

Series: John

Sermon: 8:12

The themes of light and darkness are repeated often in both the Old and New Testaments. Today we will spend a moment focusing on some of these passages in light of John 8:12.

1. Read Acts 26:12-18. A. How does Paul visually describe his encounter with Christ?

B. What are some differences between those that are in the light vs. those who are in the darkness according to Acts verse 18?

2. Read Phil. 2:13-15. What does Paul say are some differences between those that are in the light vs. those who are in the darkness according to this passage?

3. Read Ephesians 5:1-15 as Paul again, but even more so, writes about the difference between those in darkness and those in the light (v.7). In this passage many differences are mentioned. What are they? Feel free to not only find them but discuss how they can be applied to us

(you) as well.

4. Read Psalm 119:105, Proverbs 6:20-23, Ecclesiastes 2:13-14. How is the figurative language of light to be practically applied according to these passages?

5. From the passages that we have looked at today, we can see that those who have been transferred from darkness to light are those who rightly believe in Christ. However, this change is not just positional, the change to being in the Light affects one's heart, thinking, behavior, relationships, words, and actions. Have you noticed a change in your life as God transferred you from darkness to light? If a person claims to be a Christian, a child of the light, yet continually walks in darkness, what could this mean?
