

Hope for Animated Dust

2 Corinthians 13.11-14

Introduction: 1 Peter 2.1-10; Genesis 2.5-7, 3.19

The almighty Creator turns _____ into _____.

The almighty Creator is turns _____ into the _____.

Five things the church (even the Corinthian church!) is called to do:

Called to _____! – to be glad, rejoice exceedingly, to be well, thrive.

Called to aim for _____! - strengthen, perfect, complete, make one what he ought to be.

Called to _____ one another! - console, to encourage and strengthen by consolation.

Called to _____ with one another! - to be of the same mind; agreed together, cherish the same views

Called to _____! – cultivate, keep peace, harmony.

Q: How is this possible for the church (even the Corinthian church!)?

A: Through the existence and personal presence of the _____ God of _____ and _____!

Through the _____ of the Lord Jesus Christ. - the merciful kindness by which God, exerting His holy influence upon souls, turns them to Christ, keeps, strengthens, increases them in Christian faith, knowledge, affection, and kindles them to the exercise of the Christian virtues. (blueletterbible.org)

Through the _____ of God. -

Through the _____ of the Holy Spirit. -