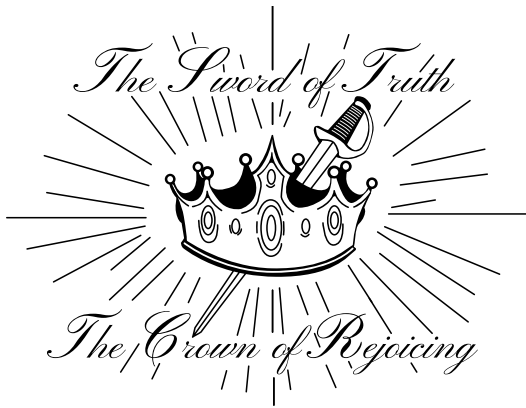


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SUNDAY OCTOBER 7, 2018

*SUBJECT—UNREALITY*

*GOLDEN TEXT: ISAIAH 41 : 13*

*“I the LORD thy God will hold thy right hand,  
saying unto thee, Fear not; I will help thee.”*

RESPONSIVE READING: Psalm 118 : 1, 5, 6, 8, 10, 14

1. O give thanks unto the LORD; for *he is* good: because his mercy *endureth* for ever.
5. I called upon the LORD in distress: the LORD answered me, *and set me* in a large place.
6. The LORD *is* on my side; I will not fear: what can man do unto me?
8. *It is* better to trust in the LORD than to put confidence in man.
10. All nations compassed me about: but in the name of the LORD will I destroy them.
14. The LORD *is* my strength and song, and is become my salvation.

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*SUBJECT—UNREALITY*

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**SUBJECT—ARE SIN, DISEASE, AND DEATH REAL?**

*GOLDEN TEXT: REVELATION 22 : 14*

*“Blessed are they that do his commandments,  
that they may have right to the tree of life, and  
may enter in through the gates into the city.”*

RESPONSIVE READING: Psalm 103 : 2-5

Psalm 91 : 9-11

2. Bless the LORD, O my soul, and forget not all his benefits:
3. Who forgiveth all thine iniquities; who healeth all thy diseases;
4. Who redeemeth thy life from destruction; who crowneth thee with lovingkindness and tender mercies;
5. Who satisfieth thy mouth with good *things*; so that thy youth is renewed like the eagle's.
9. Because thou hast made the LORD, *which is* my refuge, *even* the most High, thy habitation;
10. There shall no evil befall thee, neither shall any plague come nigh thy dwelling.
11. For he shall give his angels charge over thee, to keep thee in all thy ways.



SUNDAY OCTOBER 14, 2018

**SUBJECT—ARE SIN, DISEASE, AND DEATH REAL?**

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SUNDAY OCTOBER 21, 2018

**SUBJECT—DOCTRINE OF ATONEMENT**

*GOLDEN TEXT:* PROVERBS 22 : 4

*“By humility and the fear of the LORD  
are riches, and honour, and life.”*

RESPONSIVE READING: Colossians 3 : 1, 2, 12-17

1. If ye then be risen with Christ, seek those things which are above, where Christ sitteth on the right hand of God.
2. Set your affection on things above, not on things on the earth.
12. Put on therefore, as the elect of God, holy and beloved, bowels of mercies, kindness, humbleness of mind, meekness, longsuffering;
13. Forbearing one another, and forgiving one another, if any man have a quarrel against any: even as Christ forgave you, so also *do* ye.
14. And above all these things *put on* charity, which is the bond of perfectness.
15. And let the peace of God rule in your hearts, to the which also ye are called in one body; and be ye thankful.
16. Let the word of Christ dwell in you richly in all wisdom; teaching and admonishing one another in psalms and hymns and spiritual songs, singing with grace in your hearts to the Lord.
17. And whatsoever ye do in word or deed, *do* all in the name of the Lord Jesus, giving thanks to God and the Father by him.

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**SUBJECT—DOCTRINE OF ATONEMENT**

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SUNDAY OCTOBER 28, 2018

**SUBJECT—PROBATION AFTER DEATH**

*GOLDEN TEXT*: REVELATION 21 : 3, 4

*“And I heard a great voice out of heaven saying,  
Behold, the tabernacle of God is with men, and  
he will dwell with them, and they shall be his people,  
and God himself shall be with them, and be their God;  
and there shall be no more death.”*

RESPONSIVE READING: COLOSSIANS 3 : 1-4, 12-15, 24

1. If ye then be risen with Christ, seek those things which are above, where Christ sitteth on the right hand of God.
2. Set your affection on things above, not on things on the earth.
3. Your life is hid with Christ in God.
4. When Christ, *who is* our life, shall appear, then shall ye also appear with him in glory.
12. Put on therefore, as the elect of God, holy and beloved, bowels of mercies, kindness, humbleness of mind, meekness, longsuffering;
13. Forbearing one another, and forgiving one another, if any man have a quarrel against any: even as Christ forgave you, so also *do* ye.
14. And above all these things *put on* charity, which is the bond of perfectness.
15. And let the peace of God rule in your hearts, to the which also ye are called in one body; and be ye thankful.
24. Knowing that of the Lord ye shall receive the reward of the inheritance: for ye serve the Lord Christ.

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**SUBJECT—PROBATION AFTER DEATH**

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SUNDAY NOVEMBER 4, 2018

**SUBJECT—EVERLASTING PUNISHMENT**

*GOLDEN TEXT:* EZEKIEL 18 : 23

*“Have I any pleasure at all that the wicked should die? saith the Lord GOD: and not that he should return from his ways, and live?”*

RESPONSIVE READING: Psalm 85 : 8-13

8. I will hear what God the LORD will speak: for he will speak peace unto his people, and to his saints: but let them not turn again to folly.
9. Surely his salvation *is* nigh them that fear him; that glory may dwell in our land.
10. Mercy and truth are met together; righteousness and peace have kissed *each other*.
11. Truth shall spring out of the earth; and righteousness shall look down from heaven.
12. Yea, the LORD shall give *that which is* good; and our land shall yield her increase.
13. Righteousness shall go before him; and shall set *us* in the way of his steps.

SUNDAY NOVEMBER 4, 2018

**SUBJECT—EVERLASTING PUNISHMENT**

LESSON SERMON

*The Bible*

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SUNDAY NOVEMBER 11, 2018

**SUBJECT—ADAM AND FALLEN MAN**

*GOLDEN TEXT: ISAIAH 2 : 22*

*“Cease ye from man, whose breath is in his nostrils:  
for wherein is he to be accounted of?”*

RESPONSIVE READING: Galatians 3 : 1, 3, 13, 19, 27

Isaiah 9 : 2

I Corinthians 15 : 22

1. Who hath bewitched you, that ye should not obey the truth, before whose eyes Jesus Christ hath been evidently set forth, crucified among you?
3. Are ye so foolish? having begun in the Spirit, are ye now made perfect by the flesh?
13. Christ hath redeemed us from the curse of the law, being made a curse for us: for it is written, Cursed *is* every one that hangeth on a tree.
19. Wherefore then *serveth* the law?
27. For as many of you as have been baptized into Christ have put on Christ.
2. The people that walked in darkness have seen a great light: they that dwell in the land of the shadow of death, upon them hath the light shined.
22. For as in Adam all die, even so in Christ shall all be made alive.



SUNDAY NOVEMBER 11, 2018

**SUBJECT—ADAM AND FALLEN MAN**

**LESSON SERMON**

*The Bible*

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SUNDAY NOVEMBER 18, 2018

**SUBJECT—MORTALS AND IMMORTALS**

*GOLDEN TEXT:* PROVERBS 28 : 1

*“The righteous are bold as a lion.”*

RESPONSIVE READING: Psalm 1 : 1-6

1. Blessed *is* the man that walketh not in the counsel of the ungodly, nor standeth in the way of sinners, nor sitteth in the seat of the scornful.
2. But his delight *is* in the law of the LORD; and in his law doth he meditate day and night.
3. And he shall be like a tree planted by the rivers of water, that bringeth forth his fruit in his season; his leaf also shall not wither; and whatsoever he doeth shall prosper.
4. The ungodly *are* not so: but *are* like the chaff which the wind driveth away.
5. Therefore the ungodly shall not stand in the judgment, nor sinners in the congregation of the righteous.
6. For the LORD knoweth the way of the righteous: but the way of the ungodly shall perish.

SUNDAY NOVEMBER 18, 2018

**SUBJECT—MORTALS AND IMMORTALS**

**LESSON SERMON**

*The Bible*

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THURSDAY NOVEMBER 22, 2018

**SUBJECT—THANKSGIVING**

**GOLDEN TEXT:** PSALM 146 : 1

*“Praise ye the LORD. Praise the LORD, O my soul.”*

RESPONSIVE READING: Psalm 146 : 2, 3, 5-10

2. While I live will I praise the LORD: I will sing praises unto my God while I have any being.
3. Put not your trust in princes, *nor* in the son of man, in whom *there is* no help.
5. Happy *is he* that *hath* the God of Jacob for his help, whose hope *is* in the LORD his God:
6. Which made heaven, and earth, the sea, and all that therein *is*: which keepeth truth for ever:
7. Which executeth judgment for the oppressed: which giveth food to the hungry. The LORD looseth the prisoners:
8. The LORD openeth *the eyes of* the blind: the LORD raiseth them that are bowed down: the LORD loveth the righteous:
9. The LORD preserveth the strangers; he relieveth the fatherless and widow.
10. The LORD shall reign for ever, *even* thy God, O Zion, unto all generations. Praise ye the LORD.

THURSDAY NOVEMBER 22, 2018

**SUBJECT—THANKSGIVING**

LESSON SERMON

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SUNDAY NOVEMBER 25, 2018

**SUBJECT—SOUL AND BODY**

*GOLDEN TEXT:* PSALM 34 : 22

*“The LORD redeemeth the soul of his servants: and none of them that trust in him shall be desolate.”*

RESPONSIVE READING: Jeremiah 18 : 1-6

1. The word which came to Jeremiah from the LORD, saying,
2. Arise, and go down to the potter’s house, and there I will cause thee to hear my words.
3. Then I went down to the potter’s house, and, behold, he wrought a work on the wheels.
4. And the vessel that he made of clay was marred in the hand of the potter: so he made it again another vessel, as seemed good to the potter to make *it*.
5. Then the word of the LORD came to me, saying,
6. O house of Israel, cannot I do with you as this potter? saith the LORD. Behold, as the clay *is* in the potter’s hand, so *are* ye in mine hand, O house of Israel.

SUNDAY NOVEMBER 25, 2018

**SUBJECT—SOUL AND BODY**

LESSON SERMON

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SUNDAY DECEMBER 2, 2018

**SUBJECT—ANCIENT AND MODERN NECROMANCY,  
ALIAS MESMERISM AND HYPNOTISM,  
DENOUNCED**

*GOLDEN TEXT:* PSALM 91 : 13

*“Thou shalt tread upon the lion and adder: the  
young lion and the dragon shalt thou trample under feet.”*

RESPONSIVE READING: James 4 : 7, 8  
Ephesians 6 : 13-17

7. Resist the devil, and he will flee from you.
8. Draw nigh to God, and he will draw nigh to you.
13. Wherefore take unto you the whole armour of God, that ye may be able to withstand in the evil day, and having done all, to stand.
14. Stand therefore, having your loins girt about with truth, and having on the breastplate of righteousness;
15. And your feet shod with the preparation of the gospel of peace;
16. Above all, taking the shield of faith, wherewith ye shall be able to quench all the fiery darts of the wicked.
17. And take the helmet of salvation, and the sword of the Spirit, which is the word of God.



SUNDAY DECEMBER 2, 2018

**SUBJECT—ANCIENT AND MODERN NECROMANCY,  
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SUNDAY DECEMBER 9, 2018

**SUBJECT—GOD THE ONLY CAUSE AND CREATOR**

*GOLDEN TEXT:* PSALM 100 : 3

*“Know ye that the LORD he is God: it is he that hath made us, and not we ourselves; we are his people, and the sheep of his pasture.”*

RESPONSIVE READING: Isaiah 65 : 18, 19, 23

Isaiah 66 : 9, 10, 12, 13

18. Be ye glad and rejoice for ever *in that* which I create: for, behold, I create Jerusalem a rejoicing, and her people a joy.
19. I will rejoice in Jerusalem, and joy in my people: and the voice of weeping shall be no more heard in her, nor the voice of crying.
23. They shall not labour in vain, nor bring forth for trouble; for they *are* the seed of the blessed of the LORD, and their offspring with them.
9. Shall I bring to the birth, and not cause to bring forth? saith the LORD: shall I cause to bring forth, and shut *the womb*? saith thy God.
10. Rejoice ye with Jerusalem, and be glad with her, all ye that love her: rejoice for joy with her, all ye that mourn for her.
12. For thus saith the LORD, Behold, I will extend peace to her like a river, and the glory of the Gentiles like a flowing stream.
13. As one whom his mother comforteth, so will I comfort you; and ye shall be comforted in Jerusalem.

SUNDAY DECEMBER 9, 2018

**SUBJECT—GOD THE ONLY CAUSE AND CREATOR**

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SUNDAY DECEMBER 16, 2018

**SUBJECT—GOD THE PRESERVER OF MAN**

*GOLDEN TEXT: PSALM 31 : 23*

*“O love the LORD, all ye his saints:  
for the LORD preserveth the faithful.”*

RESPONSIVE READING: Psalm 121 : 1-8

1. I will lift up mine eyes unto the hills, from whence cometh my help.
2. My help *cometh* from the LORD, which made heaven and earth.
3. He will not suffer thy foot to be moved: he that keepeth thee will not slumber.
4. Behold, he that keepeth Israel shall neither slumber nor sleep.
5. The LORD *is* thy keeper: the LORD *is* thy shade upon thy right hand.
6. The sun shall not smite thee by day, nor the moon by night.
7. The LORD shall preserve thee from all evil: he shall preserve thy soul.
8. The LORD shall preserve thy going out and thy coming in from this time forth, and even for evermore.

SUNDAY DECEMBER 16, 2018

**SUBJECT—GOD THE PRESERVER OF MAN**

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**SUBJECT—IS THE UNIVERSE, INCLUDING MAN,  
EVOLVED BY ATOMIC FORCE?**

**GOLDEN TEXT:** MATTHEW 1 : 23

*“Behold, a virgin shall be with child, and shall bring forth a son, and they shall call his name Emmanuel, which being interpreted is, God with us.”*

RESPONSIVE READING: Matthew 2 : 2

Isaiah 9 : 6, 7

Isaiah 11 : 2, 4, 6

2. We have seen his star in the east, and are come to worship him.
6. For unto us a child is born, unto us a son is given: and the government shall be upon his shoulder: and his name shall be called Wonderful, Counseller, The mighty God, The everlasting Father, The Prince of Peace.
7. Of the increase of *his* government and peace *there shall be* no end, upon the throne of David, and upon his kingdom, to order it, and to establish it with judgment and with justice from henceforth even for ever. The zeal of the LORD of hosts will perform this.
2. And the spirit of the LORD shall rest upon him, the spirit of wisdom and understanding, the spirit of counsel and might, the spirit of knowledge and of the fear of the LORD.
4. With righteousness shall he judge the poor, and reprove with equity for the meek of the earth.
6. The wolf also shall dwell with the lamb, and the leopard shall lie down with the kid; and the calf and the young lion and the fatling together; and a little child shall lead them.

SUNDAY DECEMBER 23, 2018

**SUBJECT—IS THE UNIVERSE, INCLUDING MAN,  
EVOLVED BY ATOMIC FORCE?**

LESSON SERMON

*The Bible*

1. Isaiah 9 : 2
2. Luke 1 : 26-38, 46-49
3. Luke 2 : 1, 3-14, 40
4. Matthew 9 : 35
5. Matthew 14 : 14-21, 35, 36
6. Revelation 22 : 16

*Science and Health*

1. vii : 1-12
2. 95 : 23-27
3. 29 : 14-8
4. 332 : 26-32
5. 170 : 22-16
6. 315 : 21-7
7. 286 : 12-15
8. 273 : 24-28
9. 547 : 28-8
10. 109 : 24-27

SUNDAY DECEMBER 30, 2018

**SUBJECT—CHRISTIAN SCIENCE**

*GOLDEN TEXT:* JOHN 14 : 18

*“I will not leave you comfortless:  
I will come to you.”*

RESPONSIVE READING: Isaiah 61 : 1-4, 10, 11

1. The Spirit of the Lord GOD *is* upon me; because the LORD hath anointed me to preach good tidings unto the meek; he hath sent me to bind up the brokenhearted, to proclaim liberty to the captives, and the opening of the prison to *them that are bound*;
2. To proclaim the acceptable year of the LORD, and the day of vengeance of our God; to comfort all that mourn;
3. To appoint unto them that mourn in Zion, to give unto them beauty for ashes, the oil of joy for mourning, the garment of praise for the spirit of heaviness;
4. And they shall build the old wastes, they shall raise up the former desolations, and they shall repair the waste cities, the desolations of many generations.
10. I will greatly rejoice in the LORD,
11. For as the earth bringeth forth her bud, and as the garden causeth the things that are sown in it to spring forth; so the Lord GOD will cause righteousness and praise to spring forth before all the nations.



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**SUBJECT—CHRISTIAN SCIENCE**

**LESSON SERMON**

*The Bible*

1. Isaiah 35 : 4-6
2. Luke 7 : 19-22
3. Matthew 9 : 10-13
4. Matthew 10 : 1 (*to Ist* ), 5-8
5. John 14 : 12, 13, 15-17, 20, 21, 26, 27
6. John 8 : 31, 32
7. John 13 : 34
8. II Corinthians 1 : 3, 4

*Science and Health*

1. 332 : 19 (Jesus)-22
2. 123 : 16-29
3. 127 : 9-22
4. 131 : 26-13
5. 271 : 20-25
6. 45 : 6-10
7. 78 : 28-32
8. 546 : 23-30
9. 557 : 10-16, 18-21
10. 96 : 12-20
11. 322 : 26-30
12. 55 : 15-29

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