

First Reformed Presbyterian Church of Cambridge, Massachusetts
The Lord's Day, 15 January Anno Domini 2006

1John 2:28-3:10

The Blessedness of the Children of God

- I. Our Christian birthright.
 - A. A blessing for the church.
 - B. Born of God!
John 1:12-13; 1John 2:29; 3:1, 9.
 - C. Knowing God and not knowing God.

- II. Our Christian duty.
 - A. Do not take the grace of Christ for granted.
Verses 5, 8; 1John 2:2
 - B. Remain in him: purify yourself.
Matthew 5:8; John 15:3; 1John 1:9; 2:2, 3.
 - C. Without holiness no one will see the Lord.

- III. Our Christian hope.
 - A. That when he appears we may have confidence.
 - B. We will see him and will be like him.
Ephesians 4:24; Romans 8:29; 2 Corinthians 3:18.
 - C. No more devil, no more sin.
 - D. Birthright, duty, hope.