

Today's Theme

## “The Truth About Me To Me”

Series Title:

### “Walking With God 2021” Part 2

1/24/21

#### Why Walking With God Is Important?

1. Walk is an expression for *fellowship*.
2. Walking with God makes *life better*.
3. To walk with *God* is to walk by *faith*.

#### To Walk By Faith (WBF)

#### We Must Be Willing To Do Some Things!

##### 1. Follow God's *Lead In My Life*.

Psalms 86: 11 Teach me your way, O LORD, and I will walk in your truth; give me an undivided heart, that I may fear your name.

#### When we walk with God:

We don't lead!  
We don't decide!  
We aren't in charge!

#### The Big Issue We Face!

Will I conform my life to the Word of God?  
(Or) Will I conform the Word of God to my life?

##### 2. Tell The Truth About My *Failures & Sin*.

1 John 1:5 This is the message we have heard from him and declare to you: God is light; in him there is no darkness at all. 6 If we claim to have fellowship with him yet walk in the darkness, we lie and do not live by the truth.

Phil 1:21 For to me, to live is Christ and to die is gain.

## Walking With God Involves Us Understanding

### (1) We have *sinned* against God.

1 John 1:8 If we claim to be without sin, we deceive ourselves and the truth is not in us.

Romans 3:23 for all have sinned and fall short of the glory of God,

### (2) That we sin *regularly*.

1 John 1:8 If we claim to be without sin, we deceive ourselves and the truth is not in us.

### (3) We need to *confess* our failures & sin.

1 John 1:9 If we confess our sins, he is faithful and just and will forgive us our sins and purify us from all unrighteousness.

Psalms 38:18 I confess my iniquity; I am troubled by my sin.

### (4) We need *forgiveness* to walk with Him.

1 John 1:7 But if we walk in the light, as he is in the light, we have fellowship with one another, and the blood of Jesus, his Son, purifies us from all sin. . . .

10 If we claim we have not sinned, we make him out to be a liar and his word has no place in our lives.

Acts 19:17 . . . the name of the Lord Jesus was held in high honor. 18 Many of those who believed now came and openly confessed their evil deeds. 19 A number who had practiced sorcery brought their scrolls together and burned them publicly. When they calculated the value of the scrolls, the total came to fifty thousand drachmas.

Psalms 32:5 Then I acknowledged my sin to you and did not cover up my iniquity. I said, "I will confess my transgressions to the Lord." And you forgave the guilt of my sin.

Psalms 103:11 For as high as the heavens are above the east so great is his love for those who fear him; 12 as far as the east is from the west, so far has he removed our transgressions from us.