

WHAT ARE YOU THINKING?

Think About Yourself

4-25-21

Ephesians 4:23 - Be made new in the attitude of your minds.

Romans 12:2 - Do not conform any longer to the pattern of this world, but be transformed by the renewing of your mind. Then you will be able to test and approve what God's will is—his good, pleasing, and perfect will.

- _____: to fit into a mold; make or become the same; to behave in a conventional way by accepting without question the customs, traditions and prevailing opinions of others.
- _____: to change the nature, character or personality.

Repent: metanoia = change the way you think

Confess: homologeo = say the same thing

Confessing your faith: saying what God says about who you are, and who he is.

- When I **say what God says**, I begin to _____ like Jesus thinks.

Ephesians 4:23 - Be made new in the attitude of your minds.

"Be made new" = renovate

- **RENOVATION** begins with _____

Psalm 107:10-16 - Some sat in darkness and the deepest gloom, prisoners suffering in iron chains, ¹¹ for they had rebelled against the words of God and despised the counsel of the Most High. ¹² So he subjected them to bitter labor; they stumbled, and there was no one to help. ¹³ Then they cried to the Lord in their trouble, and he saved them from their distress. ¹⁴ He brought them out of darkness and the deepest gloom and broke away their chains. ¹⁵ Let them give thanks to the Lord for his unfailing love and his wonderful deeds for men, ¹⁶ for he breaks down gates of bronze and cuts through bars of iron.

Romans 8:1 - There is therefore now no condemnation for those who are in Christ Jesus. (ESV) (If you missed the last series, Romans Eight, go to the church's website to download it.)

2 Corinthians 5:17 - Anyone who belongs to Christ has become a new person. The old life is gone; a new life has begun! (NLT)

Hebrews 4:12 - For the word of God is living and active. Sharper than any double-edged sword, it penetrates even to dividing soul and spirit, joints and marrow; it judges the thoughts and attitudes of the heart. (NIV)

- God isn't asking me to _____ a promise **I cannot keep.** He is asking me to _____ a promise **only He can keep.**

My Faith Confessions

1 Corinthians 15:3-4 - I believe Jesus Christ died for my sins and rose again from the dead on the third day.

2 Corinthians 5:17 - I am a new creation in Christ; the old life is gone, a new life has begun.

John 8:36 - The Son has set me free. I am free indeed!

Romans 8:1 - There is now no condemnation for those who are in Christ Jesus.

1 Corinthians 10:13 - God is faithful. He will not let me be tempted beyond what I can bear.

Romans 8:38-39 - Nothing can ever separate me from the love of God in Christ Jesus.

Ephesians 3:20 - He is able to do immeasurably more than all I ask or imagine, according to his power that is at work within me.

Philippians 4:13 - I can do all things through Christ who gives me strength.

1 John 4:4 - Greater is he that is in me than he that is in the world.

Romans 8:31 - God is for me! Who can be against me?

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