

Sermon Notes – April 30, 2023

Be A Christian: Put Feet to Your Faith! (2 Peter 1:5-9)

- I. Work On Yourself. (Vss 5-7)
 - A. Diligence: to hasten.
 - B. Moral excellence: virtue.
 - C. Knowledge: insight, understanding.
 - D. Self-control: the fruit of the Spirit; to hold oneself in.
 - E. Perseverance: patience; lasting ability.
 - F. Godliness: holy.
 - G. Kindness: Ephesians 4:32; I Corinthians 13
 - H. Love: Agape. God is Love. (I John 4)
- II. Make Endurance your Greatest Accomplishment. (Vss. 8,9)
 - A. Accomplish more than merely existing.
 - 1. Useful: John 17:4
 - 2. Fruitful: John 15:5
 - B. Make expertise your greatest goal.
 - 1. The true knowledge of God. (Luke 24:24-27)
 - 2. The true salvation of Jesus Christ.
 - a. Results in a change of destiny. (Ephesians 2:1-10)
 - b. Results in a change of direction. (Ephesians 5:25-27; Titus 2:14)