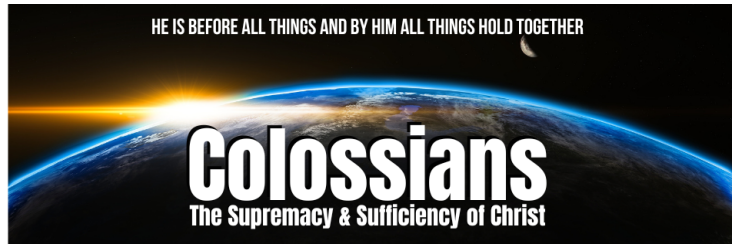


A Christian Way of Life

June 11, 2023 – Colossians 2:6-10
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1. The Warning

2. The Reality

3. The Way

Discussion Questions:

1. What does v. 8 mean by the word “philosophy”? What “philosophies” direct and influence your life?
2. Consider the philosophies you gave in question 1. In what way does Christianity agree with each of those philosophies? In what way does Jesus fulfill those philosophies in a way that they themselves can’t?
3. How does regular repentance lead to flourishing in the Christian life?
4. What philosophies are tempting you? How can you fight against those and instead be captivated by Christ?

Next Steps:

1. If you are a visitor with us, we would love to connect with you. Please fill out a Connection Card and turn it at the Welcome Center. We would like to give you a gift as a thank you for joining us.
2. If you are interested in baptism, let Pastor Jon know in person or email him at pjpickens@fbclowell.org.
3. Read the Bible with us to know God and respond to Him! Below is our current schedule.

(Two Year Reading Plan, Month 18)

Week 1 Starting June 5	Week 2 Starting June 12	Week 3 Starting June 19	Week 4 Starting June 26
Day 1: Job 20-22	Day 1: Job 37-39	Day 1: Proverbs 10-12	Day 1: Proverbs 25-26
Day 2: Job 23-27	Day 2: Job 40-42	Day 2: Proverbs 13:1-15:29	Day 2: Proverbs 27-29
Day 3: Job 28-30	Day 3: Proverbs 1-3	Day 3: Proverbs 15:30-19:22	Day 3: Proverbs 30-31
Day 4: Job 31-33	Day 4: Proverbs 4-6	Day 4: Proverbs 19:23-22:16	Day 4: Ecclesiastes 1-3
Day 5: Job 34-36	Day 5: Proverbs 7-9	Day 5: Proverbs 22:17-24:34	Day 5: Ecclesiastes 4-7

¹¹ For the grace of God has appeared, bringing salvation for all people,

¹² training us to renounce ungodliness and worldly passions, and to live self-controlled, upright, and godly lives in the present age,

¹³ waiting for our blessed hope, the appearing of the glory of our great God and Savior Jesus Christ,

¹⁴ who gave himself for us to redeem us from all lawlessness and to purify for himself a people for his own possession who

What was your big take-a-way from the message this morning?