

## **THE BIBLE—THE WORD OF GOD**

### **Knowing God through the Bible as the Written Word of God and through Christ as the Living Word of God**

Scripture Reading: Heb. 1:1-2; Luke 24:44; John 1:1, 14; 1 John 1:1; John 5:39-40;  
Luke 24:27

#### **I. The Word of God is the definition, explanation and expression of God – John 1:18:**

- A. The Bible is the written Word of God – Heb. 1:1-2; Luke 24:44; 2 Pet. 3:15-16; Col. 1:25.
- B. Christ is the living Word of God—John 1:1, 14; 1 John 1:1 and note 15; Rev. 19:13.
- C. Whenever we read the written Word, the Bible, we should contact Christ as the living Word – John 5:39-40.

#### **II. The entire Bible, particularly the four Gospels is a revelation of Christ as God’s expression – Matt. 1:1-17; Luke 24:27; Rev. 1:1:**

- A. The case of the Syrophenician woman – Matt. 15:21-28.
- B. The case of Jesus cleansing the temple – Matt. 21:12-16; John 2:14-17.
- C. The case of the woman with the flow of blood – Mark 5: 23-34.
- D. The case of Jesus receiving the little children and the case of the rich young ruler – Mark 10:13-27.
- E. The case of Bartimaeus, the blind beggar – Mark 10:46-52.
- F. The case of the widow who lost her only son – Luke 7:11-17
- G. The case of the ten Samaritan lepers – Luke 17:11-19.
- H. The parable of the Pharisee and the tax collector – Luke 18:9-14.
- I. The case of Zaccheus – Luke 19:1-10.
- J. The case of the two disciples on the road to Emmaus – Luke 24: 13-33.
- K. The case of the Samaritan woman – John 4:1-26.
- L. The case of the impotent man – John 5:1-9.
- M. The case of the woman caught in adultery – John 8:1-12, 31-32, 34, 36.
- N. The case of Mary – John 12:1-8; Matt. 26:6-13 and notes 8<sup>1</sup>, 11<sup>1</sup>, 12<sup>1</sup>.