

September 11  
Jesus as Reconciler, II Corinthians 5:17-18

September 18  
How Christ's Crucifixion Transforms, I Cor 1:18-25

September 25  
The Resurrected and Living Lord, Acts 2: 29-36

October 2  
The Transforming Power of Prayer

October 9  
The Thesis Statement of Jesus, Luke 4:16-21

October 16  
"Forsaking All Others", Matthew 13:44-46

October 23  
The Body of Christ, For the Common Good  
I Corinthians 12: 4-7, 12-14

October 30  
Jesus Gives Us Our Walking Papers, Matthew 28:16-20

## Sermon-based Guide for Reflection & Discussion

Spiritual transformation is the process by which Christ is formed in us ...for the glory of God, for the abundance of our own lives, and for the sake of others. (Galatians 4:19; Romans 8:29; Romans 12:1, 2)

Spiritual transformation in the lives of redeemed people is a testimony to the power of the Gospel and it results in an increasing capacity to discern and do the will of God. (Romans 12:2) - [transformingcenter.org](http://transformingcenter.org)

### Check-In Questions (choose one):

1. What's happening in your life that you would like to celebrate?
2. What is something you are grateful for that happened today or this week?
3. Share a prayer request.
4. Share one high and one low from today.
5. Transformation involves change. What is a change that has been challenging for you lately?

### About the Scripture/Sermon:

1. Share an illustration, example, quote or concept from the sermon that was meaningful to you.
2. What is a question that arises for you out of this scripture reading or the sermon?
3. How has the sermon prompted you to respond to this scripture? Is there an invitation or a challenge?
4. What is a thought or action you want to hold onto this week to remain Christ-centered?
5. What are you learning about how Jesus transforms?