

Sermon Notes

30/1/2022

Lord, You have given us Your Word for a light to shine upon our path; grant us so to meditate on that Word, and to follow its teaching, that we may find in it the light that shines more and more until the perfect day; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen. [St. Jerome 340-420 AD]

Themes discussed in 1 Corinthians 13:1-13

Speaking in tongues – see Acts 10:46, 19:6

Prophecy / words of knowledge – see 1 Corinthians 8:1

Faith – see Mark 11:22-23

Charity – see Matthew 25:31-46

Love:

- *Eros* – erotic or modern-day romantic love. (not mentioned in the Bible)
- *Philos* – brotherly affection that people have for each other (Matt. 10:37, Luke 14:12, John 11:3,11) and that God has for His people (John 16:27)
- *Agape* – active, participatory friendliness (Romans 5:8, 1 John 4:8, Matt. 22:37-39)

O good shepherd, seek us out, and bring us home to Your fold again. Deal favourably with us according to Your good pleasure, till we may dwell in Your house all the days of our lives, and praise You forever and ever with them that are there. Amen. [St. Jerome 342-420 AD]

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