

**Clear Vision 20/20 - 4/5/2020**

**April Theme- Promises Kept**

***The Cross- Following in His Steps***

**Matthew 16:21-25**

Mark 11:9-10

John 3:14-15; John 12:32

Matthew 16:21; Matthew 16:13-17; Genesis 3:15; Matthew 15:15-16; Matthew 16:24

**Take Up \_\_\_\_\_ Cross - What Does This Mean?**

**What are \_\_\_\_\_ crosses?**

**1. The Cross of \_\_\_\_\_**

Repentance= Gr. (*metanoia*), called for throughout the Bible is a summons to a personal, absolute and ultimate unconditional surrender to God as Sovereign. Though it includes sorrow and regret, it is more than that... In repenting, one makes a complete change of direction toward God. (a 180 degree turn). —

Micah 7:19

**2. The Cross of \_\_\_\_\_**

Matthew 10:22

**We must also carry the “Cross of \_\_\_\_\_.”**

**3. The Cross of \_\_\_\_\_**

Matthew 16:21; Acts 9:13-16; Romans 8:12-18

The things of God are **truth, righteousness, love, and good works.**  
These are the things that defeat evil.

Matthew 16:24-25

Looking to Jesus, who bore the cross for you, take up your cross and follow  
**Christ.**