

ICHAIRITY

1. What word can be defined as the pure love of Christ? (Charity)
 - a. Read Moroni 7:47 "But charity is the pure love of Christ, and it endureth forever; and whoso is found possessed of it at the last day, it shall be well with him."
2. Charity as defined by Paul in 1 Corin 13
 - a. 1 Cor 13:1-3 Love is superior to all other virtues, give body to be burned?
 - b. 1 Cor 4-8 Ingredients of love
 - c. 1 Corin 9-13 Love is most enduring of all virtues
 - d. "Charity" today means "alms giving or kindly judgement"
 "formerly" which seeks not its own but others good, and sacrifices itself for others.
Translation from the greek.
 - e. First 2 commandments - Love God, Love neighbor
 - i. Mt 22:37-40 - which is the great commandment in the law? etc
 In Hebrew THE TEN WORDS, THE COVENANT. Two stone tablets placed in ARK - Hence ark of the covenant.
 Exodus 20: 3, 4, 7, 8, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17
 - f. Bruce R. McConkie's paraphrase "Though I attend all my nupts, tho I pay a full titheing, attend the temple regularly, and keep the word of wisdom, and have not charity (love), it profiteth me nothing."

3. Have class define & discuss
 - "suffereth long" - patient, tolerant, enduring
 - "enireth not" - not jealous, not covetous
 - "vaunteth not" or "not puffed up" - humble, meek, not arrogant
 - "not behave unseemly" - good taste, polite
 - "seeketh not her own" - unselfish, compassionate
 - "not easily provoked" - congenial, self controlled
 - "rejoiceth not in iniquity" - taking no pleasure in wickedness

II Gifts of Tongues & Prophecy

1. 7th article of Faith. "we believe in the gift of tongues, prophecy, revelation, visions, healing, interpretation of tongues, etc."
2. Read 1 Cor 14: 5-11
3. Read 1 Cor 14: 16-17 AMEN - discuss
4. Read 1 Cor 14: 26-28
5. Women speaking in church. Jewish law. head covered - private ntg.
 a. McConkie - Paul is here telling the sisters they are subject to the priesthood, that it is not their province to rule over the church.
 Insp. Version substitutes RULE for SPEAK.
 ← Den 3:16
6. 1 Cor 14:40 Let all things be done decently and in order -
 "Holy Roller" experience when I was a teen ager.

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