Behold Your God

John 1:1–18

[Jesus is God; Jesus is the Source of Life and Light; Jesus Is Received or Rejected]

Sunday, April 12, 2026 – Pastor Patrick Ransom

SERMON OUTLINE

I. BEHOLD HIS IDENTITY: JESUS IS GOD (VV. 1-2, 14, 18)

A. Jesus is not just from God—He is God, eternally existing and fully revealed in the flesh.

B. He is not a part of God's story—He is God in the story.

C. If Jesus is truly God, then He deserves more than casual belief—He deserves your full surrender.

II. BEHOLD HIS POWER: JESUS, THE SOURCE OF LIFE AND LIGHT (3-5)

A. Everything that exists comes from Jesus.

B. If Jesus is the source of life, then trying to live apart from Him will always leave you empty and in the dark.

III. BEHOLD THE RESPONSE: JESUS IS RECEIVED OR REJECTED (VV. 6-13)

A. Every person must respond to Jesus—there is no neutral ground.

B. It is possible to sit in church, hear about Jesus, and still never truly receive Him.

IV. BEHOLD YOUR GOD: *RECEIVE HIM & LIVE!*

A. How can we stop treating Jesus as someone we've "always known about" and start treating Him as someone "we can't live without"?

SERMON NOTES

NEXT WEEK:
Behold His Humanity
John 1:14

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THEOLOGICAL FOCUS: JESUS, THE ETERNAL WORD MADE FLESH, REVEALS GOD FULLY AND OFFERS LIFE TO ALL WHO RECEIVE HIM.