



Unbound From Immaturity
Hebrews 5:11-6:6

A. The Reality of Spiritual Immaturity

- 1. Immaturity exists because maturity requires effort.
 - a. It is laziness to just be coddled and entertained.
“About this we have much to say, and it is hard to explain, since you have become dull of hearing.”
Hebrews 5:11 (ESV)
 - b. Automatic growth is a myth.
“For though by this time you ought to be teachers, you need someone to teach you again the basic principles of the oracles of God. You need milk, not solid food...”
Hebrews 5:12 (ESV)
- 2. Immaturity actively paralyzes our ability to hear God.
 - a. No Word, no spiritual sense.
“...for everyone who lives on milk is unskilled in the word of righteousness, since he is a child.” Hebrews 5:13 (ESV)
 - b. We get spiritually paralyzed by deception.
“But solid food is for the mature, for those who have their powers of discernment trained by constant practice to distinguish good from evil.” Hebrews 5:14 (ESV)

Mirror Moment: Where have you allowed yourself to stay coddled, deaf, and untrained?

Notetakers are History Makers:

B. The Breakthrough to Spiritual Freedom

- 1. Maturity includes a Divine partnership.
 - a. Let’s go and let God!
“Therefore let us leave the elementary doctrine of Christ and go on to maturity, not laying again a foundation of repentance from dead works and of faith toward God...”
Hebrews 6:1 (ESV)
 - b. Our growth is a gift of grace.
“And this we will do if God permits.” Hebrews 6:3 (ESV)
- 2. There is a danger of choosing immaturity over maturity.
 - a. The warning is for believers, not unbelievers.
“For it is impossible, in the case of those who have been enlightened, who have tasted the heavenly gift, and have shared in the Holy Spirit, and have tasted the goodness of the Word of God and the powers of the age to come...”
Hebrews 6:4-5 (ESV)
 - b. Staying immature causes an arrest of sensitivity to the Holy Spirit.
“...and then have fallen away, to restore them again to repentance, since they are crucifying once again the Son of God to their own harm and holding Him up to contempt.”
Hebrews 6:6 (ESV)

Mirror Moment: Will you step out of your comfort today and let the Spirit carry you forward?

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C. Cutting the Cords

- 1. Audit your diet.
“Like newborn infants, long for the pure spiritual milk, that by it you may grow up into salvation—if indeed you have tasted that the Lord is good.” 1 Peter 2:2-3 (ESV)
- 2. Train your senses.
“Have nothing to do with irreverent, silly myths. Rather train yourself for godliness; for while bodily training is of some value, godliness is of value in every way, as it holds promise for the present life and also for the life to come.”
1 Timothy 4:7-8 (ESV)
- 3. Pour yourself out.
“When I was a child, I spoke like a child, I thought like a child, I reasoned like a child. When I became a man, I gave up childish ways.” 1 Corinthians 13:11 (ESV)

Bottom Line:
You cannot be fully unbound until you are willing to grow up.

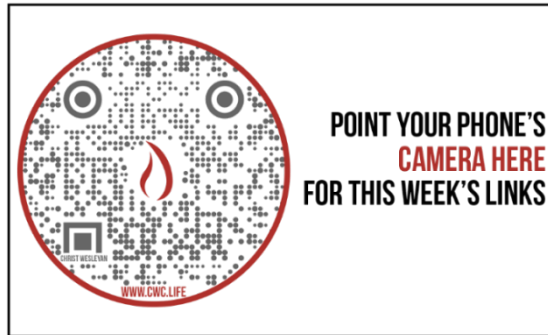
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Next Sunday: UnBound: Breaking Free

Week 7: Unbound From Religious Systems

Hebrews 7:23-28

Milton Campus: Pastor Chris Claassen
Sunbury Campus: Pastor Billy Robel



Giving & Attendance Update

Giving last Sunday: 97.7%

Giving year to date: 92.8% of goal

Attendance Last Weekend: 1,789

Salvations to date: 18 | Baptisms to date: 45

Upcoming Happenings:

Sunday July 12th – Membership Class, 12:30p, room 102

Sunday July 19th – Celebration Sunday!

Saturday, August 8th – Reach the Hole in One Golf
Tournament (*Benefit our Reach the One Capital Campaign*)
Scan the QR Code below for more information:



Sunday, August 9th – Get Out Sunday! **One service at 10:00am** with community prayer groups to follow!

“Reach the One” Campaign Update

474 Total Participants

\$4,000,000 – Giving Goal by Nov. 2027

\$2,424,891.55 - Donations Anticipated by Nov. 2027

\$2,042,023.17 - Received Donations – 51% of \$4M Goal

Want to pledge, donate, or learn more?

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Looking for your next step at CWC?

Welcome Party: 1st Sunday of Every Month (Next one: August 2nd)

- *If you are new* or if you’ve been around a bit and are looking to build friendships with others, our Welcome Party is for you! **Get to know others** who are newer at CWC as well as our welcome team and our pastors in a relational environment. There will be light refreshments and the opportunity to hear about our small groups, baptism, and your next step of Growth Track. If you’re asking the question, “*How can I make friends here?*” then this is for you! No registration is required, you can just show up. Look for the signs on the first Sunday of the month.

Growth Track: 3-week classes/Sunday morning in-person and Wednesday evening online

- Growth Track exists to help you learn about the vision of CWC, the gifts God has given you, and how you can use them in specific opportunities to serve His church. The classes will guide you to not only become a vital part of our ministries, but more importantly, how to use what you learn to continue growing in your faith to share with others. We are excited to now have online-facilitated evening classes in addition to the existing in-person Sunday class opportunities. You can see what classes are available by going to cwclife.churchcenter.com/registrations and select the Next Steps filter.

Membership Class: Once a quarter on Sundays after 2nd service

- Membership class is the last step of fully assimilating at CWC. Learn about our denomination, The Wesleyan Church and the bigger movement we are a part of across the world. This 3-hour class with the lead pastor provides you a place to **ask important questions about our beliefs as a church** and allows you to become eligible for our local board of administration. You also become eligible for denominational events like our district and general conferences. To sign up for our next class, let us know at the Hub or email: loretta.paulhamus@cwc.life