 2021
2 Thessalonians 1:1-5

Intro and Overview
– Second Thessalonians

Primary Perspectives
- Who We Are

- What God has Done

Perspectives on Thanksgiving

- Growing Faith

- Increasing Love

- Steadfast Hope

Perspectives on Suffering

Perspectives on Judgment

Making it Count: Everything in Light of the Gospel!!

Beyond Sunday...

Verse of the Week

“For our light and momentary troubles are achieving for us an eternal glory that far outweighs them all.”
2 Corinthians 4:17

Our theme for 2021 is RESOLUTE. Resolute means: unwavering, firmly resolved, purposeful, steadfast; and is characterized by determination and faith. The central tenet of our faith in Jesus Christ and our restoration to right relationship with God through Jesus Death and Resurrection. Engage this week in Scriptures that help us to keep our lives in right perspective in light of God’s Sovereignty. May you be encouraged in whatever place you find yourself in journeying with Jesus. Take time to read the passage each day and then write down your thoughts as the Holy Spirit leads you to understand the truth of God’s Word.

Monday – Read: Isaiah 43:1-13; Psalm 2

Tuesday – Read: Philippians 1:20-30

Wednesday – Read: Acts 14:8-23

Thursday – Read: James 1:2-18

Friday – Read: Romans 5:1-9; Matthew 13:19-23

Saturday – Read: Romans 8:18-39

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What forms the basis of your identity? Who are you? Read about your identity in Christ in Ephesians 1:3-14. Do you know what you are living for? When you think about the fact that life on Earth is only a small part of our lives, does it affect the way you live?

How do your words and actions reflect what you are truly thankful for? What would the verdict of God’s righteous judgment be if you stood before Him right now? Do you know the assurance of salvation in Jesus Christ for your life? If you have any questions about knowing for sure please contact Pastor Jared or one of the Elders.

Challenge: *When was the last time you told someone what Jesus has done for you? What would it look like to be bold and share your faith with someone this week? Now do it!!*

Are We There Yet? – Part One