

CHURCH IN REGINA

Local Announcements

1. Prayer Meeting— July 8— Grp 1 in person; Grp 2 by Zoom
2. Home Meeting at Sister Karen's home—July 12
3. Churching/Blending with Church in Lloydminster— July 13
4. Church in Winnipeg Children's Bible Camp— Aug 21 to 24. Early registration June 15 to July 6.

Conferences & Training

1. Chinese-Speaking Blending Conference— Feb.14-16, Anaheim, CA
2. International Training for Elders & Responsible Ones— Apr.4-6, Anaheim, CA
3. Memorial Day Blending Conference—May 23-26, Phoenix, AZ
4. Summer Training—June 30-July 5, Anaheim, CA
5. International Training for Elders & Responsible Ones—TBD
6. Thanksgiving Blending Conference—Nov.27-30, Indianapolis, IN
7. Winter Training— Dec.22-27, Anaheim, CA

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Experiencing, Enjoying, and Expressing Christ (2)—Week 19

God's desire in His salvation is that we would **cooperate with Him** to such an extent that He could be formed in us and expressed through us. This is a glorious matter. If we see this, our understanding of the Christian life will be changed. The Christian life is **not a matter of behavior or ethics**; it is a living that expresses God.

The message outline points out that **Christ is deeply related to our inner being** and desires to have a subjective relationship with us. The word subjective indicates that **we all need to have a personal relationship with the Lord**. We need to **know** Him, **pursue** Him, and **be one spirit** with Him...

In contrast to our subjective relationship with the Lord, there is the objective knowledge of Him. As we survey the whole situation both in the world and in Christendom, we realize that much of man's relationship to God is objective in nature. Many may believe that there is a God, yet **few know Him subjectively**. He may not have been revealed to them. All believers have experienced Christ at least one time, but it may be that their ongoing relationship with Him is mainly in the realm of objective knowledge. They might not have a subjective, inward knowledge of Christ.

In this message there is a strong burden that **each of us** would **know the Lord inwardly and subjectively**. It is not sufficient for us simply to be in the local churches in an outward way and to have good objective knowledge about many things. Our going on with the Lord, our walking with Him, and our serving Him must be a subjective matter; we must **know the Lord personally**.

God revealed His Son to Paul and to us. Galatians 1:15-16 says, "When it pleased God, who set me apart from my mother's womb and called me through His grace, to reveal His Son in me that I might announce Him as the gospel among the Gentiles, immediately I did not confer with flesh and blood." **It pleases God to reveal His Son** not merely to us but **in us**. This is a subjective, inward matter.

When we consider our personal experience, can we point to a particular time when God revealed His Son in us? If we cannot, then we need to deal with the Lord and pray, "Lord, reveal Your Son in me." Of course, our experience of God's Son being revealed in us might not be as dramatic as was Paul's experience. In Paul's experience, as recounted in Acts 9, he was struck down by a light from heaven as he was on his way to Damascus. He "heard a voice saying to him, Saul, Saul, why are you persecuting Me? And he said, Who are You, Lord? And He said, I am Jesus, whom you persecute" (vv. 3-5). This was Paul's initial experience of God's Son being revealed in him; this experience changed the whole direction of his life. After receiving this revelation, he began to announce Christ as the gospel among the Gentiles (Gal. 1:16). Dear saints, **we need to deal with the Lord in a personal way** so that, like Paul, we can testify that God's Son has been revealed in us. This is a subjective, inward matter, **not a matter of outward behavior or performance** (*Excerpts from The Ministry of the Word, vol. 29, no. 2, pp. 164-167*).

PRAYER BURDENS

1. Lord, enlighten us to see that You are deeply related to our inner being. May we realize that You desire to have a subjective relationship with us. Turn us from mere objective knowledge of God to a rich, subjective enjoyment of You.
2. Lord, we want to live one spirit with You daily. Keep us in the organic union throughout the day. Keep us turning to You, setting our mind on the spirit, and taking You as our life and everything. Save us from being law-keepers and make us organic union-abiders today.
3. Lord Jesus, unveil us to see a vision of Your economy. May we realize that You do not desire for us to try to keep Your commandments in the strength of our flesh but rather that we just open so You can work Yourself into us.
4. Lord, we want to enter into the burden and experience of travailing in birth until You are formed in us. Save us from taking the easy way of just doing things outwardly. May we labor to be fully one with You, that You also would be formed in others.
5. Occupy us, fill us, and saturate us. We do not want to nurture our thoughts nor set our mind on the things of the flesh. Make Your home deep down in our heart. Settle down in us.
6. Lord, be formed in us. We allow You to come into our soul to replace the self with Yourself! Bring us on to maturity so that You may be formed in us and we may be sons of full age enjoying the promised blessing of God, the all-inclusive, life-giving Spirit in a full way.

North America/Europe/Other Burdens

1. Please pray for the upcoming conference in Drammen, Norway on July 18-20. Pray for the Lord's fresh speaking and for the gathering and blending of the saints into the reality of the Body and the preparation of the bride.

Church in Regina

1. Pray for the propagation work in Saskatchewan. Strengthen the saints in Foam Lake, Yorkton and Stenen. Remember Bro. Isaac, Bro. Charles, and Bro. William.
2. Pray for the purchase of the meeting hall.
3. Pray for the College Training from July 16-20 in Seattle. Remember our college students. May they gain You in this training. Have a thoroughfare in their being.
4. Special prayer for Bro. Matthew McCluskey's dad, Gino McCluskey, who is diagnosed with lung cancer. Strengthen their family and pray for household salvation.
5. Pray for the continuing of the Chinese-Speaking Bible Reading. Remember Bro. Nathan, Sisters Cassie, Ann Margarette, Doris Di, Julie Cao, Wendy Wang, and Tina Huang.
6. Pray for positive and immediate approval of all the permanent resident immigration papers:
 - > Alforte Family (Radam and Rosalina)
 - > Orolfo Family (Wilson and Jenny and their three children)
 - > Jerome Family (Pravin and Abinaya and their two children)
 - > Temonio Family (William and Melanie and their two children)

WEEKLY SCHEDULE OF MEETINGS:

- Lord's Table & Prophesying—Lord's Day 10:00-12:00PM
- Prayer Meeting—Tuesdays 7:00-8:00PM
- Home Meeting—Fridays 7:30-8:30PM
- Chinese-Speaking Bible Reading—Mondays 7:15-8:15PM
- College Meetings—Fridays 7:30-8:30PM
- YP Meetings—Sundays 4:00-5:30 PM
- Children's Meeting—Saturdays 10:00-11:00AM
- Small Group Meetings—Wednesdays/Fridays/Saturdays 7:30-8:30PM