



## CELL GUIDE

<b>TOPIC</b>	This is Jesus Who is the Light of Life	<b>SPEAKER</b>	Pastor Andrew Tan
<b>THEME</b>	This is Jesus	<b>DATE</b>	16 & 17 April 2022

# MESSAGE SUMMARY

## INTRODUCTION

Pastor Andrew shared some research that we make about 70 decisions per day, 25,500 decisions per year and it can be perceived that life is a sum of all our choices.

Following Christ is also a choice that one makes. If we choose to follow Jesus, the Light of the World (Jn 8:12), we will not walk in darkness but will have the light of life. As a result of that choice, the light helps us to see, keeps us in the right direction and out of danger.

## KEY LESSONS FROM JESUS IS THE LIGHT OF THE WORLD

### 1) LIGHT – KEEPS US IN THE RIGHT DIRECTION

Every path that we take is a choice. A choice that is grounded in the Scripture and in obedience to God helps us to see and keeps us in the right direction. Jesus, the Light of the World, is like a lighthouse in the middle of the sea, shining His light on our path and directing us away from the dangers that lie ahead.

### 2) LIGHT – KEEPS US AWAY FROM THE BONDAGE OF SIN

Sin is any feeling, thought, speech or action that comes from a heart that does not treasure God over all things. When we make the choice to follow Jesus, we recognize that we are sinners and have fallen short of the glory of God (Rom 3:23) and by His grace, through the sacrifice of Jesus Christ, we have been redeemed. Jesus is our Saviour who pulls us up from a life drowning in sin. By rising from the dead, He overcame sin and death for us. As a result, we can enjoy an abundant life (Jn 10:10).

### 3) LIGHT – KEEPS US IN THE KNOWLEDGE OF GOD

The abundant life in Christ requires a continuous choice of choosing Him in all decisions and situations. We do that by seeking Him through prayer and abiding in His Word. We can have confidence that as we continuously seek God, He will give us understanding (Ps 119:130).

## CONCLUSION

Jesus is the Light of the World. He keeps us in the right direction and directs us away from danger. He freed us from the bondage of sin through His death and resurrection and by abiding in Him, we can enjoy the abundant life. Hence, will you choose to follow Jesus, the Light of the World, or continue to walk in darkness?

# QUESTIONS

1. We are free to make choices. However, we need to shoulder the consequences of unwise choices we make. Share about a time you made an unwise choice and what you learnt from the experience.

2. A. Why do you think it is so difficult for us to choose God in spite of the benefits that it gives us?  
B. Focusing on Christ, the Light of the World, will keep us in the right direction. Share about some verses that have been or can be your guiding light.

3. The Bible communicates God's message, but our response towards it is what matters. Besides using verses as a guiding light, what other ways can you implement in your life to hear and respond to God, abide in Him and live abundantly in Him?