

# THE SECOND EPISTLE TO THE CORINTHIANS

## Wednesday Nights Holy Bible Study

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### Chapter 5

#### A- Understanding questions

- 1) St. Paul gives us two analogies for our earthly body. What are they? What are the similarities between the flesh and these two?
- 2) What is the real motive for St. Paul to desire enclothing with the heavenly clothes?
- 3) What will happen to our earthly body in the second coming of?
- 4) "God gave us The Spirit as a guarantee". A guarantee for what? How is The Spirit being a guarantee?
- 5) Reconciliation is a great deed. Who did it? Why Him? How did He make it?

#### B- Application questions

- 6) "For we walk by the faith". How does our faith in Eternal life affect our concept towards the flesh? How do you apply this in your daily life?
- 7) "The love of Christ compel us", or control us (vs14). Do you think it is an advantage or disadvantage to be surrounded by Christ's love? Explain?
- 8) "If anyone is in Christ, he is a new creation" (vs 17). In what ways we should be a new creation?
- 9) "He has given us the ministry of reconciliation". Do you feel responsible for this ministry? What do you do to be a good ambassador for Christ?