

# Welcome to Living Word Online



**7<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Easter**  
**May 24<sup>th</sup>, 2020**

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your offerings to support the Lord's work... Thanks!*

**Welcome & Opening Song**      *Cast Your Cares (Psalm 55:22)*  
[youtube.com/watch?v=Vc9pEb-Ej7U](https://youtube.com/watch?v=Vc9pEb-Ej7U)

**Invocation & Today's Reading**      1 Peter 4:12-19, 5:6-11

**Message Intro Video:**      *Corrie ten Boom: A Faith Undefeated*  
[youtube.com/watch?v=-ya-7-QUFcl](https://youtube.com/watch?v=-ya-7-QUFcl)

**Message:**      ***“Faith through the Fire”***

Today, Peter tells us how to keep faith through the fires of life...

**1) Don't just react to circumstances... REJOICE in them!**

Do not be surprised at the fiery ordeal that has come on you to test you, as though something strange were happening to you. But rejoice inasmuch as you participate in the sufferings of Christ. 1 Peter 4:12-13

**2) Don't compromise with the world... COMMIT to the Lord!**

Those who suffer according to God's will should commit themselves to their faithful Creator and continue to do good. 1 Peter 4:19

**3) Don't test God... TRUST Him!**

Humble yourselves, therefore, under God's mighty hand, that he may lift you up in due time. 1 Peter 5:6

**4) Don't carry your cares... CAST them on Christ!**

Cast all your anxiety on him because he cares for you. 1 Peter 5:7

**5) Don't surrender to Satan... STAND FIRM IN THE FAITH!**

Be alert and of sober mind. Your enemy the devil prowls around like a roaring lion looking for someone to devour. Resist him, standing firm in the faith, because you know that the family of believers throughout the world is undergoing the same kind of sufferings. And the God of all grace, who called you to his eternal glory in Christ, after you have suffered a little while, will himself restore you and make you strong, firm and steadfast. 1 Peter 5:8-10

**Prayers & Benediction**

**Closing Song**      *SELAH - You Are My Hiding Place (Lyric Video)*  
[youtube.com/watch?v=xHr7Dy6sTqc](https://youtube.com/watch?v=xHr7Dy6sTqc)