

**TOPIC: THE RENEWED MIND.**  
**THEME: THE RESULT OF A RENEWED MIND**  
**TEXT: ROMANS 12:1-2, 2 CORINTHIANS 5:17, PHILIPPIANS 4:8**

### **Introduction**

The Bible tells us to be “transformed by the renewing of our minds.” But what does it really mean to have a renewed mind? As followers of Christ, we aren’t just called to live differently, but we are called to think differently as well.

Changing the way we think may seem like a daunting task. It certainly requires a bit of discipline. If I’m going to change the way I think, I’m going to have to be diligent to be aware of what I’m thinking about and make changes when necessary. I have to make choices about what I allow my mind to dwell on. We may not have control over the thoughts that spontaneously enter our minds, but we certainly have control over the thoughts we allow to stay.

### **The Result of a Renewed Mind – The New You**

1. You get to Know the new you Colossians 3:1-3

**Q:** What is the new you supposed to look like?

2. Meditate on the new you – Romans 12:2

**Q:** What benefit do we derive from meditation on the renewed you?

3. Hang out with the new you. Colossians 3:10 (NLT)

**Q:** What is the relationship between your hanging with the new you and knowing who you are in Christ?

4. Act like the new you Colossians 3:12-14, Romans 8:5-6.

**Q:** What are the characteristics of the New you?

5. Talk like the new you 1 Corinthians 13:11.

**Q:** What is the new you supposed to sound like (vocabulary, conversation)?

6. See the new you Matthew 6:22-23.

**Q:** How Why is change in respect to our mind essential?

7. Pray with the spirit of the new you Jude 20.

**Q:** Why is change in respect to our mind essential?

### **Conclusion**

In our study of to date we have come to understand the importance, the power and the beauty of a changed mind. We have come to learn that a changed mind is

able to discern the will of God Romans 12:2. We grow closer to God and become more like Him in the process. A renewed mind helps us to recognize our true identities in Christ Colossians 3:1-3. Finally we find life and peace beyond understanding when we allow our minds to be transformed by the Holy Spirit.

***Renewing the mind results in complete transformation. No longer a slave to the power of sin. No longer living a life that leads to death. But rather we are transformed into a new creation – a child of God.***