## **Evening Message Outline**

November 10, 2019

## "Changeless Truths for a Changing World" 1 Peter 1:13-2:3

- I. Introduction: Much has changed in the world since Joseph was sold to Potiphar.
- II. In our changing world...
  - A. Modern technology has increased the speed with which change spreads.
  - B. Our lives are less community-based and more individualistic.
  - C. We are pressed to embrace a radical diversity of social and moral norms.
    - 1. Religiously-speaking, this arises from a rejection of God's sovereign authority.
    - 2. Each human is exalted to the highest place and assigned personal sovereignty and moral authority.
- III. The Bible's changeless truths:
  - A. Human nature remains corrupt and mired in sin.
  - B. Our source of hope for the future is found in God's living and enduring word.
    - God's word stands...his promises have been fulfilled.
    - 2. God's word is the imperishable seed that brings us new birth.
  - C. God's Word contains enduring truth for all areas of our lives.
- IV. Conclusion: Our source of dignity reflecting God's will and his likeness.