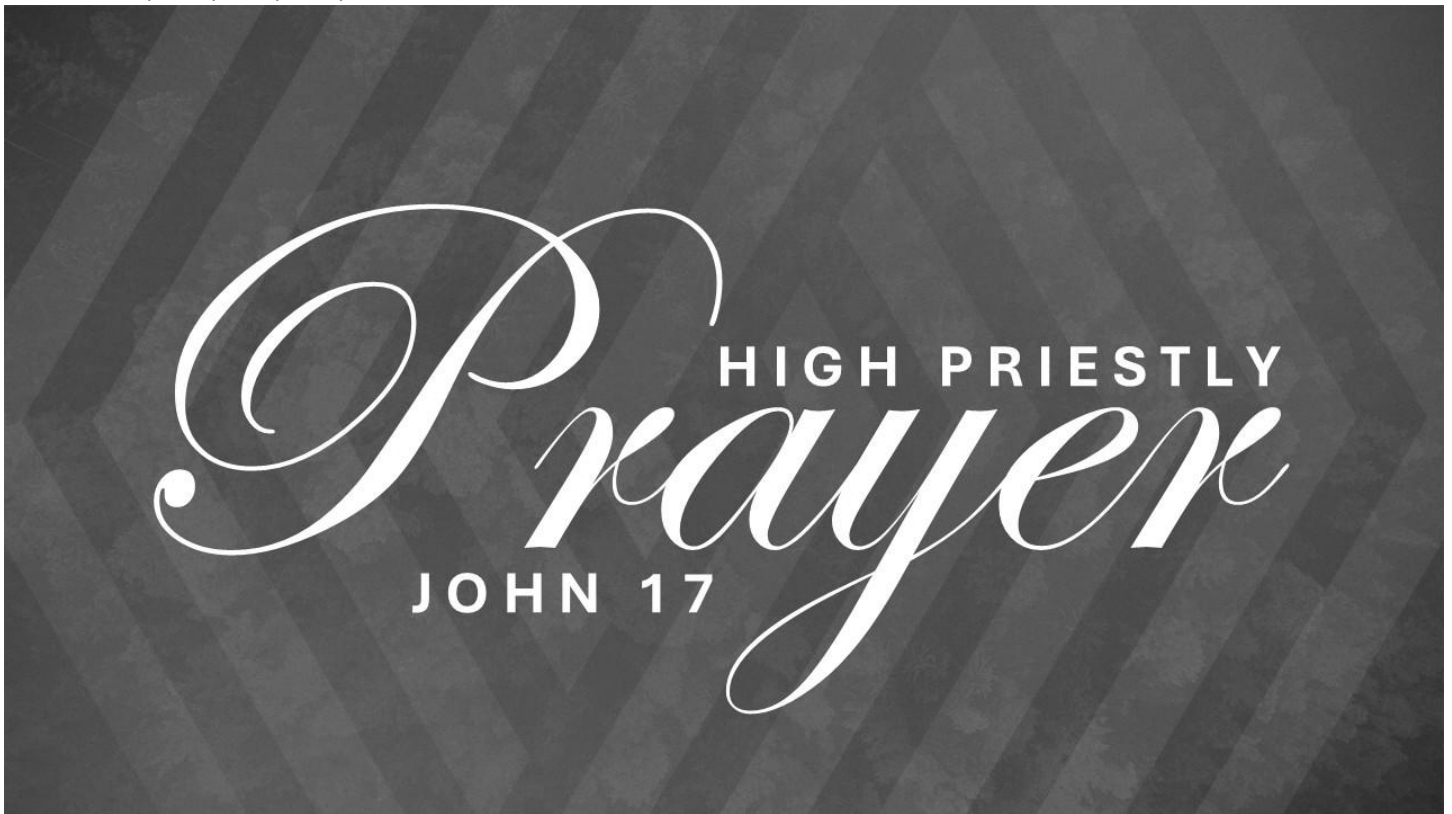




THE HIGH PRIESTLY PRAYER

WEEK THREE (JOHN 17:3)

“Eternal life must be conceived of in terms of quality rather than mere quantity, or duration. That does not mean that the element of length and duration does not enter in, because it does. But over and above that, is this question of the quality – the thing that is always emphasized in the Scriptures. Our Lord puts it like this: ‘I am come that they might have life, and that they might have it *more abundantly*’ (Jn 10:10). So we see that, according to Scripture, what is offered to us is a type and kind of life which is available to us at this present time and which will go on right through the remainder of our lives in this world, and, still more important, beyond death and the grave and into eternity. That is really what is meant by eternal life.”

(Martyn Lloyd-Jones, *The Assurance of Our Salvation*)

Jesus prayed about _____ for his people (John 17:3).

What is “eternal life?” What does it mean to have “eternal life?”

- Having eternal life starts with the _____ (Ezekiel 36-37, John 3:1-8, Titus 3:5).
- Having eternal life makes us _____ (John 5:24, Ephesians 2:1-10, Colossians 2:13-15).
- Having eternal life involves _____ instead of _____ (John 8:31-38, Acts 26:12-18, Romans 6:5-11).
- Having eternal life involves a transfer of _____ (John 3:1-3, Colossians 3:13-14, 1 Peter 2:9-10).
- Having eternal life includes the hope of life after _____ (Luke 16:19-31, Philippians 1:23, 2 Corinthians 5:6-9).
- Having eternal life includes _____ (Romans 2:6-8, 1 Corinthians 15:53-54, 2 Timothy 1:10).
- Having eternal life culminates in the _____ (Matthew 5:8, 1 Corinthians 13:12, 1 John 3:2, Revelation 22:4).

How should we understand Jesus’ prayer about eternal life?

- In this prayer, Jesus defined eternal life as “_____” (Genesis 4:1, 4:25, 5:22).
- In this prayer, Jesus stated that there is only _____, _____ God (Exodus 20:1-3, 1 Corinthians 8:4-6, 1 Timothy 1:17).
- In this prayer, Jesus claimed to be the _____ (_____) (John 14:6, Acts 4:12, 1 Timothy 2:5).
- In this prayer, Jesus claimed to be _____ on a _____ (Mark 10:45, Luke 19:10, John 3:16).

Now Jesus did many other signs in the presence of the disciples, which are not written in this book; but these are written so that you may believe that Jesus is the Christ, the Son of God, and that by believing you may have life in his name. (John 20:30–31)

I write these things to you who believe in the name of the Son of God, that you may know that you have eternal life. (1 John 5:13)