SERMON OUTLINE & DISCUSSION QUESTIONS DECEMBER 26, 2021

CONSTANT GOOD FROM OUR UNCHANGING GOD JAMES 1:16-18

MAIN THOUGHT & OUTLINE

The bright goodness of God is unchanging which means we can constantly depend upon Him.

- I. A Warning (v.16)
- II. A Comfort (v.17)
- **III.** A Proof (v.18)

QUESTIONS FOR REFLECTION & DISCUSSION

- 1. Have you been tempted to blame God for what you're struggling with? How does that actually cut you off from the only place of hope?
- 2. How do you deal with change? How does this passage help you cope with living in a world filled with change?
- **3.** How can a passage like this help us teach our children about God's good gifts? And about the good Giver of these gifts? Especially in light of Christmas presents just received.
- **4.** Do you weary of the good news of the gospel? How can we overcome this?

FURTHER READING: Ex 3:14, Num 23:19-20; 1 Sam 15:11, 29; Jer 2:3; Mal 3:6; Luke 11:13; John 1:12-13; Rom 8:28; Phil 1:6; 2 Tim 3:16; Heb 13:5-8; 1 Peter 1:3, 23; 1 John 1:5