**CHILDREN OF GOD DO WHAT IS RIGHT**

1 John 2:28-3:24

Key Verse: 3:10 “This is how we know who the children of God are and who the children of the devil are: Anyone who does not do what is right is not a child of God; nor is anyone who does not love his brother.”

1. How can sinful human beings be called children of God? (3:1)

2. What is the hope we have as children of God? (2; cf. 1 Corinthians 15:49) How does this hope enable us to live as children of God in this world? (2-3)

3. What does it mean that sin is lawlessness? As children of God, what should be our attitude toward sin? (4-6) How does the author contrast those who are born of God and those of the devil? (7-10)

4. How does Cain’s example illustrate the darkness and lawlessness of the world? What is the sign that we have passed from death to life? (11-15)

5. How do we express the love of God in practice? (16) What assurance do we have that we belong to God even though our hearts may condemn us? (19-22) How can we know that Jesus lives in us? (24)