MAKING TWENTY, ONE, EIGHT... GREAT!

"Living with a New Attitude – Looking at the Life of Peter"

I. Faith in Christ Gives us... A Joyful Outlook on Life (I am Loved)

But you are not like that, for you are a chosen people. You are royal priests, a holy nation, God's very own possession. "Once you had no identity as a people; now you are God's people. Once you received no mercy; now you have received God's mercy." 1 Peter 2:9-10 sel (NLT)

II. Faith in Christ Gives us... A Great Power to Tap into (I am empowered!)

His divine power has given us everything we need for life and godliness through our knowledge of him who called us by his own glory and goodness. 2 Peter 1:3 (ESV)

I can do all things through him who gives me strength. Philippians 4:13 (NIV)

Developing A Great Attitude

Identify and Remove our Bad Thoughts/Attitudes - Acts 8:22 (CEV)

Feed our Minds on God - Philippians 4:8 (CEV)

Adjust/Change Your Thinking – 2 Corinthians 10:5 (ESV)

Reach Out to Godly Friends – Proverbs 17:17 (NLT)

Practicing Personal Contentment – Philippians 4:11b (ESV)

III. Faith in Christ Gives Us... A Forgiven and Freed Soul (I am Liberated)

When they had finished eating, Jesus said to Simon, "Simon, son of John, do you truly love me more than these? "Yes Lord he said, You know that I love you. Jesus said, "Feed My Lambs. John 21:15 (NIV)

IV. Faith in Christ Gives us... A Silver Lining in Every Set back (I am blessed)

Simon, Satan has asked to sift you as wheat. But I have prayed for you, Simon, that your faith may not fail. And when you have turned back, strengthened your brothers, But Simon replied, "Lord, I am ready to go with you to prison and to death." Jesus answered, I tell you Peter, before the roster crows today, you will deny three times that you know me." Luke 22:31-34 sel (NIV)

V. Faith in Christ Reminds us... A Better Life Awaits (I am Assured)

Now faith is the substance of things hoped for, the evidence of things not seen. Hebrews 11:1 (KJV)

So we can confidently say, "The Lord is my helper. I will not fear, what can man do to me? Hebrews 13:5 (ESV)