**Part 2 – In \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ we trust.**

**In my new life in Christ I trust.**

**In my old life I trust.**

**2 Corinthians 5:17**

**If anyone is in Christ, he is a new creation. The old has passed away; behold, the new has come.**

**In my new life in Christ I trust.**

**What does a new life in Christ look like?**

**Colossians 3:1-6**

**Since, then, you have been raised with Christ, set your hearts on things above, where Christ is, seated at the right hand of God.**

**Set your minds on things above, not on earthly things. For you died, and your life is now hidden with Christ in God.**

**When Christ, who is your life, appears, then you also will appear with him in glory.**

**We died with Christ.**

**To die with Christ is to die to sin.**

**Galatians 2:20**

**My old self has been crucified with Christ. It is no longer I who live, but Christ lives in me. So I live in this earthly body by trusting in the Son of God, who loved me and gave himself for me.**

**We are alive with Christ.**

**1 John 5:12**

**Whoever has the Son has life; whoever does not have the Son of God does not have life.**

**Philippians 1:21**

**For to me, to live is Christ.**

**We are raised with Christ.**

**Romans 6:4**

**For we died and were buried with Christ by baptism. And just as Christ was raised from the dead by the glorious power of the Father, now we also may live new lives.**

**A new life is not just in the receiving; it’s in the doing.**

**We are hidden with Christ.**

**Romans 8:31-39**

**If God is for us, who can be against us? He who did not spare his own Son, but gave him up for us all—how will he not also, along with him, graciously give us all things?**

**Who will bring any charge against those whom God has chosen? It is God who justifies. Who then is the one who condemns? No one.**

**Christ Jesus who died—more than that, who was raised to life—is at the right hand of God and is also interceding for us.**

**Who shall separate us from the love of Christ? Shall trouble or hardship or persecution or famine or nakedness or danger or sword?**

 **As it is written:**

**“For your sake we face death all day long; we are considered as sheep to be slaughtered.”**

**No, in all these things we are more than conquerors through him who loved us.**

**For I am convinced that neither death nor life, neither angels nor demons, neither the present nor the future, nor any powers, neither height nor depth, nor anything else in all creation, will be able to separate us from the love of God that is in Christ Jesus our Lord.**

**We are glorified with Christ.**

**1 Thessalonians 4:13-18**

**Brothers and sisters, we do not want you to be uninformed about those who sleep in death, so that you do not grieve like the rest of mankind, who have no hope.**

**For we believe that Jesus died and rose again, and so we believe that God will bring with Jesus those who have fallen asleep in him.**

**According to the Lord’s word, we tell you that we who are still alive, who are left until the coming of the Lord, will certainly not precede those who have fallen asleep.**

**For the Lord himself will come down from heaven, with a loud command, with the voice of the archangel and with the trumpet call of God, and the dead in Christ will rise first.**

**After that, we who are still alive and are left will be caught up together with them in the clouds to meet the Lord in the air. And so we will be with the Lord forever. Therefore encourage one another with these words.**

**What should you do now?**

**Colossians 3:5-6**

**Put to death, therefore, whatever belongs to your earthly nature: sexual immorality, impurity, lust, evil desires and greed, which is idolatry. Because of these, the wrath of God is coming.**