

Colossian 2:6-7, "Message Received"

⁶ So then, just as you received Christ Jesus as Lord, continue to live your lives in Him, ⁷ rooted and built up in Him, strengthened in the faith as you were taught, and overflowing with thankfulness.

Overview of Passage

"In the previous passage Paul commended the Colossians faith in Christ. Now he encourages them to continue to live their lives the same way they received Jesus as LORD, and then gives them several points of application to live their lives in worthy manner."

I. The manner which we received (v6)

- a. The _____ is the New Testament
- b. We were taught the _____ (Rom. 10:14-17)

II. The tradition we received (v6)

- a. Jesus is _____ means that He is the _____ of the Old Testament (*Kurios*)
- b. We must confess Jesus is _____ and then _____ to Him

III. A life pleasing to God (v6-7)

- a. Without _____ it is impossible to please God (Heb 11:6)
- b. Faith is _____
- c. Faith has an object
- d. Faith trusts the _____ of God
- e. Faith is not trusting that God will do what we _____
- f. Faith is trusting God even when He _____ do what we want

Discussion questions and devotions for your family

1. Who taught the Colossians about Jesus?
2. Who taught him?
3. What is the Apostolic Tradition?
4. Why does Paul believe Jesus is YHWH (Yahweh), the God of the Old Testament?
 - Discuss what faith means and what it doesn't mean.

Scripture memorization for August

Colossians 1:19-20

¹⁹ For God was pleased to have all His fullness dwell in Him, ²⁰ and through Him to reconcile to Himself all things, whether things on earth or things in heaven, by making peace through His blood, shed on the cross.

Songs to Worship throughout the week

“Washed by the blood” by CityAlight

“Nothing but the blood” by CityAlight (fun for the young ones, and me...)

“Psalm 34, Taste and See” by Shane and Shane

“Psalm 51, Wisdom in the secret heart” by Shane and Shane

You can find these songs on Spotify or Youtube

Kids Catechisms

Q16 What offices does Jesus have?

A16 He has three offices.

Q17 What are they?

A17 Jesus is prophet, priest, and king