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the Cruciform life

FIRST CORINTHIANS

*Van
Huysum fecit 1722*

Reflections

A Prayer for the New Year

Lord Jesus, let me know myself and know You,
And desire nothing save only You.
Let me hate myself and love You.
Let me do everything for the sake of You.
Let me humble myself and exalt You.
Let me think of nothing except You.
Let me die to myself and live in You.
Let me accept whatever happens as from You.
Let me banish self and follow You,
And ever desire to follow You.
Let me fly from myself and take refuge in You,
That I may deserve to be defended by You.
Let me fear for myself, let me fear You,
And let me be among those who are chosen by You.
Let me distrust myself and put my trust in You.
Let me be willing to obey for the sake of You.
Let me cling to nothing save only to You.
And let me be poor because of You.
Look upon me, that I may love You.
Call me that I may see You,
And forever enjoy You. Amen.

- St. Augustine

Scripture

1 Corinthians 9:24-27

²⁴ Do you not know that in a race all the runners run, but only one receives the prize? So run that you may obtain it. ²⁵ Every athlete exercises self-control in all things. They do it to receive a perishable wreath, but we an imperishable. ²⁶ So I do not run aimlessly; I do not box as one beating the air. ²⁷ But I discipline my body and keep it under control, lest after preaching to others I myself should be disqualified.


Sermon

the Cruciform life: Cruciform Discipline


Rankin Wilbourne

'Vase of Flowers' by Jan van Huysum, 1722; Oil on panel

'Cruciform' logo by Jesse Wu

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Events & News

Community Group Fair, Today After All Three Services

Kick off the new year by getting plugged into a Community Group. Join us for food and festivities and meet with Community Group coaches to find a group that meets in your part of town.

Relational Wisdom Seminar, January 27

Learn how to discover interests and abilities in yourself and others, discern other people's emotions and interpret them in the light of God's Word, and use this insight to manage your responses and relationships successfully.

Membership Seminar, January 20

If you are ready to call PCC your church home, come hear what the Bible teaches us about membership and what it means to be a member of PCC. Breakfast provided.

View and sign up for all events on our mobile app, on our website, PacificCrossroads.org/Events, or speak with someone at the 'New Here?' tent.

Ministry Resources

Pastoral Care

Our pastoral care team is here to care for you if you are in a difficult place. Email pastoralcare@pacificcrossroads.org or call our office at 310.551.0081.

Celebrate Recovery

Join together weekly with others to celebrate God's healing power in our lives. Visit PacificCrossroads.org/CelebrateRecovery.