# THE PERFECT PATH TO THE CHRISTIAN LIFE LIFE IN THE KINGDOM OF GOD MESSAGE 8: HOPE: FROM PROPHECY TO VISION [23 JULY 2023]

# • FOUNDATION SCRIPTURES:

o Colossians 1:19-23, 27

### I. All the Fullness Dwells

- a. Colossians 2:6-12
  - i. Verse 6: Colossians 1:13
    - 1. Christ = Luke 4:18-19
    - 2. Jesus = Ephesians 2:5-8, 2 Corinthians 2:14-15, Colossians 1:12
    - 3. Lord (Authority) = Matthew 28:18-20, Romans 5:17
  - ii. Verse 7 = Hope is the Anchor of the Soul
  - iii. Verse 12: Receive in a Figure: The Vision of Prophecy

### II. Hope is the Anchor of the Soul

- a. Hope is the Anchor (stability) of the Soul: Mind, Will & Emotions
  - i. If the Soul is out of order (in chaos, turmoil, not sanctified by God's Words) then faith will also be out of order
- b. Hebrews 6:13-19
  - i. Verse 15: God couldn't get the promise to Abraham until Abraham was fully persuaded of that promise the promise had to become Abraham's.
  - ii. Verse 19: Hope brings to the Soul:
    - 1. Surety
    - 2. Stability
      - a. 1 Thessalonians 5:23

# III. Receiving in a Figure: Vision by Prophecy

- a. Hebrews 11:17-19
  - i. Verse 19: Figure = a vision
    - 1. 1 Timothy 1:18-19
    - 2. 1 Timothy 1:18: 1 Timothy 6:11-12
      - a. Verse 12: Profess the Vision until its yours (from Hope to Faith with Patience)
      - b. Hope = I could have it
      - c. Faith = I do have it
- b. Psalm 16:9-11
- c. Ephesians 2:11-19
  - 1. Verse 13 = verse 10