

## TALK

1. Gather in the name of the Father, Son & Holy Spirit. Share your highs/lows. Read Mark 9:2-8 & 1 John 2:15-29 . What strikes you as you read?
2. Why do you think Jesus was gloriously transfigured at this point in His ministry? How does verse 1 give some insight to what happens here? Read vss 9-10. Why would Jesus tell the disciples to remain silent about this until after His resurrection?
3. What is the "cloud" meant to bring to mind for us in this passage? What might Peter's suggestion in v5 regarding putting up three shelters reveal about the way he still perceives Jesus?
4. What does John mean by "the world" here? How does his use of the word differ from its use in John 3:16? Where does the world compete for your attention & devotion to the Father? How does the world sometimes win?
5. What does John mean by saying, "the last hour is here"? How do people normally think of that moment? How does John's counsel from vs 20 on counteract how Christians often react to any suggestion of "the last" or "end" times?
6. What for you is the chief promise in this text? How will you share that this week?

## READ

Sunday	Mark 8:34-38	Thursday	Matthew 22:37-39
Monday	John 13:34-35	Friday	Colossians 1:9-10
Tuesday	John 14:15-18	Saturday	Hebrews 9:27-28
Wednesday	Galatians 6:9-10	<b>MEMORIZE</b>	Romans 12:2

## PRAY

**PRAISE GOD** for choosing you to bear his love to the world.

**THANK JESUS** that he has come to live in you and to lead you to the Father.

**ASK THE HOLY SPIRIT** to continue remaking you in the image of Jesus, the perfect likeness of the Father.

## BLESS

*Make the sign of the cross on each other as you say:*

(Name), † child of God,

Receive the vibrant life of the Holy Spirit!

Amen.



# Growing PRAISE

EVERY NIGHT...EVERY HOME...THE MOST IMPORTANT THINGS IN LIFE

Compassion Sunday

11 - 17 February 2024

**VERSE of the week — 1 John 2:24-25**

***"So you must remain faithful  
to what you have been taught from the beginning.***

***If you do, you will remain in fellowship  
with the Son & with the Father.***

***In this fellowship we enjoy the eternal life he promised us."***

## TABLE GRACE

***Bless us through this meal  
dear Lord.***

***Teach our hearts  
to trust your Word.***

***Help us always live what's true;  
and take up our cross  
to follow you.  
Amen.***

## 5 POINT CHECK UP

1. Share your highs (good times) and lows (bad times)
2. Read a verse from the Bible.
3. What do you find "best" in the text? What is most confusing or hard to understand? What does God want you to do ?
4. Pray for one another (Praise God, Thank Jesus, Ask the Holy Spirit).
5. Bless one another.

## THOUGHT for the week:

***"In me there is darkness,  
but with you there is light.  
I am lonely, but you never leave me.  
I am restless,  
but with you there is peace."***  
- a prayer of Dietrich Bonhoeffer

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