

“Are You the Salt of the Earth and the Light of the World?” based on Matthew 5:13-20

Most of us are ‘visual’ people, we learn best when we see.

Jesus used 2 word-pictures – salt and light. He told them that they were ‘salt and light’, NOW!

- Salt was a valuable commodity as a preservative, flavoring, and to induce thirst.
- We are to radiate the Spirit of Christ to ‘add’ benefits to society and a ‘thirst’ to do good.
- We can lose that quality as salt can lose its saltiness. The world loses.
- Light was also a valuable quality. It dispels darkness.
- Story of cathedral that needed each person’s light to see. Moral was that a church can’t exist without enlightening the world around it.

What would happen if First Christian were to depend on the saltiness and light of each member? We are called to be the ‘salt of the earth’ and ‘the light to the world’!