

# THE CHURCH AT CHELSEA WESTOVER

## Christ in You Colossians 1:21-29

### Introduction:

Man, by nature is “dead in trespasses and sins” (Ephesians 2:1), and therefore devoid of that divine element which makes him alive to God. God’s answer to this basic deficiency is life as it is in Christ. Psalms 51:5; Romans 5:12

1. The \_\_\_\_\_ of this Life in Christ (v.15)
  - A. His \_\_\_\_\_ Life (v.16-17) John 1:3; Acts 17:28
  - B. His \_\_\_\_\_ Life (v. 18, 20) Matthew 16:18; Ephesians 4:15
2. The \_\_\_\_\_ of this Life in Christ (v.27) Ephesians 3:6; Galatians 3:28
  - A. The \_\_\_\_\_ of His Incoming (v.27) John 3:3-7; Revelations 3:20
  - B. The \_\_\_\_\_ of His Indwelling (v.27) I John 3:23-24; I Corinthians 6:19-20; Galatians 2:20
3. The \_\_\_\_\_ of This Life in Christ (v.28-29)
  - A. The \_\_\_\_\_ Through Us (v.27-28) II Corinthians 5:17-18; I Corinthians 3:1-2
  - B. The \_\_\_\_\_ Through Us (vv.27-29) Acts 1:8; Acts 5:42; Acts 8:4

### Conclusion:

Christianity is nothing less than the outliving of the indwelling Christ. People want to see Christianity in action, and this can only happen when Christ lives in us, by the power of His indwelling Spirit.