

Bay City Wesleyan Church  
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Sunday Morning 05-05-2019

Life is full of changes, but we can go through them with Jesus.  
<http://bible.com/events/610606>  
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Romans 12:1-2 NLT

<font color="#999999">1</font></small> And so, dear brothers and sisters, I plead with you to give your bodies to God because of all he has done for you. Let them be a living and holy sacrifice—the kind he will find acceptable. This is truly the way to worship him.

<font color="#999999">2</font></small> Don't copy the behavior and customs of this world, but let God transform you into a new person by changing the way you think. Then you will learn to know God's will for you, which is good and pleasing and perfect.

<https://bible.com/bible/116/rom.12.1-2.nlt>

Sermon in a Sentence:

If you want to follow Jesus, then embrace change.

Luke 14:27 NIV

<font color="#999999">27</font></small> And whoever does not carry their cross and follow me cannot be my disciple.

<https://bible.com/bible/111/luk.14.27.NIV>

Luke 9:23-24 NIV

<font color="#999999">23</font></small> Then he said to them all: "Whoever wants to be my disciple must deny themselves and take up their cross daily and follow me. <font

color="#999999">24</font></small> For whoever wants to save their life will lose it, but whoever loses their life for me will save it.

<https://bible.com/bible/111/luk.9.23-24.NIV>

John 13:34-35 NIV

<font color="#999999">34</font></small> "A new command I give you: Love one another. As I have loved you, so you must love one another.

<font color="#999999">35</font></small> By this everyone will know that you are my disciples, if you love one another."

<https://bible.com/bible/111/jhn.13.34-35.NIV>

Matthew 11:28-30 NIV

<font color="#999999">28</font></small> "Come to me, all you who are weary and burdened, and I will give you rest. <font

color="#999999">29</font></small> Take my yoke upon you and learn from me, for I am gentle and humble in heart, and you will find rest for your souls. <font

color="#999999">30</font></small> For my yoke is easy and my burden is light."

<https://bible.com/bible/111/mat.11.28-30.NIV>

2 Corinthians 3:17-18 NIV

<font color="#999999">17</font></small> Now the Lord is the Spirit, and where the Spirit of the Lord is, there is freedom.  
<font color="#999999">18</font></small> And we all, who with unveiled faces contemplate the Lord's glory, are being transformed into his image with ever-increasing glory, which comes from the Lord, who is the Spirit.  
<https://bible.com/bible/111/2co.3.17-18.NIV>

Holy Spirit, I realize that the only path to peace for me is to hand my life over to you. So, here I am.

Search me. Examine the recesses of my heart and mind. Reveal to me the truth about who I am.

Holy Spirit, I want to know the truth - not what I think I am, or what other people think I am, or what I try to convince you that I am or would like to be.

Search me out, Holy Spirit. Explore me as I really am in your sight. Transform me from the inside out one day at a time. In Jesus's name, Amen.