Doors





Genesis 6:13-16

16 You shall make a window for the ark, and you shall finish it to a cubit from above; and set the **door** of the ark in its side. You shall make it with lower, second, and third decks.

Genesis 7:13-16

16 So those that entered, male and female of all flesh, went in as God had commanded him; and the **Lord shut him in.**

1 Peter 3:20

20 who formerly were disobedient, when once the Divine longsuffering waited in the days of Noah, while the ark was being prepared, in which a few, that is, eight souls, were saved through water.



Passover

Exodus 12:1-28

7 And they shall take some of the blood and put it on the two **doorposts** and on the **lintel** of the houses where they eat it

22 And you shall take a bunch of hyssop, dip it in the blood that is in the basin, and strike the **lintel** and the two **doorposts** with the blood that is in the basin. And none of you shall go out of the **door** of his house until morning. 23 For the Lord will pass through to strike the Egyptians; and when He sees the blood on the **lintel** and on the two **doorposts**, the Lord will pass over the **door** and not allow the destroyer to come into your houses to strike you



Christ - The Door

John 10:1-9

"Most assuredly, I say to you, he who does not enter the sheepfold by the **door**, but climbs up some other way, the same is a thief and a robber. 2 But he who enters by the **door** is the shepherd of the sheep. 3 To him the **doorkeeper** opens, and the sheep hear his voice; and he calls his own sheep by name and leads them out. 4 And when he brings out his own sheep, he goes before them; and the sheep follow him, for they know his voice. 5 Yet they will by no means follow a stranger, but will flee from him, for they do not know the voice of strangers." 6 Jesus used this illustration, but they did not understand the things which He spoke to them.

7 Then Jesus said to them again, "Most assuredly, I say to you, I am the **door** of the sheep. 8 All who ever came before Me are thieves and robbers, but the sheep did not hear them. 9 I am the door. If anyone **enters** by Me, he will be **saved**, and will go in and out and find pasture



Christ - Find, Knock

Luke 11:9-10

"So I say to you, ask, and it will be given to you; seek, and you will find; knock, and it will be opened to you. For everyone who asks, receives; and he who seeks, finds; and to him who knocks, it will be opened



Christ - Reach Out

Acts 3:19

Repent, then, and turn to God, so that your sins may be wiped out, that times of refreshing may come from the Lord



Christ - Open & Enter

Matthew 7:13-14

"Enter by the narrow gate; for wide is the gate and broad is the way that leads to destruction, and there are many who go in by it. 14 Because narrow is the gate and difficult is the way which leads to life, and there are few who find it.



Christ - Close the Door

Luke 9:57-62

Now it happened as they journeyed on the road, that someone said to Him, "Lord, I will follow You wherever You go." 58 And Jesus said to him, "Foxes have holes and birds of the air have nests, but the Son of Man has nowhere to lay His head." 59 Then He said to another, "Follow Me." But he said, "Lord, let me first go and bury my father." 60 Jesus said to him, "Let the dead bury their own dead, but you go and preach the kingdom of God." 61 And another also said, "Lord, I will follow You, but let me first go and bid them farewell who are at my house."



62 But Jesus said to him, "No one, having put his hand to the plow, and **looking back**, is fit for the kingdom of God."

Christ - Locked

Luke 13:22-29

22 And He went through the cities and villages, teaching, and journeying toward Jerusalem. 23 Then one said to Him, "Lord, are there few who are saved?" And He said to them, 24 "Strive to enter through the narrow gate, for many, I say to you, will seek to enter and will not be able. 25 When once the Master of the house has risen up and shut the door, and you begin to stand outside and knock at the door, saying, 'Lord, Lord, open for us,' and He will answer and say to you, 'I do not know you, where you are from,' 26 then you will begin to say, 'We ate and drank in Your presence, and You taught in our streets.' 27 But He will say, 'I tell you I do not know you, where you are from. Depart from Me, all you workers of iniquity.' 28 There will be weeping and gnashing of teeth, when you see Abraham and Isaac and Jacob and all the prophets in the kingdom of God, and yourselves thrust out.

Conclusion & Invitation

