

The Gospel of John

Bible Study

A Basic
Follow-up Course

約翰福音

聖經學習

基本培養課程

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Lesson 1: UNDERSTANDING THE GOSPEL OF JOHN

- (1) Review the Good News Bridge
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Assurances

Jesus said, "Here I am! I stand at the door and knock. If anyone hears my voice and opens the door, I will come in and eat with him, and he with me." (Revelation 3:20)

Along with this wonderful truth the Scripture also says, "Yet to all who received him, to those who believed in his name, he gave the right to become children of God." (John 1:12)

If you have to the best of your knowledge received Jesus Christ, God's Son, as your own Savior, according to the Scriptures quoted above you have become a child of God in whom Jesus Christ dwells.

Too many people make the mistake of measuring the certainty of their salvation by their feelings. Don't make this tragic mistake. Believe God! Take him at his word: "I write these things to you who believe in the name of the Son of God so that you may know that you have eternal life" (1John 5:13).

You have become a child of God; you have been born into his family as a spiritual babe. You have the potential to live the rest of your life in victorious obedience to God. It is our desire to share with you a few simple truths that will strengthen you, and keep you safe from the onslaughts of Satan.

In 1Peter 2:2 you will read, "Like newborn babies, crave pure spiritual milk, so that by it you may grow up in your salvation." And in Acts 20:32 you will read, "Now I commit you to God and to the word of his grace, which can build you up." His word will now serve as your spiritual food and will build you up in the faith.

If you don't have a Bible, please get one and begin to read it faithfully every day. It is important that you begin to set aside time, preferably in the morning, to read and study the word of God, and to pray. A good place to start reading would be the Gospel of John or the Gospel of Mark.

A very effective way to get the Bible into your life is to begin memorizing key portions of it. Why should we do this? In Psalm 119:9 we read, "How can a young man keep his way pure? By living according to your word." Then in verse 11 the psalmist says to the Lord, "I have hidden your word in my heart that I might not sin against you." God's word gives us answers to everyday problems. So we challenge you to hide Scripture in your heart--to memorize it--to become stronger in your Christian life. In this course we have

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約翰福音學習

第一課 福音的概述

- (一) 復習福音橋
- (二) 復習 約翰福音 5: 24
- (三) 再讀一遍“初信基要：得救的應許”

耶穌基督說：“看啊，我站在門外叩門；若有人聽見我聲音就開門的，我要進到他那裡去，我與他，他與我一同坐席”（啟示錄 3: 20）。配合著這個奇妙的真理，聖經中又說：“凡接待他的，就是信他名的人，他就賜他們權柄，作神的兒女”（約翰福音 1: 12）。

我們相信，就你自己現在所知道的，你已經接受了耶穌基督一神的兒子——作你個人的救主。倘若是這樣，那麼按照上面所引的兩節經文，你已經成為神的兒女，耶穌基督已經住在你裡面了。

許多人犯了一個錯誤，就是拿他們自己的感覺來測量他們的得救是否可靠。這是一個可悲的錯誤，是千萬不可犯的。當相信神，信靠他的話語：“我將這些話寫給你們信奉神兒子之名的人，要叫你們知道自己有永生”（約翰一書 5: 13）。

你已經成為神的兒女了。你是一個屬靈的嬰孩，誕生在神的家中。在你的生命中，這是一個非常重要的階段。魔鬼是你靈魂的敵人，它趁你屬靈生命尚幼的時候，會用各種詭計來誘惑攻擊你。所以我們願意在此提供四點簡單易曉的真理，使你明白真理以後，能有力量抵擋魔鬼的攻擊。

在彼得前書 2: 2 你讀到：“就要愛慕那純淨的靈奶，像才生的嬰孩愛慕奶一樣，叫你們因此漸長...”。還有使徒行傳 20: 32：“如今我把你們交託神和他恩惠的道。這道能建立你們...”。神的話現在已成為你的糧食，能建立你的屬靈生命。請你先找一本約翰福音詳細讀過，再詳細讀完全部新約聖經。

現在我們要更具體一點談到如何領受神的話語，來供應你生命中的需要。詩篇 119: 9 說：“少年人用什麼潔淨他的行為呢？是要遵行你的話。”然後寫詩篇的人接著向神說：“我將你的話藏在心里，免得我得罪你”（十一節）。所以我們願意勉勵你將神的話藏在心里背誦神的話。在這本小冊子里，我們預備了幾節經文，來幫助你開始這項背誦聖經的工作。

除了你靈命所需的糧食之外，我們再來看一看你所要對付的這個危險的新敵人是怎樣的。

在你還沒有信耶穌得救以前，你也許沒有受過魔鬼狠毒的攻擊。但現在它看見你採取了這個行動——也許是世界上最惹它憤怒的一個行動；它看見你離開了它，加入信靠真神兒子之人的陣營中。它知道你現在已經不屬於它，而屬於那位在十字架上流血作贖價將你買來歸他自己的耶穌基督。所以無

included a few key passages with which you may begin.

But first, let us consider the new enemy you now face. Before you trusted Christ, Satan may not have bothered you particularly, but now you have left his crowd and joined the ranks of those who believe in and follow the Son of God and his word. You are no longer in Satan's domain. You belong to Christ, who has bought and paid for you with a price—the price of his own blood shed on the cross.

You may be sure that Satan will attempt to trouble you. His attacks assume many forms, but we want to speak of some of the most common ones, and help you resist them successfully. The five verses of Scripture in this course will equip you for your first encounters with the enemy.

Assurance of Salvation

Satan's first approach is often to cast doubt on the work God has done in your heart. Although you won't hear his audible voice, he will whisper this in your mind: "You don't think you are saved and your sins forgiven just by believing and receiving Christ? Surely that is not enough!"

What will your answer be? Your only hope of successfully resisting such an attack is to resort to God's word. What does God say about the matter? That is the important thing. The first memory passage, John 5:24 is entitled **Assurance of Salvation**, and says, "I tell you the truth, whoever hears my words and believes him who sent me has eternal life and will not be condemned; he has crossed over from death to life."

Please use this verse to get rid of the doubt and fear Satan whispers into your heart. God promises us that whoever believes in Jesus Christ will surely be saved. Salvation is based on God's word; this is why we know we are saved. It is not based on "feelings", or good deeds or being a good person.

Notice in this verse that Jesus clearly says if you have heard the gospel and believed in God and Jesus the Savior God has sent, you have crossed over from death to life – you are saved right now and have the eternal life. In the future you will definitely not be condemned to Hell – the place God prepared for Satan and his demons, together with all those who are not willing to believe in Jesus Christ. Please memorize this verse to get rid of the doubt and fear in your heart, and extinguish the flaming arrows of the evil one. (Eph 6:16)

(4) Complete the Bible study below

The purpose of this lesson is to help you understand the Gospel of John through your own study. The answer to each question is found by looking up the Bible verse which is given. Do not merely copy the verse, but after studying the passage, answer the questions in your own words.

(Note: All the references are from the Gospel of John.)

1. Why was the Gospel of John written? (Jn 20:31)
(a)

14. 施洗約翰為誰作了見證？（約 1: 6-8）

15. 施洗約翰行了多少神蹟來向眾人證明耶穌是神的兒子？
（約 10:41-42）

16. 對於還沒有聽到福音的地方，神給基督徒的命令是什麼？
（約 20: 21; 10: 16; 4: 35-38）

民意測驗

通過這次學習，你對神的認識是否加深？在你的生命里發生了什麼變化？

(五) 背誦 希伯來書 10: 24-25

團契

希伯來書 10: 24-25

又要彼此相顧，激發愛心，勉勵行善。你們不可停止聚會，好像那些停止慣了的人，倒要彼此勸勉，既知道那日子臨近，就更當如此。

希伯來書 10: 24-25

恭喜你！你已經完成了“約翰福音學習”課程。我們鼓勵你繼續參與當地教會的崇拜和團契。

14. Of whom did John the Baptist witness? (Jn 1:6-8)
15. How many miracles did John the Baptist perform in persuading many people that Jesus is the Son of God? (Jn 10:41-42)
16. What is God's command to the Christian concerning the places where Christ has not been preached? (Jn 20:21; 10:16; 4:35-36)

Personal Feedback

Through the study of this course, has your understanding of God deepened? What changes have you discovered in your life?

(5) Memorize Hebrews 10:24-25

Fellowship

Hebrews 10:24-25

And let us consider how we may spur one another on toward love and good deeds. Let us not give up meeting together, as some are in the habit of doing, but let us encourage one another--and all the more as you see the Day approaching.

Hebrews 10:24-25

Congratulations! You have completed the Gospel of John Bible Study. We encourage you to continue to worship and fellowship at your local church.

疑的，它必會設法困擾你。它的攻擊可能有許多方式，但我們願意在這裡談到幾種最常見的方式，並幫助你明白怎樣有效地抵抗它。在這裡，我們要給你四節經文，以供你準備抵擋魔鬼初期的攻擊。請背誦這四節經文。

得救的應許

魔鬼向你進攻的第一步，常是叫你疑惑神在你心中所作成的工作。雖然你耳朵未必聽見它的聲音，它卻在你心里低聲說：“你絕不至於認為你只相信接受了耶穌基督就已經得救了吧！當然是沒有這麼簡單的！沒有這麼容易就能除罪重生，進入天堂！”

你要怎樣回答呢？要抵擋這樣的攻擊，唯一的希望是求助於神的話語。最要緊的是看神對這件事是怎樣說的。所以我們選了約翰福音 5: 24 作為我們的第一段背誦經文，稱為“得救的應許”。

“（耶穌說），我實實在在地告訴你們，那聽我話、又信差我來者的，就有永生，不至於定罪，是已經出死入生了”。

請用這段經文來消除魔鬼低聲在你心中所放下的疑惑和恐懼，並使你確實知道你之所以能得救，乃是因為神曾應許說，凡信靠耶穌基督的人都必得救。你的得救，是單單憑著神的話語，不是憑著“感覺”，也不是憑著你是個好人或有什麼好行為。

請留心注意耶穌基督在這段經文中明明說，如果你聽見了這福音又信靠了神和他所差來的救主耶穌，你就已經出死入生——現在已經得救，已經有了永遠的生命。你將來絕不至於被定罪進入地獄，就是神為魔鬼和它的使者以及一切不肯信靠耶穌基督的人所預備的地方。請背誦這段經文來消除你心中一切的疑惑和恐懼，撲滅魔鬼向你射出的火箭（以弗所書 6: 16）。

(四) 完成以下的查經作業

目的：幫助你通過自學，看懂約翰福音。共有四節課。

要求：每個問題的答案都是通過查攷給出的聖經章節來獲得，所以千萬不要僅僅把經文抄下來作答案，而是先認真學習經文的段落，再用自己的語言回答問題。

幾點解釋：

- 約翰福音：耶穌的十二門徒中的一個名叫約翰的門徒，在公元後大約 90 年間，寫下了這一本記載耶穌生平的福音書。
- 約 20: 31：即約翰福音 20 章 31 節。
- 約 1: 29, 36：即約翰福音 1 章 29 節和 36 節。
- 約 20: 1-9：即約翰福音 20 章 1 至 9 節。

1. 為什麼要寫約翰福音？（約 20: 31）

(1)

(b)

2. What did Jesus call Himself? (Jn 8:12)
3. Where does the light of Jesus shine? (Jn 1:5)
4. Why do some men prefer to live in darkness rather than light? (Jn 3:19)
5. What happens to the man who does not believe in Jesus? (Jn 8:24)
6. Why did Jesus come into the world? (Jn 3:17)
7. But who is already condemned by God? (Jn 3:18)
8. What is the end result of those who refuse to believe in the Son of God? (Jn 3:36)

Through studying these verses you have realized that Jesus is the Son of God, the Light of the World. He came to a world living in darkness to bring light and life. However, many people do not believe in Jesus and choose to remain in darkness. These will die in their sins under the wrath of God.

9. Who is able to take away the sin of the world? (Jn 1:29; 36)

Note: In the Old Testament the priests regularly sacrificed a lamb for the sins of the people, but this was only a temporary solution. A Perfect Lamb, Jesus Christ, must be killed on the cross to take away our sin forever.

10. How did Jesus prove His love for the people? (Jn 15:13)
11. Was the Lamb of God a perfect lamb? What fault could even His enemies find in Jesus at His trial? (Jn 18:38; 19:4)
12. Tell of the sufferings that Christ bore when He died for our sins:
 - (a) Jn 19:1-
 - (b) Jn 19:2-

(四) 完成以下的查經作業

1. 關於基督徒的禱告被成就，神有許多的應許。請寫出其中的幾個。
(約 14: 13-14; 15: 16)
2. 在一個基督徒的祈禱得到成就後，隨之而來的是什麼？(約 16: 24)
3. 耶穌強調什麼比祈禱的地方更為重要？(約 4: 20, 23)
4. 耶穌並沒有祈求神允許他逃避苦難，那麼他向神祈求什麼呢？(約 12: 27-28)
5. 耶穌為那些即將面對醜惡的世界的門徒向父求什麼？(約 17: 15)
6. 什麼時候你可以確信神聽了你的祈禱？(約 9: 31)
7. 基督給他門徒的新命令是什麼？(約 13: 34-35; 15: 12)
8. 我如何證明我對主基督耶穌的那份赤誠的愛呢？(約 14: 15, 21, 23-24; 15: 10, 14)
9. 當我們的行事為人都是嚴格遵照神的話語去做時，隨之而來的是什麼？(約 13: 17)
10. 神揀選基督徒以某種方式來榮耀神，那麼這種方式是什麼呢？(約 15: 8, 16)
11. 一個剛從黑暗中走入基督的光明中的基督徒，從他接受基督為自己的救主那一刻起，可以見證什麼？(約 9: 25)
12. 當安得烈和腓力來到基督耶穌面前時，他們立刻就為主做了一件事，這件事是什麼？(約 1: 41-42, 45-46)
13. 我應該用誰的話來做見證？(約 7: 18; 3: 34)

(4) Complete the Bible study below

1. What is the condition for a Christian's prayer to be answered? (Jn 14:13-14; 15:16)
2. What usually follows when Christian's prayers are answered? (Jn 16:24)
3. What does Jesus emphasize as more important than the place in which you pray? (Jn 4:20, 23)
4. Rather than asking God to permit Him to escape suffering, what did Jesus pray? (Jn 12:27-28)
5. What is Jesus' prayer for the believer who faces the evils of this world? (Jn 17:15)
6. When can you be assured that God hears your prayers (Jn 9:31)
7. What new commandment did Christ give to His disciples? (Jn 13:34-35; 15:12)
8. How can I prove that I have a sincere love for the Lord Jesus Christ? (Jn 14:15, 21, 23-24; 15:10, 14)
9. What blessing follows when we strictly obey the Word of God? (Jn 13:17)
10. In what way is every Christian chosen to glorify God? (Jn 15:8, 16)
11. Of what can the Christian, who has passed from darkness into the light of Christ, testify from the moment he receives Christ as his Savior? (Jn 9:25)
12. What did Andrew and Philip do as soon as they had come to Jesus Christ? (Jn 1:42, 45, 46)
13. What words should I use in witnessing to others? (Jn 7:18; 3:34)

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2. 耶穌稱自己是什麼? (約 8: 12)
3. 耶穌的光照在什麼地方? (約 1: 5)
4. 為什麼有人寧願生活在黑暗中, 卻不願意生活在光明中? (約 3: 19)
5. 不信耶穌的人將會怎樣? (約 8: 24)
6. 為什麼耶穌要走進這個世界裡來? (約 3: 17)
7. 然而, 什麼樣的人已經被神定了罪? (約 3: 18)
8. 那些拒絕相信神的兒子的人有什麼樣的結局? (約 3: 36)

通過學習這些經文, 你已經認識到耶穌是神的兒子, 是世上的光, 他來到并住在這黑暗的世界中, 給世界帶來了光明和生命。然而, 許多人不相信耶穌, 願意繼續生活在黑暗中, 這些人將因自己的罪死在上帝的怒火之中。

9. 誰有能力驅除世界的罪? (約 1: 29, 36)

注意: 在舊約中, 祭師們不時獻上羊羔, 作為人們因犯罪請求赦免時的祭物但這真真是一種暫時的解決方法。要把世人的罪永遠地趕走, 神完美的羔羊—耶穌基督, 就必須被釘死在十字架上。

10. 耶穌怎麼樣證明他為人的愛? (約 15:13)
11. 神的羔羊是完美無缺的嗎? 在耶穌受難時, 他的敵人能否從他身上找出錯誤來指控他? (約 18: 38; 19: 4)
12. 寫出當基督為我們的罪死時, 他受了哪些折磨:
 - (1) 約 19: 1
 - (2) 約 19: 2

(c) Jn 19:3-

(d) Jn 19:17-

(e) Jn 19:18-

13. Why did God allow His only Son to die? (Jn 3:16)

14. Where was the body of Jesus placed after death? (Jn 19:41-42)

15. What happened three days after Jesus' body was put in the grave? (Jn 20:1-9; 19-20)

The heart of the Gospel is the fact that Jesus, God's only begotten Son, died on the cross for our sins. He was buried to prove His death, then He conquered death and rose again. Hallelujah!

16. What happens to those who believe this Gospel and receive Jesus into their hearts? (Jn 1:12)

17. Have you become a child of God? When?

Do you have your own Bible?

(1) No (2) Only a Gospel of John (3) Only a New Testament
(4) A whole Bible (both Old & New Testaments)

Please check the answer that best describes your situation above. If you do not have a Bible, please buy one at your next opportunity. We also strongly encourage you to continue attending church.

(5) Memorize 1Corinthians 10:13

Assurance of Victory

1Corinthians 10:13

No temptation has seized you except what is common to man. And God is faithful; he will not let you be tempted beyond what you can bear. But when you are tempted, he will also provide a way out so that you can stand up under it.

1Corinthians 10:13

洗禮

洗禮是記念我們跟基督和他的民建立起新的聯合。羅馬書六章說，如果我們信主，我們就與耶穌同死，同埋葬，又與他一同復活。所以，洗禮是這一屬靈轉變的生動畫面。借著洗禮，我們向弟兄姊妹和家人好友表明我們對基督的信心。一個人既然已經借著耶穌基督的死，因著信進入信徒的團契，就有資格在眾人面前宣告主在他（她）心中所作的一切。這就是洗禮的緣由。基督要他的信徒接受洗禮，我們遵行他的話，就是表明我們的信心。因此，每一個基督徒都應該接受洗禮。

聖餐

聖餐又稱主的晚餐，是主耶穌親自設立的，主也吩咐他的門徒“應當如此行，為的是紀念我”（哥林多前書 11: 24-25）。我們每逢喫這餅，喝這盃，就是紀念主是為我們而死。基督的死彰顯了神的大愛（約翰福音 15: 13）因此，每個信徒都常常紀念主和他的死。聖餐中的餅代表他的身體為我們破碎，盃是他的血，為我們而流。這些標記提醒我們，神的恩典和與基督的關係。

也提醒我們記得和弟兄姊妹合一的關係。“我們所祝福的盃，豈不是同飲基督的血嗎？我們所掰開的餅，豈不是同領基督的身體嗎？我們雖多，仍是一個餅，一個身體，因為我們都是分受這一個餅。”（哥林多前書 10: 16-17）。是主借著餅和盃提醒基督徒要彼此相合，彼此接納。所以，聖餐也是基督徒團契生活的重要部分。

在我們領受盃和餅之前，應該預備自己的心，“人應當自己省察，然後喫這餅，喝這盃”（哥林多前書 11: 28）。在我們領受餅和盃之前，應該反省自己在最近有沒有得罪人，得罪弟兄的地方，如果有，就當向神認罪，如有機會，最好先與人和好，然後再領受盃和餅，“因為人喫喝若不分辨是主的身體，就是喫喝自己的罪了”（哥林多前書 11: 29）。

Baptism

Baptism is a wonderful celebration of our new relationship with Christ and His people. According to Romans 6, when we believed, we died, were buried and were raised again with Christ. Baptism is the visible picture of this spiritual transaction. It is a declaration to brothers and sisters, as well as to friends and family outside the church, of our faith in Christ. Having entered into the fellowship of believers through faith in the sacrifice of Jesus Christ on our behalf, the new Christian now has the responsibility and privilege to publicly proclaim what Christ has already done in his or her heart. This is accomplished through baptism. Christ commanded that His followers be baptized, and in obeying this command, we reveal our faith in Him. Therefore, every believer should be baptized.

Communion

Jesus himself established Communion, also called the Lord's supper. The Lord told his disciples to keep this celebration in remembrance of Him (1Corinthians 11:24-25). Whenever we drink the cup and eat the bread, we are to remember that the Lord died for us. The death of Christ was God's greatest display of love (John 15:13). For this reason, every Christian should remember the Lord and His death at all times. The communion bread represents His body which was broken for us; the cup His blood which was shed for us. Therefore, Christians should share in communion in order to keep fresh his remembrance of God's grace and his relationship with Christ.

Communion also reminds us that we have been united as brothers and sisters. "Is not the cup of thanksgiving for which we give thanks a participation in the blood of Christ? And is not the bread that we break a participation in the body of Christ? Because there is one loaf, we, who are many, are one body, for we all partake of the one loaf" (1Corinthians 10:16-17). Through the bread and cup, the Lord reminds us that we should receive and live in unity with one another. So communion is a very important part of Christian fellowship.

Before we participate in communion, we need to prepare our hearts. "A man ought to examine himself before he eats of the bread and drinks of the cup" (1Corinthians 11:28). We should search our hearts for any recent sins or wrong doing toward others, especially our brothers. If we find any, we need to confess it to God, and if possible, reconcile with those brothers beforehand, for "anyone who eats and drinks without recognizing the body of the Lord eats and drinks judgment on himself" (1Corinthians 11:29, NIV).

(3) 約 19: 3

(4) 約 19: 17

(5) 約 19: 18

13. 為什麼神要讓他的獨生子死? (約 3: 16)
14. 簡要說明耶穌死後被埋在什麼地方? (約 19: 41-42)
15. 簡要說明耶穌被埋進墳墓後的第三天發生了什麼事 (約 20: 1-9, 19-20) :

福音的中心就是, 耶穌, 神的獨生愛子為我們的罪被釘死在十字架上; 他被埋葬, 證明瞭他的死, 他戰勝了死亡, 復活了。讚美主! 這就是救恩的道理。

16. 那些相信福音又把耶穌接入自己心中居住的人將會得到什麼? (約 1: 12)
17. 你是神的兒女嗎? 從什麼時候開始?

你有沒有自己的聖經?

(1) 沒有 (2) 只有約翰福音 (3) 只有新約 (4) 有新舊約全書
請在符合你的具體情況的答案上打“✓”。若沒有聖經請在當地教會買, 並且我們鼓勵你繼續參加當地教會的崇拜。

(五) 背誦 哥林多前書 10: 13

得勝的應許

哥林多前書 10: 13

你們所遇見的試探, 無非是人所能受的; 神是信實的, 必不叫你們受試探過於所能受的; 在受試探的時候, 總要給你們開一條出路, 叫你們能忍受得住。

哥林多前書 10: 13

Lesson 2: GOD'S PROTECTION AND LOVE

- (1) Review the Good News Bridge
- (2) Check John 5:24, 1Corinthians 10:13
- (3) Read "Assurance of Victory" and "Assurance of Forgiveness"

Assurance of Victory

Another attack from Satan may be along this line: He will whisper to you, "You have life, all right, but you are a weakling; you have always been a weakling." He will remind you of some sin, which has gripped you for years. He will point to something of which you are keenly aware, and say, "You are weak, and you will not be able to stand against this temptation. You may be able to stand against others, but not this one."

How will you answer him? Will you attempt to reason? Will you try to produce your own arguments? Will you run to see what other people say? Or will you rely on God's word? The second verse to memorize -- 1Corinthians 10:13 -- is chosen especially to meet this attack of Satan. "No temptation has seized you except what is common to man. And God is faithful; he will not let you be tempted beyond what you can bear. But when you are tempted, he will also provide a way out so that you can stand up under it."

This gives **Assurance of Victory**. God promises victory. It belongs to you as his child. Believe him, and you will see how God does things that are impossible with men. It will thrill you to see chains of lifetime habits broken by his mighty power.

Assurance of Forgiveness

Now let us take a look at the third step of Satan's attack. Although victory over sin is rightfully yours, there will be times when you miss the way of escape and you will fail and sin against God. Once you do, your enemy will be on the job immediately: "Now you've done it. Aren't you supposed to be a Christian? Christians don't do those things."

But God makes provision in his word for the failures of his children, as we see in the third verse on **Assurance of Forgiveness**, 1John 1:9: "If we confess our sins, he is faithful and just and will forgive us our sins and purify us from all unrighteousness." In this verse God promises not only

約翰福音學習 第四課 基督徒生活

(一) 復習福音橋

- (二) 復習 約翰福音 5: 24, 哥林多前書 10: 13, 約翰一書 1: 9, 約翰福音 16: 24

(三) 讀一遍 “基督徒的團契生活”

團契的生活

以弗所書 4: 11-16 說，神已經差遣了一些人作教會的領袖，來為教會的事工預備工人。教會的領袖教導，訓練神的民。牧師講解神的話，使那些聽道的得以明白，並準確地把神的話應用到生活中去。其實，神給每一個信徒都有不同的恩賜，讓他們靠著這些恩賜，幫助別人在信心和事奉的工作中成長。基督是我們的頭，我們在共同的事工中，互相造就，信心合一，滿有知識，在基督中成熟。這些事情的成就，都要籍著愛心，供給弟兄姊妹的需求，互相勸勉，行在基督裡面。無論是否教會中的領袖，神都呼召我們去服侍——靠著服侍，在信心、知識和對基督的理解上互相造就。

希伯來書 10: 24-25 告訴我們如何在愛心和善行上互相鼓勵，這才是真正的團契生活。有一些人，他們可能會去教會，卻沒有真正的團契。我們不能停止聚會——團契的生活不但對每個基督徒的靈命的健康成長十分重要，而且對整個教會也同等重要。

箴言 27: 17 說，“鐵磨鐵，磨出刃來，朋友相感，也是如此。”為了成長為一個成熟的基督徒，我們需要從屬靈的長者那裡得到勉勵。從他們那裡，我們可以學到他們對基督和聖經的認識，可以學到他們每日如何與基督同行。年輕的基督徒同樣可以鼓勵那些剛剛信主的人，新信徒屬靈的激情可以幫助老信徒與基督常常保持親近的關係，所以，不管是老信徒，還是新信徒，都可以在團契的生活中得著很多東西。

教會的聖禮

在教會的團契生活中，有兩個重要的禮儀，就是，洗禮和聖餐。

Lesson 4: CHRISTIAN LIVING

- (1) Review the Good News Bridge
- (2) Check Jn 5:24, 1Cor 10:13, 1Jn 1:9, Jn 16:24
- (3) Read "Fellowship"

Fellowship

Ephesians 4:11-16 God has appointed some to lead in the church in order to prepare those who follow for works of service. The leaders serve by teaching and training God's people to serve. Pastors make clear the Word of God so that those who hear can understand and apply it accurately to their lives. In fact, God has given every believer different gifts, and we are called to use these gifts to help others grow in their faith and service to God. As we work together, we can build each other up toward unity in faith, knowledge and maturity in Christ, who is the head of us all. This is accomplished through lovingly meeting the needs of brothers and sisters, and lovingly challenging each other in our walk with Christ. We are all called to serve whether we are leaders in the church or not--and our service is to build one another up in our faith, knowledge and understanding of Christ.

Hebrews 10:24-25 tells us to consider how to encourage each other on into more love and more good deeds. This is true fellowship. It is possible to attend church and yet not really fellowship. We are not to discontinue meeting together--fellowshipping together is vital to the healthy development of not only individual Christians, but to the whole body as well. We need one another and one another's gifts so that each one of us can grow together into the unity of maturity in Christ.

Proverbs 27:17 says, "As iron sharpens iron, so one man sharpens another." To grow toward maturity, we need to be challenged by older, mature Christians. We need to learn from their understanding of Christ and the Scriptures; we can learn from their experience of Christ in their daily lives. Even young Christians recently starting out on this journey can encourage those just beginning. The excitement a young Christian has at the newness of this life can help keep fresh an older Christian's relationship with Christ. Young and old mutually benefit from fellowship with one another.

Sacraments

Within the fellowship of the church there are two important sacraments. These are baptism and communion.

約翰福音學習

第二課 神的保護和愛

- (一) 復習福音橋
- (二) 復習 約翰福音 5: 24, 哥林多前書 10: 13
- (三) 再讀一遍“初信基要：得勝的應許 和 赦免的應許”

得勝的應許

魔鬼第二步的攻擊也許是這樣，它會在你心中深處低聲說：“你有生命了，不錯；可是你是個軟弱的人，尤其是在這一件事上，或是那一件事上...”。

它會叫你想起過去多年來纏繞你的一件罪；它會指著一個你心中十分明白的弱點，對你說：“你是軟弱的，你無法在這一件事上站立得住。也許你能抵擋別的試探，但不能抵擋這一件。”

你要怎樣回答它呢？你想要跟它辯論，提出你自己的理由嗎？你是急想要征求別人的意見，還是願意依靠那永不改變的聖言呢？我們的第二段背誦經文--哥林多前書 10: 13--就是特別選來應付魔鬼這種攻擊的。

“你們所遇見的試探，無非是人所能受的；神是信實的，必不叫你們受試探過於所能受的；在受試探的時候，總要給你們開一條出路，叫你們能忍受得住。”

這是“得勝的應許”。神應許你能得勝。你既是神的兒女，勝利就是屬於你的，你若相信這話，就必看見在人所不能的，在神凡事都能。在你一生中也許有一些多年來的惡習慣像鎖鏈是地網綁著你。當你看見這些鎖鏈藉著神的大能一下子完全由你身上除去的時候，你必感到又驚又喜。請背誦這節經文，把它銘刻在你的心版上。

赦免的應許

現在我們來看魔鬼的第三步攻擊。雖然你在凡事上有得勝的權利，但你還是很可能在某些事上失敗。罪也許忽然得著機會抓住你。立刻你的仇敵就要來說：“看！你又犯罪了。你豈不是已經自認為是一個基督徒了嗎？基督徒是不做那種事的！”

然而，神在他的話語中還是預備了恩典，來供應他兒女們失敗時的需要。所以第三節經文是說到“赦免的應許”：

“我們若認自己的罪，神是信實的，是公義的，必要赦免我們的罪，洗淨我們一切的不義”（約翰一書 1: 9）。

to forgive us, but also to cleanse us. What a gracious provision!

(4) Complete the Bible study below

1. Is it more important to spend your life seeking after physical things or eternal things? (Jn 6:27)
2. What did Jesus say was the only acceptable work for receiving eternal life? (Jn 6:29)
3. Having received salvation by God's grace apart from any works, will Jesus ever cast aside our salvation? (Jn 6:37)
4. If I have heard His Word and believed, then... (Jn 5:24)
 - (a) What do I now possess?
 - (b) Will I ever be condemned by God and sent to hell?
 - (c) What condition have I crossed over from?
5. Who is able to snatch away God's sheep who have eternal life? (Jn 10:27-28)
6. Who joins with Jesus Christ to safeguard the salvation of the Christian? (Jn 10:29-30; 17:11)
7. According to Jn 14:16-17...
 - (a) Who is the Comforter?
 - (b) How long does He abide in the believer's heart?
 - (c) Does He live in me?

7. 有什麼預言是關於耶穌身體的？（約 2：19-22；20：9 在舊約全書中也有許多經文預言此事）
8. 我信靠基督後必須怎樣做才能成為忠心的門徒？（約 8：31）
9. 神用什麼來使一個人成為聖潔？（約 17：17）
10. 神為那些住在他的話語裡的人做什麼事？（約 15：7）
11. 聖靈在神的話語方面做什麼工作？（約 14：26；16：13）
12. 我從神的話中可以得到什麼益處？
 - (1) 約 6：63
 - (2) 約 15：3
 - (3) 約 5：11
 - (4) 約 16：33

(五) 背誦 約翰福音 16：24

成就禱告的應許

約翰福音 16：24

向來你們沒有奉我的名求什麼，如今你們求就必得著，叫你們的喜樂可以滿足。

約翰福音 16：24

7. What is the prophecy concerning the temple of the body of Christ? (John 2:19-20; 20:9--many Old Testament verses prophesy this truth.)
8. After I have believed in Christ, what must I do to be a faithful disciple? (John 8:31)
9. What causes a Christian to be sanctified? (John 17:17)
10. What does God do for those who abide in His Word? (John 15:7)
11. What is the work of the Holy Spirit concerning God's Word? (John 16:13; 14:26)
12. What benefits may I obtain from God's Word?
 - (a) John 6:63-
 - (b) John 15:3-
 - (c) John 15:11-
 - (d) John 16:33-

(5) Memorize John 16:24

Assurance of Answered Prayer

John 16:24

Until now you have not asked for anything in my name. Ask and you will receive, and you joy will be complete.

John 16:24

這裡，神不但應許要赦免我們，還應許要洗淨我們。神所預備的恩典，真是何等丰盛！

(四) 完成以下的查經作業

讚美主，因為你完成了《約翰福音學習》的第一課。這第一課告訴了你救恩的道理，而第二課是教你作為神的兒女，如何在基督里成長。

1. 花上你畢生的精力去追求物質世界的事和追求永恆的事物兩者之間，哪一個更重要？（約 6：27）
2. 耶穌說要得到永生，要做什麼工才有效？（約 6：29）
3. 我們得到救恩，是借著神的恩典，白白得來的，並非自己工作的結果。然而，耶穌將來是否會有可能拋棄我們，收回救恩呢？（約 6：37）
4. 如果我聽了耶穌的話又相信（約 5：24）
 - (1) 那麼我現在就享有了什麼？
 - (2) 我會被神定罪，并被送進地獄嗎？
 - (3) 我已經擺脫了什麼？
5. 有誰能夠把我們這些神的羔羊抓永生的承受者，從神的懷中奪走？（約 10：27-28）
6. 誰與基督耶穌一起保護基督徒的救恩？（約 10：29-30；17：11）
7. 根據約翰福音 14 章 16，17 節
 - (1) 誰是保惠師？
 - (2) 他要在信徒心中住多久？
 - (3) 他是否已住在了我的心中？

God's love is so great and so complete that nothing can separate us from it. "For I am persuaded that neither death, nor life, nor angels, nor principalities, nor powers, nor height, nor depth, nor any other creature, shall be able to separate us from the love of GOD, which is in CHRIST JESUS or LORD" (Romans 8:38-39) (Romans is a letter written by the Apostle Paul around 58 A.D. to the church at Rome.)

8. How does God's love for His only Son compare with God's love for us? (Jn 17:23)
9. In what way is Christ's love manifested to us? (Jn 10:11; 15:13)
10. Does Jesus love me in the midst of sickness and death? (Jn 11:3; 15:13)
11. What happened when Jesus spoke to Lazarus whose body was in the grave? (Jn 11:43-44)
12. Even after death what will happen when Christ calls us? (Jn 5:28; 6:40)
13. Why should the Christian never fear death? (Jn 11:25)
14. What kind of place has Christ prepared for those who believe in Him? (Jn 14:2-3)

(5) Memorize 1John 1:9

Assurance of Forgiveness

1John 1:9

If we confess our sins, he is faithful and just and will forgive us our sins and purify us from all unrighteousness.

1John 1:9

(四) 完成以下的查經作業

1. 是什麼原因使人相信基督? (約 4: 41, 50; 17: 8)
2. 什麼樣的人拒不接受神的話? (約 8: 37, 47)
3. 當神的教訓被帶到罪人面前時, 要發生哪兩件事? (約 15: 22; 12: 48)
4. 什麼能使我從罪的網綁中的釋放? (約 8: 32)

“現在事情還沒有成就, 我預先告訴你們, 叫你們到事情成就的時候, 就可以信”(約 14: 20)。耶穌的生平, 死和復活完全徹底地實現了早在數百年前藉著聖靈所記載下來的預言, 這就充分證明瞭神的話是千真萬確!

5. 關於基督被出賣的預言是什麼? (約 13: 18; 18: 2, 5; 詩篇 41: 9) (詩篇撰寫于基督前 28 代, 大部份是由當時的以色列王大衛所作。)
6. 基督被釘死在十字架上實現了什麼預言?
 - (1) 關於他的衣服 (約 19: 23-24; 詩篇 22: 18)
 - (2) 關於他受折磨 (約 19: 28-30; 詩篇 69: 21)
 - (3) 關於他身體兩側 (約 19: 34-37; 撒加利亞書 12: 10) (撒加利亞書撰寫于公元前約 520 年)
 - (4) 關於他的軀體被完整保存 (約 19: 33, 36; 詩篇 34: 20)

(4) Complete the Bible study below

1. What causes people to believe in Christ? (John 17:8; 4:41,50)
2. What kind of people are those who reject God's Word? (John 8:37, 47)
3. What two things happen when the teachings of God's Word are brought before sinful men? (John 15:22; 12:48)
4. What is able to release me from the bondage of sin? (John 8:32)

"And now I have told you before it is come to pass that, when it is come to pass, ye might believe" (John 14:29). The proof of the Word of God is borne out by the fact that the prophecies recorded by the Holy Spirit hundreds of years before, were minutely fulfilled in Christ's life, death, and resurrection.

5. What is the prophecy concerning Christ's death on the cross? (Compare John 13:18; 18:2,5 with Psalm 41:9)
6. What prophecies were fulfilled by Christ's death on the cross?
 - (a) Concerning His clothes (Compare John 19:23-24 with Psalm 22:18)
 - (b) Concerning His suffering? (Compare John 19:28-30 with Psalm 69:21)
 - (c) Concerning His side? (Compare John 19:34-37 with Zechariah 12:10)
 - (d) Concerning His body being kept whole? (Compare John 19:33,36 with Psalm 34:20)

神的愛是偉大又完全的，沒有什麼能把我們與他的愛分開。“因為深信無論是死，是生。是天使，是掌權的，是有能力的，是現在的事，是將來的事，是高處的，是低處的，是別的被造之物，都不能叫我們與神的愛隔絕：這愛是在我們主耶穌基督裡的。”（羅馬書 8：38-39）（羅馬書是使徒保羅致羅馬教會的書信，寫于大約公元 58 年。）

8. 神對自己獨生子的愛與他對我們的愛與什麼區別？（約 17：23）
9. 基督的愛是怎樣向我們顯示的？（約 10：11）
10. 當我在病中或當我死去的時候，耶穌還愛我嗎？（約 11：3，35-37）
11. 當耶穌向埋在墳墓的拉撒路大聲呼叫時，發生了什麼事？（約 11：43-44）
12. 即便在我們死後，當基督呼喚我們時，會有什麼事發生？（約 5：28；6：40）
13. 為什麼基督徒不應該害怕死亡？（約 11：25）
14. 基督為那些相信他的人預備了什麼樣的地方？（約 14：2-3）

(五) 背誦 約翰一書 1：9

赦免的應許

約翰一書 1：9

我們若認自己的罪，神是信實的，是公義的，必要赦免我們的罪，洗淨我們一切的不義。

約翰一書 1：9

Lesson 3: THE WORD OF GOD

- (1) Review the Good News Bridge
- (2) Check John 5:24, 1Cor 10:13, 1John 1:9
- (3) Read "Assurance of Answered Prayer" and "How to Memorize a Verse"

Assurance of Answered Prayer

A spiritual babe needs to learn that he can speak directly to his Heavenly Father through Jesus Christ. He can confidently enter God's presence and talk to Him about everything that affects his life (*Philippians 4:6*). In memory verse John 16:24, Jesus gives us the assurance that He will answer our prayers.

How to Memorize a Verse

- Read the verse several times to get the meaning.
- Start with the topic and reference: Assurance of Salvation, John 5:24, and say it several times with the first phrase of the verse.
- Then when you can say that by heart, add the next phrase, and say the topic and reference together with both phrases.
- Continue phrase by phrase until you can say the entire verse from memory.
- Then each time you review the verse, state the topic, the reference, the verse, and the reference again at the end.
- By repeating the reference before and after the verse, it helps you remember the location of it in the Bible.

The key to successful Scripture memory is daily review. Review the verse every day until it becomes part of you. Carry cards with you so that they are handy for use during your spare time. Scripture memory can become a lifetime habit that will give you blessing and strength as you learn to apply the verses to your life.

約翰福音學習

第三課 神的話

- (一) 復習福音橋
- (二) 復習 約翰福音 5: 24, 哥林多前書 10: 13, 約翰一書 1: 9
- (三) 再讀一遍“初信基要：成就禱告的應許 和 背誦經文的方法”

成就禱告的應許

魔鬼的另一個攻擊就是叫你懷疑禱告的功效。他會輕聲對你說：“你以為神真的關心你。他距離你這麼遠，他要關心比你更重要的事情。當然，不要以為他會聽你的禱告，更說不上應允了！”

但是，耶穌基督是你的救主；通過他，你有和天父直接交談的特權。神要你藉著基督而滿有信心地來到他面前，向他傾訴一切事情（腓立比書 4: 6, 希伯來書 4: 14-16），他很關懷你並要滿足你的要求。

“向來你們沒有奉我的名求什麼，如今你們求就必得著，叫你們的喜樂可以滿足。”（約翰福音 16: 24）

這就是“成就禱告的應許”。這節經文，是耶穌在受難前對他的門徒所說的話。他並沒有說他們在禱告中從來沒有祈求什麼，而是說他們從來沒有奉他的名求。你或許曾祈求了好多次，特別是在有困難的時候，但是，身為一個信徒，你可以奉耶穌的名求，因為你是屬於他的。奉他的名求就是憑他的權柄和恩典求；就像天父應允耶穌的每一個禱告。當你奉耶穌的名求時，他也同樣的會應允你。

記住這個應許，應用它，並經歷禱告蒙應允的喜樂。

背誦經文的方法

如果你有以上這四段確據的經文銘刻在你心版上，你就能藉此抵禦魔鬼主要的攻擊，不致墮入它的網羅，請將這本小冊隨身攜帶在衣袋里，這樣你就能利用一天中許多零碎的時間（例如等車、坐車、走路、喫飯前後、上床前等時間）把這幾節經文拿出來反復溫習背誦，直到純熟為止。

每逢朗誦一節經文的時候，要先說出它的書名章節；朗誦之後，還要把書名章節再說一遍。請你現在就開始用這方法背誦第一段經文：先說“約翰福音五章二十四節”，在朗誦經文內容“我實實在在地告訴你們... 是已經出死入生了”，最後再說“約翰福音五章二十四節”。這樣，你就能把書名章節和經文內容打成一片，將來要使用的時候，便不致于有記得經文忘了出處的煩惱。第一段經文背熟後，就可以用同樣的方法進行學習第二段經文，同時仍繼續溫習第一段，等到兩段都背熟後，再學習第三段，一直到第四段。請牢記，背誦工作的成功秘訣是：**復習！復習！復習！**