

Bible Study for February 7-13, 2022

Read: 1 Corinthians 15:12-20

Notes:

In today's lesson, Paul addresses yet another problem in the Corinthian congregation. Some of the preachers were proclaiming the resurrection of Christ while at the same time denying that resurrection from the dead was possible for any others. Paul points out that Jesus resurrection is the proof Christians need if their faith is to be sustained. For Paul, the resurrection of Christ is the basis for Christian hope. Because Christ has been raised, those who are in Christ know that they too will be raised to a new life beyond death.

Questions to Ponder:

If you were to write an epitaph for your tombstone, what would it say?

What false teaching is being spread in the Corinthian congregation? Have you ever come across such a teaching?

What problems become apparent with the Christian faith if there is no resurrection?

What proofs does Paul offer that there is indeed a resurrection for all believers?

What difference does knowing about your resurrection make in terms of hope and courage?

Just for fun, what age in your life would you like your resurrected body to reflect?