

“WORD OF LIFE”

August 21, 2022

30. CHRIST IN HIS PERSON (10) – **In Resurrection**

5. A **Resurrected Man** with a **Spiritual Body of Flesh and Bones**

Hymns: #132 / #935 / #11

✚ IN THE BEGINNING WAS THE **WORD** (John 1:1)

- John 20:19 - When therefore it was evening on that day, the first day of the week, and while the **doors were shut** where the disciples were for fear of the Jews, **Jesus came** and stood in the midst and said to them, Peace be to you.
- Luke 24:36 - And as they were speaking these things, He Himself stood in their midst and said to them, Peace to you.
- Luke 24:37 - But they were terrified and became frightened and thought they **beheld** a **spirit**.
- Luke 24:38 - And He said to them, Why are you troubled, and why do doubts arise in your heart?
- Luke 24:39 - See My **hands** and My **feet**, that *it* is I Myself. **Touch Me** and see, for a **spirit** does not have **flesh** and **bones** as you behold Me having.
- Luke 24:40 - And when He had said this, He showed them His **hands** and His **feet**.
- Luke 24:42 - And they handed Him a piece of broiled **fish**;
- Luke 24:43 - And He took *it* and **ate** before them.
- 1Cor 15:44 - It is sown a **soulish body**, it is raised a **spiritual body**. If there is a **soulish body**, there is also a **spiritual one**.

✚ LET US OFFER UP A SACRIFICE OF **PRAISE** CONTINUALLY TO GOD (Heb. 13:15)

❖ Christ in resurrection is a **resurrected man** with a **spiritual body** of flesh and bones.

- On the day of His resurrection Christ came back to the disciples with a **resurrected body**, (John 20:19).
 - He has a **spiritual body**, **yet** the body is **physical**.
 - the Lord appeared with a **physical body**
 - the resurrected Christ flesh and bones have **become spiritual**
 - He has a **spiritual body**, a **resurrected body** saturated by the spirit,
 - a body in which the spirit predominates
 - **yet** it was a body with flesh and bones
- He came into the room as the **Spirit**, **yet** with a physical, **touchable** body. (Luke 24:36-43)
 - The **prints of the nails** could still be seen.
 - The place in **His side** that had been **pierced** with a spear could **still be seen** and **touched**.
 - The Lord's body was **visible** and **touchable**, and He was able to **eat food**.

✚ WITH ONE ACCORD ... WITH ONE MOUTH **GLORIFY THE GOD** (Rom. 15:6)

- ✚ Christ in resurrection is a **resurrected man** with a **spiritual body** of flesh and bones. He has a spiritual body, **yet** the body is physical He appeared with a **physical body**.
- “It is sown a **soulish body**, it is raised a **spiritual body**. If there is a soulish body, there is also a spiritual body.”*
- ✓ A **soulish body** is a **natural body** animated by the soul, a body in which the soul predominates.
 - ✓ A **spiritual body** is a **resurrected body** saturated by the spirit, a body in which the spirit predominates.
- ✚ Christ's body of glory is His resurrected body (Phil. 3:21), saturated with God's glory (Luke 24:26) and transcendent over corruption and death (Rom. 6:9).

Hymn 132

- 1 Lo! in heaven **Jesus** sitting,
Christ the Lord is there enthroned;
As the **man** by God exalted,
With God's glory He is crowned.
- 2 He hath put on **human nature**,
Died according to God's plan,
Resurrected with a body,
And ascended as a man.
- 3 God in Him on earth was humbled,
God with man was domiciled;
Man in Him in heav'n exalted,
Man with God is reconciled.
- 4 He as God with man is mingled,
God in man is testified;
He as man with God is blended,
Man in God is glorified.
- 5 From the Glorified in heaven
The inclusive Spirit came;
All of **Jesus'** work and Person
Doth this Spirit here proclaim.
- 6 With the Glorified in heaven
Is the Church identified;
By the Spirit of this **Jesus**
Are His members edified.
- 7 Lo! a **man** is now in heaven
As the Lord of all enthroned;
This is **Jesus** Christ our Savior,
With God's glory ever crowned!

Hymn 935

- 1 Around Thy grave, Lord Jesus,
In spirit here we stand,
With hearts all full of praises,
To keep Thy blest command:
Our souls by faith rejoicing,
To trace Thy path of love,
Down through death's
angry billows,
Up to the throne above.
- 2 Lord **Jesus!** we remember
The travail of Thy soul,
When through Thy love's
deep pity,
The waves did o'er Thee roll;
Baptized in death's dark waters,
For us Thy **blood** was shed;
For us Thou, Lord of Glory,
Wast numbered with the **dead**.
- 3 O Lord! Thou now art **risen**,
Thy travail all is o'er;
For sin Thou once hast suffered,
Thou **liv'st to die no more**;
Sin, death and hell are vanquished
By Thee, the Church's Head;
And lo! **we share** Thy triumphs,
Thou **first-born from the dead**.
- 4 Unto Thy death baptized,
We own with Thee we died;
With Thee, our Life, we're risen,
And shall be **glorified**.
From sin, the world, and Satan,
We're ransomed by Thy blood,
And here would walk as strangers,
Alive with Thee to God

Hymn 11

- 1 Thou, Father, who art **Spirit** true,
The holiest of all;
We worship in the **spirit** now,
In truth upon Thee call.
- 2 A **spirit** Thou hast made for us
That we worship Thee,
That echoing in spirit thus
One spirit we will be.
- 3 The Father in the Son has come,
The Son the Spirit is,
That to our spirit God may come.
O what a **grace** is this!
- 4 The Son is Thine eternal Word,
The Word is Spirit too;
The Spirit as our life has come
Our spirit to renew.
- 5 Thy **Spirit in our spirit** is,
And thus in unity
Thy Spirit witnesseth with ours
That we are born of Thee.
- 6 In everything Thy Spirit leads
That we may follow Him;
We thus may **spiritual become**,
With life and peace within.
- 7 In spirit we would worship Thee,
In spirit Thee address,
Until our spirit is released
Thine image to express.
- 8 Our Father, we would praise
Thee now
That Thou the **Spirit** art;
In spirit and in truth to Thee
True worship we impart.