

**Living a Christian Life and Church Life under the Government of God
For the Economy of God - Week 1**

Mar. 3-9, 2025

Morning Watch

**The Government of God for the
Economy of God**

Monday 3/3

1 Pet. 4:17

17 For it is time for the judgment to begin from the house of God; and if first from us, what will be the end of those who disobey the gospel of God?

2 Pet. 3:12

12 Expecting and hastening the coming of the day of God, on account of which the heavens, being on fire, will be dissolved, and the elements, burning with intense heat, are to be melted away?

2 Pet. 2:3-9

3 And in covetousness, with fabricated words, they will make merchandise of you, for whom the judgment of old is not idle, and their destruction does not slumber.

4 For if God did not spare the angels who sinned but delivered them to gloomy pits, having cast them down to Tartarus, they being kept for judgment;

5 And did not spare the ancient world but guarded Noah, a herald of righteousness, with seven others, when He brought a flood upon the world of the ungodly;

6 And having reduced to ashes the cities of Sodom and Gomorrah, condemned them to ruin, having set them as an example to those who intend to live an ungodly life,

7 And rescued righteous Lot, who had been oppressed by the licentious manner of life of the lawless

8 (For that righteous man, who settled down among them, in seeing and hearing tormented his righteous soul day after day with their lawless works);

9 The Lord knows how to deliver the godly out of trial and how to keep the unrighteous under punishment for the day of judgment,

Further Reading: *HWMR The Government of God for the Economy of God – Week 1, Day 1*

Tuesday 3/4

1 Pet. 1:17

17 And if you call as Father the One who without respect of persons judges according to each one's work, pass the time of your sojourning in fear,

Isa. 43:7

7 Everyone who is called by My name, Whom I have created, formed, and even made for My glory.

Isa. 11:2

2 And the Spirit of Jehovah will rest upon Him, The Spirit of wisdom and understanding, The Spirit of counsel and might, The Spirit of knowledge and the fear of Jehovah.

Psa. 86:11

11 Teach me, O Jehovah, Your way; I will walk in Your truth. Make my heart single in fearing Your name.

Prov. 1:7

7 The fear of Jehovah is the beginning of knowledge; Fools despise wisdom and instruction.

Prov. 3:5-10

5 Trust in Jehovah with all your heart, And do not rely on your own understanding;

6 In all your ways acknowledge Him, And He will make your paths straight.

7 Do not be wise in your own eyes; Fear Jehovah, and depart from evil.

8 It will be healing to your body And refreshment to your bones.

9 Honor Jehovah with your substance And with the firstfruits of all your produce;

10 Then your barns will be filled with plenty, And your vats will burst open with new wine.

Further Reading: *HWMR The Government of God for the Economy of God – Week 1, Day 2*

Wednesday 3/5

1 Pet. 2:4-5

4 Coming to Him, a living stone, rejected by men but with God chosen and precious,

5 You yourselves also, as living stones, are being built up as a spiritual house into a holy priesthood to offer up spiritual sacrifices

acceptable to God through Jesus Christ.

1 Pet. 1:1-5

1 Peter, an apostle of Jesus Christ, to the sojourners of the dispersion of Pontus, Galatia, Cappadocia, Asia, and Bithynia,

2 Chosen according to the foreknowledge of God the Father in the sanctification of the Spirit unto obedience and the sprinkling of the blood of Jesus Christ: Grace to you and peace be multiplied.

3 Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who according to His great mercy has regenerated us unto a living hope through the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead,

4 Unto an inheritance, incorruptible and undefiled and unfading, kept in the heavens for you,

5 Who are being guarded by the power of God through faith unto a salvation ready to be revealed at the last time;

Further Reading: *HWMR The Government of God for the Economy of God – Week 1, Day 3*

Thursday 3/6

1 Pet. 4:14

14 If you are reproached in the name of Christ, you are blessed, because the Spirit of glory and of God rests upon you.

1 Pet. 3:4

4 But the hidden man of the heart in the incorruptible adornment of a meek and quiet spirit, which is very costly in the sight of God.

1 Pet. 4:1-6

1 Since Christ therefore has suffered in the flesh, you also arm yourselves with the same mind (because he who has suffered in the flesh has ceased from sin),

2 No longer to live the rest of the time in the flesh in the lusts of men, but in the will of God.

3 For the time which has passed is sufficient for you to have carried out the desire of the Gentiles, having gone on in licentiousness, lusts, debaucheries, carousings, drinking bouts, and unlawful idolatries.

4 In this they think it strange that you are not running together with them into the same flood

of dissoluteness, slandering you;

5 Who will render an account to Him who is ready to judge the living and the dead.

6 For unto this end the gospel was announced also to those who are now dead, that they might be judged in the flesh according to men but live in the spirit according to God.

Further Reading: *HWMR The Government of God for the Economy of God— Week 1, Day 4*

Friday 3/7

2 Pet. 3:15-16

15 And count the long-suffering of our Lord to be salvation, even as also our beloved brother Paul, according to the wisdom given to him, wrote to you,

16 As also in all his letters, speaking in them concerning these things, in which some things are hard to understand, which the unlearned and unstable twist, as also the rest of the Scriptures, to their own destruction.

2 Pet. 1:2-4

2 Grace to you and peace be multiplied in the full knowledge of God and of Jesus our Lord;

3 Seeing that His divine power has granted to us all things which relate to life and godliness, through the full knowledge of Him who has called us by His own glory and virtue,

4 Through which He has granted to us precious and exceedingly great promises that through these you might become partakers of the divine nature, having escaped the corruption which is in the world by lust.

Acts 2:36

36 Therefore let all the house of Israel know assuredly that God has made Him both Lord and Christ, this Jesus whom you have crucified.

Acts 3:13, 15

13 The God of Abraham and Isaac and Jacob, the God of our fathers, has glorified His Servant Jesus, whom you delivered up and denied in the presence of Pilate, when he had decided to release Him.

15 And the Author of life you killed, whom God has raised from the dead, of which we are witnesses.

Acts 10:36

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36 The word which He sent to the sons of Israel in announcing the gospel of peace through Jesus Christ (this One is Lord of all)

Further Reading: *HWMR The Government of God for the Economy of God – Week 1, Day 5*

Saturday 3/8

1 Pet. 1:10-12, 18-25

10 Concerning this salvation the prophets, who prophesied concerning the grace that was to come unto you, sought and searched diligently,

11 Searching into what time or what manner of time the Spirit of Christ in them was making clear, testifying beforehand of the sufferings of Christ and the glories after these.

12 To them it was revealed that not to themselves but to you they ministered these things, which have now been announced to you through those who preached the gospel to you by the Holy Spirit sent from heaven, which things angels long to look into.

18 Knowing that it was not with corruptible things, with silver or gold, that you were redeemed from your vain manner of life handed down from your fathers,

19 But with precious blood, as of a Lamb without blemish and without spot, the blood of Christ;

20 Who was foreknown before the foundation of the world but has been manifested in the last of times for your sake,

21 Who through Him believe into God, who raised Him from the dead and gave Him glory, so that your faith and hope are in God.

22 Since you have purified your souls by your obedience to the truth unto unfeigned brotherly love, love one another from a pure heart fervently,

23 Having been regenerated not of corruptible seed but of incorruptible, through the living and abiding word of God.

24 For "all flesh is like grass, and all its glory like the flower of grass. The grass has withered, and the flower has fallen off,

25 But the word of the Lord abides forever." And this is the word which has been announced to you as the gospel.

Further Reading: *HWMR The Government of God for the Economy of God – Week 1, Day 6*

Lord's Day 3/9

2 Pet. 1:12-21

12 Therefore I will be ready always to remind you

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concerning these things, even though you know them and have been established in the present truth.

13 And I consider it right, as long as I am in this tabernacle, to stir you up by a reminder,

14 Knowing that the putting off of my tabernacle is imminent, even as also our Lord Jesus Christ has made clear to me.

15 Moreover I will also be diligent that you may be able, after my exodus, to bring these things to mind at all times.

16 For we did not follow cleverly devised myths when we made known to you the power and coming of our Lord Jesus Christ, but we became eyewitnesses of that One's majesty.

17 For He received from God the Father honor and glory, a voice such as this being borne to Him by the magnificent glory: This is My Son, My Beloved, in whom I delight.

18 And this voice we heard being borne out of heaven while we were with Him in the holy mountain.

19 And we have the prophetic word made more firm, to which you do well to give heed as to a lamp shining in a dark place, until the day dawns and the morning star rises in your hearts;

20 Knowing this first, that no prophecy of Scripture is of one's own interpretation;

21 For no prophecy was ever borne by the will of man, but men spoke from God while being borne by the Holy Spirit.

Hymn: #608

Further Reading:

Life-study of 1 Peter, msg. 1

Churchwide Truth Pursuit of Genesis

Level 1—Sequential Life-study Reading

Scripture Reading and Copying: *Gen. 5*

Assigned Reading: *Life-study of Genesis, msg(s). 9-10*

Level 2—Topical Study

Crucial Point: *The Sixth Day*

Scripture: *Gen. 1:24-31*

Assigned Reading: *Life-study of Genesis, msg(s). 6-7, 10*

Supplemental Reading: *CWWN, Set 1, Vol. 3, "The Christian, Meditations on Genesis", chs. 5-6; Truth Lessons, Level One, Vol. 1, ch. 3*

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