

10-4-26 Sermon Discussion Guide

Revelation of Scripture - *Pastor Stewart Farley*

Scriptures for Today

Isaiah 55:8–9 - Romans 11:33–34 / Psalm 19:1–4 / Acts 14:17 / Acts 17:24–28

Romans 1:18–20 / John 1:14 / John 1:18 / John 5:39 / John 6:63

1 Corinthians 2:14–16

Opening Reflection — Follow-Up From Last Week

Last week's call to action was:

“What is one area of pain or tiredness you need to bring out of isolation and surrender to God this week?”

Where did you bring your pain or tiredness into God's presence — and what changed when you stopped carrying it alone?

Discussion Points

1. Revelation: When the Curtain Opens

Pastor said revelation is when something previously hidden becomes visible — when God unveils Himself. **Where has God recently “opened the curtain” and revealed something you couldn't see before?**

2. Why We Need Revelation

Isaiah 55:8–9; Romans 11:33–34 — God's thoughts and ways are infinitely higher than ours. **How does knowing God is “unfigureoutable” change the way you approach Scripture?**

3. General Revelation — God in Creation

Psalm 19:1–4; Acts 14:17; Acts 17:24–28; Romans 1:18–20 Creation is God's canvas — His billboard — declaring His existence. **What part of creation most clearly reveals God to you?**

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Choose a Good Attitude at ALL Times**

4. Without Excuse — God Has Painted Everywhere

Romans 1 says no one can claim they lacked evidence of God. **What everyday “acts of God” do you overlook that actually reveal His goodness?**

5. Special Revelation — God in Scripture

General revelation shows **that** God exists; special revelation shows **who** He is. **How has Scripture revealed something about God that creation alone never could?**

6. The Word Became Flesh

John 1:14; John 1:18 — Jesus is the visible manifestation of God; Scripture is the verbal manifestation. **How does seeing Jesus as the explanation of God deepen your understanding of the Father?**

7. The Written Word Points to the Living Word

John 5:39 — “The Scriptures... testify of Me.” **Where have you read Scripture and suddenly realized it was pointing directly to Jesus?**

8. The Word Is Spirit and Life

John 6:63 — The Word is alive; it carries the breath of God. **What passage of Scripture has recently felt “alive” to you — speaking directly into your situation?**

9. Spiritual Eyeglasses — Seeing Like Jesus

1 Corinthians 2:14–16 — Scripture gives us the mind of Christ, enabling us to see spiritually. **Where do you need spiritual vision — night-vision — to see beyond what your natural eyes perceive?**

10. Revelation Leads to Cooperation

Pastor said: “*If you don’t know what God is up to, how can you cooperate with Him?*” **Where do you sense God revealing His activity — and how can you join Him in it?**

Closing Call to Action

This week, intentionally seek REVELATION. Choose one passage of Scripture and sit with it until God unveils something you could not see before. Ask Him to open the curtain — to reveal His character, His ways, and His activity in your life. Then respond by aligning one decision, one attitude, or one action with what He reveals. Let His revelation move you from guessing... to seeing.