

COMMUNITY GROUP HOMEWORK – *Welcome Back!*

The week of Sunday, September 8th

***Last week's sermon & this homework can be found at gbcmt.org/sermons or on the GBC App*

Prayer and Praise:

As a group, what can you praise the Lord for that occurred over the summer? How has the Lord been working in your life?

After prayer, please continue praising God through song: #60 – *Be Thou My Vision*.

Together in the Word:

1. Why was the apostle Paul so concerned for the Corinthians in 2:13-14?
What alleviated his concerns (7:5ff)? _____

2. What is the difference between godly sorrow and worldly sorrow (7:9-10)?
What does each one produce? _____

3. In 2 Cor 7:11 we find seven inspired descriptions of genuine repentance.
To the best of your ability, define each description and explain what the description looks like in relation to genuine repentance.
Diligence – _____

Clearing of yourself – _____

Indignation – _____

Fear – _____

Vehement desire – _____

Zeal – _____

Vindication – _____

4. In daily life, why is it important to know what true repentance looks like? _____

A MAN CAUGHT UP TO HEAVEN

2 Corinthians 12:1-6

Series #35

The following are questions designed to facilitate greater learning and deeper understanding of spiritual truths presented in the sermon: **“A Man Caught Up To Heaven.”** All of the questions are answered as the sermon is presented. We hope that it will be a catalyst to spiritual growth in your life.

1. When Paul was caught up to heaven, he wasn't allowed to do what about it?
2. 2 Corinthians 12:1-6 is a continuation of what Paul began to talk about beginning all the way back to where?
3. Paul had to set forth the facts about the authenticity of what?
4. Paul knew that his defense or explanation would open him up to the accusation that he was what?
5. How many times does Paul use the word “boast” and “boasting” in 2nd Corinthians?”?
6. In verse 1, Paul is acknowledging that there is a sense in which all of his “boasting” is what?
7. What made the Apostles a very rare and unique group of men?
8. There are no what today?
9. Throughout history, what was not the norm in relation to God speaking to people?
10. Paul received information about Communion from what?

11. According to Ephesians 3:3, what did Paul receive through direct revelation from the Lord?
12. Paul tells us in Galatians 1 that he received his understanding of what by direction revelation?
13. Paul received his gospel message from whom?
14. What chapters in Acts tell us about six of Paul's visions?
15. The first thing we notice about verse 2 is that Paul does what?
16. How do we know Paul is talking about himself in these verses?
17. Is the third heaven and paradise the same place?
18. What are the three different "heavens" in the Jewish mindset?
19. Paul was caught up to the what?
20. This event that Paul describes happened before his what?
21. Did Paul really care whether it was his literal body that went up to heaven or if it was just his inner man?
22. What did Paul say about the things he heard when taken to heaven?
23. What kinds of words did Paul say that he heard?
24. When John mentions his vision, he records what?
25. Is the heaven today the same as the heaven in eternity future?
26. In chapter 11:22-33, Paul presented all his credentials in the form of what?
27. Paul wants to silence his critics so they couldn't continue to do what?
28. What is Paul basically saying in verse 5?
29. Paul knew that it was totally what that prompted the Lord to do what He did in relation to Paul?
30. Paul was very conscious of and aware of what?
31. Paul was not only conscious of his weaknesses, he was quick to do what?
32. Paul refrained from talking about this event because he realized that it could wrongly put him on a what?
33. What illustrates Paul's restraint?
34. Paul wanted people to know him for his what?
35. What was Paul's motivation and what compelled him?
36. Do you have the same love as Paul did for the Lord's church?