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# JESUS IS

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In the lesson this morning, we would like to consider what the Bible says, **JESUS IS**.

Before a house can be constructed, it must first have a foundation.

Notice that the Bible says, Jesus IS,

## 1. The FOUNDATION

- “For other **FOUNDATION** can **NO** man lay, than that is **LAID**, which **IS** Jesus Christ.” ([1Cor.3:11](#))

Because Jesus IS, The FOUNDATION,

We should, **BUILD ON HIM**.

- “Therefore whosoever **HEARETH** these sayings of mine, and **DOETH** them, I will liken him unto a **WISE** man, which **BUILT** his house upon a **ROCK**:<sup>25</sup> and the rain descended, and the floods came, and the winds blew, and beat upon that house; and it fell not: for it was **FOUNDED** upon a **ROCK**.” ([Matt.7:24-25](#))

and Peter tells us that Jesus is our bedrock foundation.

- “He saith unto them, But **WHOM** say ye that I am?<sup>16</sup> And Simon Peter answered and said, **THOU** art the **CHRIST**, the **SON** of the **LIVING God**.<sup>17</sup> And Jesus answered and said unto him, **BLESSED** art thou, Simon Bar-jona: for flesh and blood hath not revealed it unto thee, but My Father which is **IN** heaven.<sup>18</sup> And I say also unto thee, That thou art Peter, and upon this **ROCK** (which is, that bedrock foundation that Peter confessed, “Christ IS the Son of the Living God”) Jesus said, I will build **MY** church; and the gates of hell shall **NOT** prevail against it.” ([Matt.16:15-18](#))

Jesus IS,

## 2. The LIGHT

and we should, **FOLLOW HIM**.

- “Then spake Jesus again unto them, saying, I am the **LIGHT** of the world: he that **FOLLOWETH** Me, shall **NOT WALK** in darkness, but shall **HAVE**, the **LIGHT** of **LIFE**.” ([Jn.8:12](#))

Jesus said,

## 3. “I AM The WAY, The TRUTH, and the LIFE,

No man cometh unto the Father, BUT by ME” ([Jn.14:6](#))

Because Jesus IS, The WAY, The TRUTH, and The LIFE,

We should **WALK IN HIM**.

- “As ye have therefore **RECEIVED** Christ Jesus the Lord, so **WALK** ye, **IN** Him:” ([Col.2:6](#))

We Should **BELIEVE IN HIM**.

- “these are written, that ye might **BELIEVE** that Jesus **IS** the Christ, the Son of God; and that **BELIEVING**, ye might have **LIFE** through His **NAME**.” ([Jn.20:31](#))

Because Jesus IS, The WAY, The TRUTH, and The LIFE,

We Should **HAVE HIM**.

- Because “this is the **RECORD**, that God hath **GIVEN** to us **ETERNAL LIFE**, and this **LIFE**, is **IN** His Son.
  - <sup>12</sup> He that **HATH** the Son, **HATH LIFE**;
  - and he that hath **NOT** the Son of God, hath **NOT** life.” ([1Jn.5:11-12](#))

The Bible says that, Jesus IS,

#### 4. The DOOR

- He said, “**I AM** the **DOOR**: by Me, **IF** any man **ENTER IN**, he shall be **SAVED**, and shall **GO in** and **out**, and **FIND** pasture.” ([Jn.10:9](#))

Because Jesus IS, The DOOR,

We should, **ENTER IN**.

- “Know ye not, that so many of us, **AS** were **baptized INTO** Jesus Christ, were **baptized INTO** his **DEATH**?  
<sup>4</sup> Therefore we are **buried WITH** Him, **BY** **baptism INTO** **death**:  
that like **AS** Christ was **RAISED** up from the **DEAD**, **BY** the **GLORY** of the **Father**,  
even so, we also should **walk, IN** **newness** of **LIFE**.  
<sup>5</sup> For **IF** we have been **PLANTED together**, **IN** the likeness of his **DEATH**,  
we shall be also, **IN** the likeness of His **RESURRECTION**.” ([Rom.6:3-5](#))

Jesus IS,

#### 5. The BREAD

- “Jesus said unto them, **I AM** the **BREAD** of **LIFE**:  
he that **COMETH** to Me, shall **NEVER** **hunger**;  
and he that **BELIEVETH** on Me, shall **NEVER** **thirst**.” ([Jn.6:35](#))

Because Jesus IS, The BREAD,

We should spiritually **EAT & LIVE**.

- He said, “I am the **LIVING bread** which came down from heaven: **IF** any man **EAT** of this **bread**, he shall **LIVE** for ever: and the **BREAD** that I will **give IS** My flesh, which I will **GIVE** for the **LIFE** of the world.” ([Jn.6:51](#))

Jesus IS,

#### 6. The GREAT PHYSICIAN

The Bible says,

- “when the scribes and Pharisees saw Him **EAT** with **publicans** and **sinners**, they said unto His disciples, How is it that He **EATETH** and **DRINKETH** with **publicans** and **sinners**? <sup>17</sup> When Jesus **HEARD** it, He saith unto them, They that are **WHOLE**, have **NO** need of the **PHYSICIAN**, but they that are **SICK**: I came **NOT** to **CALL** the **righteous**, but **SINNERS** to **REPENTANCE**.” ([Mk.2:16-17](#))

Because Jesus IS, The GREAT PHYSICIAN,

We should, **BE HEALED**.

- “for this people’s **HEART** is waxed gross, and their **EARS** are dull of **hearing**, and their **EYES** they have **closed**; lest at any time they should **SEE** with their **eyes**, and **HEAR** with their **ears**, and should **UNDERSTAND** with their **heart**, and should be **CONVERTED**, and I should **HEAL** them.” ([Matt.13:15](#))

Notice also, that Jesus IS,

## 7. Our FRIEND

- “Greater LOVE hath NO man than this, that a man LAY down his LIFE for his FRIENDS.  
<sup>14</sup> Ye ARE My FRIENDS, IF ye DO whatsoever I command you.” (Jesus said in [Jn.15:13-14](#))

Because Jesus IS, Our FRIEND,

We should, TRUST HIM.

- “Esaias saith, There shall be a root of Jesse, and He that shall RISE to REIGN over the Gentiles; IN Him shall the Gentiles TRUST.” ([Rom.15:12](#))
- “TRUST in the Lord with ALL thine heart; and lean NOT unto thine OWN understanding.  
<sup>6</sup> In ALL thy ways ACKNOWLEDGE Him, and He, shall DIRECT thy paths.” ([Prov.3:5-6](#))

Jesus IS,

## 8. Our HOPE

- “Paul, an apostle of Jesus Christ BY the commandment of God our Saviour, and Lord Jesus Christ, which IS our HOPE;” ([1Tim.1:1](#))

Because Jesus IS, Our HOPE,

We should, LAY HOLD.

- The Bible says, “that by two immutable things, in which it was impossible for God to lie, we might have a strong consolation, who have fled for refuge to LAY HOLD upon the HOPE set before us:  
<sup>19</sup> which HOPE we have, as an ANCHOR of the soul, both SURE and STEDFAST...” ([Heb.6:18-20a](#))

Jesus IS,

## 9. Our PEACE

As the Bible says,

- “He is our PEACE, Who hath made both one (that is, Jew and Gentile), and hath broken down the middle wall of partition between us;” ([Eph.2:14](#))

Because Jesus IS, Our PEACE,

We should, HAVE & ENJOY.

- “Therefore being justified BY faith, we have PEACE with God THROUGH our Lord Jesus Christ:” ([Rom.5:1](#))

The Bible says that, Jesus IS,

## 10. Our SAVIOUR

- An apostle said, “we have SEEN and do TESTIFY that the Father SENT the Son, to be the SAVIOUR of the world.” ([1Jn.4:14](#))

Because Jesus IS, Our SAVIOUR,

We should, COME TO HIM.

- Jesus said, “COME unto Me, all ye that labour and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest.  
<sup>29</sup> TAKE My yoke upon you, and LEARN of Me; for I am meek and lowly in heart: and ye shall FIND rest unto your souls. <sup>30</sup> For My yoke is EASY, and My burden is LIGHT.” ([Matt.11:28-30](#))

Jesus IS,

### 11. Our EXAMPLE, and we should therefore FOLLOW Him.

- “For even hereunto were ye **CALLED**: because Christ also **SUFFERED** for us, leaving us an **EXAMPLE**, that ye should **FOLLOW** His steps:” ([1Pet.2:21](#))

Jesus IS,

### 12. Our SHEPHERD

- He said, “I am the **GOOD** shepherd: the good **SHEPHERD** giveth His **LIFE** for the sheep.” ([Jn.10:11](#))

Because Jesus IS, Our SHEPHERD,

We should, **HEAR & FOLLOW**.

- “My sheep **HEAR** My voice (Jesus said), and I **KNOW** them, and they **FOLLOW** Me: <sup>28</sup> and I **GIVE** unto them eternal **LIFE**; and they shall **NEVER** perish, **NEITHER** shall any man pluck them **OUT** of My hand.” ([Jn.10:27-28](#))

Jesus IS,

### 13. Our PROPHET

- “For Moses truly said unto the fathers,  
A **PROPHET** shall the Lord your God raise **UP** unto you  
**OF** your brethren, **LIKE** unto me;  
Him shall ye **HEAR** in **ALL** things, whatsoever He shall **SAY** unto you.” ([Acts 3:22](#))

Because Jesus IS, Our PROPHET,

We should, **HEAR HIM**.

- “And it shall come to pass, that **EVERY SOUL**, which will **NOT HEAR** that **PROPHET**, shall be **DESTROYED** from among the people.” ([Acts 3:23](#))

Notice that, Jesus IS,

### 14. Our PRIEST

- “Wherefore, **HOLY** brethren, **PARTAKERS** of the heavenly **CALLING**, **CONSIDER** the Apostle and High **PRIEST** of our profession, **Christ Jesus;**” ([Heb.3:1](#))

Because Jesus IS, Our PRIEST,

We should, **TURN To Him, FOR HELP**.

- “Seeing then that we have a Great High **PRIEST**, that is passed into the heavens, Jesus the Son of God, let us hold fast our profession. <sup>15</sup> For we have not an High **PRIEST** which cannot be touched with the feeling of our infirmities; but was in all points tempted like as we are, yet without sin. <sup>16</sup> Let us therefore **COME** boldly unto the **THRONE** of **GRACE**, that we may **OBTAIN** Mercy, and **FIND** grace to HELP in time of NEED.” ([Heb.4:14-16](#))

Jesus IS,

## 15. Our KING

- “Pilate therefore said unto Him, Art thou a **KING** then? Jesus answered, Thou sayest that I am a **KING**. To this **END** was I born, and for this **CAUSE** came I into the world, that I should **BEAR** witness unto the **TRUTH**. Every one that is **OF** the Truth **HEARETH** My voice.” ([Jn.18:37](#))

Because Jesus IS, Our KING, We should, **SERVE HIM**.

- [Matt.25:34-36](#) reads, “Then shall the **KING** say unto them on His right hand, **COME**, ye blessed of my Father, **INHERIT** the kingdom prepared **FOR** you, **FROM** the foundation of the world:
  - <sup>35</sup> for I was an hungred, and ye **GAVE** Me meat:
  - I was thirsty, and ye **GAVE** Me drink:
  - I was a stranger, and ye **TOOK** Me in:
  - <sup>36</sup> naked, and ye **CLOTHED** me:
  - I was sick, and ye **VISITED** Me:
  - I was in prison, and ye **CAME** unto Me.” ([Matt.25:34-36](#))

Jesus IS,

## 16. Our LORD

- “Therefore let all the house of Israel know assuredly, that God hath made that same **Jesus**, whom ye have crucified, both **LORD** and Christ.” ([Acts 2:36](#))

Because Jesus IS, Our LORD,

We should, **BOW TO HIM**.

- “at the **NAME** of Jesus, every knee should **BOW**, of things in heaven, and things in earth, and things under the earth; <sup>11</sup> and that every tongue should **CONFESS** that Jesus Christ is **LORD**, to the **GLORY** of God the Father.” ([Phil.2:10-11](#))

The Bible says that, Jesus IS,

## 17. Our CAPTAIN

- “For it became Him, **FOR Whom** are all things, and **BY Whom** are all things, in **BRINGING** many sons unto glory, to make the **CAPTAIN of their salvation** **PERFECT** through **SUFFERINGS**.” ([Heb.2:10](#))

Because Jesus IS, Our CAPTAIN

We should, **OBEY HIM**.

- “though He were a Son, yet learned He **OBEEDIENCE** by the things which He **SUFFERED**; <sup>9</sup> and being made perfect, He **BECAME** the author of **ETERNAL** salvation unto all them that **OBEY** Him;” ([Heb.5:8-9](#))

Jesus IS,

## 18. Our MEDIATOR

- “For there is **ONE** God, and one **MEDIATOR** between God and men, the man **Christ Jesus**;” ([1Tim.2:5](#))

Because Jesus IS, Our MEDIATOR,

We should, **USE HIM**.

- “...Verily, verily, I say unto you, Whatsoever ye shall **ASK** the Father **IN** My **NAME**, He will **GIVE** it you.” ([Jn.16:23](#); read also [Jas.4:3](#))

Jesus IS,

## 19. God's SON

- “In this, was manifested the **LOVE** of God **TOWARD** us, because that, God **SENT** His only begotten **SON** into the world, that we might live **THROUGH** Him.” ([1Jn.4:9](#))

Because Jesus IS, God's SON,  
We should, **HEAR HIM**.

- “While He yet spake, **BEHOLD**, a bright cloud overshadowed them: and **BEHOLD** a voice out of the cloud, which said, **THIS** is My beloved **SON**, **IN** whom I am **WELL** pleased; **HEAR** ye Him.” ([Matt.17:5](#))

The Bible says that, Jesus IS,

## 20. God's GIFT

- “For God so **LOVED** the world, that He **GAVE** His only begotten **SON**, that whosoever believeth **IN** Him should **NOT** perish, but **HAVE** everlasting **LIFE**.” ([Jn.3:16](#))

Because Jesus IS, God's GIFT,  
We should, **RECEIVE HIM**.

- “as many as **RECEIVED** Him, to them He **GAVE** the Right (or Power) to **BECOME** children of God, to those who believe in His **NAME** (or In His Authority),” ([Jn.1:12](#) NASB)

Notice that, Jesus IS,

## 21. The CHRIST

- “Simon Peter answered and said, Thou art **THE CHRIST**, the **SON** of the **LIVING** God.” ([Matt.16:16](#))

Because Jesus IS, The CHRIST,  
We should, **CONFESS HIM**.

- “Whosoever therefore shall **CONFESS** Me **BEFORE** men (Jesus said), him will I **CONFESS** also **BEFORE** My Father, which is **IN** heaven.” ([Matt.10:32](#); example: [Acts 8:37-38](#))

Jesus IS,

## 22. The VINE

- He said, “**I AM** the **VINE**, ye are the branches: He that abideth **IN** Me, and I **IN** him, the same **BRINGETH** forth **MUCH** fruit: for without Me, ye can do **NOTHING**.” (Jesus said in [Jn.15:5](#))

Because Jesus IS, The VINE,  
We should, **ABIDE IN HIM**.

- “**ABIDE IN Me**, and I **IN** you.  
As the branch can**NOT** bear fruit **OF** itself, except it **ABIDE IN** the **VINE**;  
**NO** more can ye, except ye **ABIDE IN Me**.” ([Jn.15:4](#))

And finally, notice that Jesus IS,

### 23. Our JUDGE

- “For the Father judgeth **NO** man, but hath committed all **JUDGMENT** unto the Son:” ([Jn.5:22](#))

Because Jesus IS, Our JUDGE,

We should, be certain that our **WORK**, or **Deeds Done in the body**, are **RIGHTEOUS!**

Jesus said,

- **BEHOLD**, I come quickly; and My reward is **WITH** Me, to **GIVE** every man according as his **WORK** shall be. ([Rev.22:12](#))

Paul echoes that thought in [2Cor.5:10-11](#);

- For we must **ALL** appear, before the **JUDGMENT** seat of Christ; that every one may **RECEIVE** the things **DONE** in his body, according to that he hath **DONE**, whether it be good or bad. Knowing therefore the **TERROR** of the Lord, we **PERSUADE** men;

### IN-CONCLUSION

Because of who and what **JESUS IS**,

We should make things right with Him, without delay!

If you have Need,

- To **REPENT** ([LK.13:3](#))
- Or have yet to be baptized **INTO** Christ ([Gal.3:26-27](#)), where all spiritual blessings exist ([Eph.1:3](#))

The Lord invites you to **COME** to Him, as Together, we Stand and Sing.