

CORE *values*

This is who we are...People who value the Word of God

Welcome Holy Spirit

Song suggestions:

- Cornerstone <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=QvLxZEU02ul>
- Waymaker https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=iJCV_2H9xD0
- Thy Word <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=a6LC8cu03lg> (an oldie but a goodie)

Watch video clip <https://www.youtube.com/channel/UC-jzIt8mnepwHx8TUdTUhKA>

Key teaching points:

- The Word was at the very beginning.
- All scripture is God breathed. You can trust the scriptures, they are the Word of God.
- Take note of how Jesus related to scriptures, spoke about them, and authority He placed on them.
- Jesus (the Word in flesh) said, "My words are spirit and life" John 6:63.
- The Word is seed, incorruptible seed. The Word is the seed to sow.
- The Word is light. The entrance of His Word brings light. It is a light to our path. The Word is the light of men, the Word made flesh.

Key verses:

John 1:1-5 *In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God. He was in the beginning with God. All things were made through Him, and without Him nothing was made that was made. In Him was life, and the life was the light of men. And the light shines in the darkness, and the darkness did not comprehend it.*

2 Timothy 3: 16-17 *All Scripture is given by inspiration of God, and is profitable for doctrine, for reproof, for correction, for instruction in righteousness, that the man of God may be complete, thoroughly equipped for every good work.*

Matthew 5:18 *For assuredly, I say to you, till heaven and earth pass away, one jot or one tittle will by no means pass from the law till all is fulfilled.*

Luke 8:4-15 **Matthew 13:1-23** **Mark 4:1-20** *the parable of the sower*

Psalms 119:130 *The entrance of Your words gives light; It gives understanding to the simple.*

Psalms 119:105 *Your word is a lamp to my feet and a light to my path.*

John 1:14 *And the Word became flesh and dwelt among us, and we beheld His glory, the glory as of the only begotten of the Father, full of grace and truth.*

1 Peter 1:22-25 *Since you have purified your souls in obeying the truth through the Spirit in sincere love of the brethren, love one another fervently with a pure heart, having been born again, not of corruptible seed but incorruptible, through the word of God which lives and abides forever, because*

"All flesh is as grass, and all the glory of man as the flower of the grass. The grass withers, and its flower falls away, But the word of the LORD endures forever."
Now this is the word which by the gospel was preached to you.

Questions for reflection:

1. What struck you about the Word as Wes spoke?
2. When we think that the word is seed, what are we sowing into our lives and the lives of those around us?
3. What scriptures do you need to use as a flashlight (light) on your life's journey at the moment?

Pray