



THE
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THE WAY OF THE PILGRIM



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SESSION TWO — TOOLS FOR THE JOURNEY

For Christians hearing the call to go deeper —
The Pilgrimage creates a community and
provides tools and experiences through which
we learn to hear the call of God and respond
in faith, journeying together with friends on
the path to a Spirit-led and joyful life.

St. Irenaeus bishop of Lyons in what is now France in the last quarter of the 2nd century.

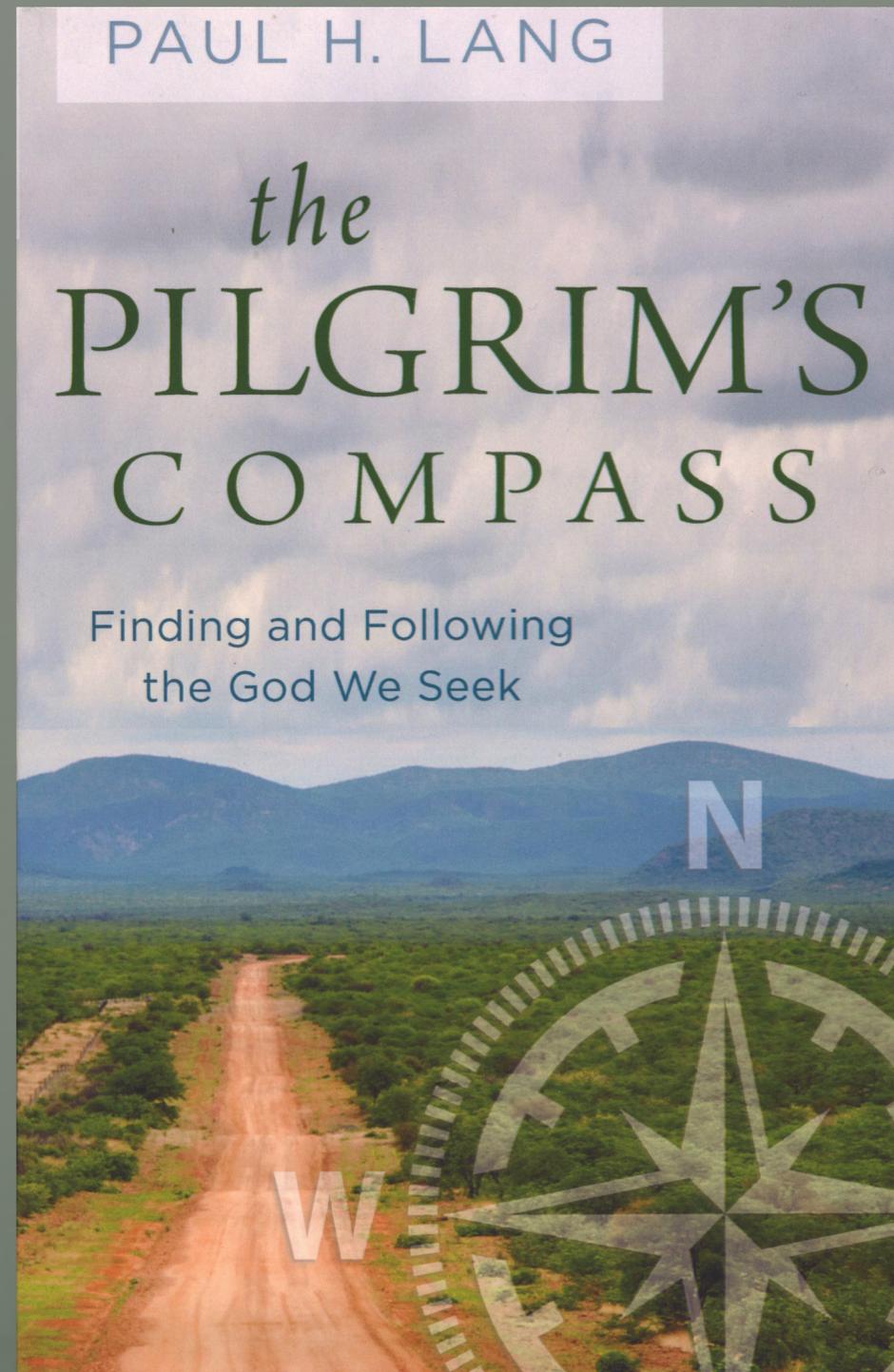
*“A Person Fully Alive
is the Glory of God”*

Your name and location.

A single word which describes you right now.

For what are you hoping these days?

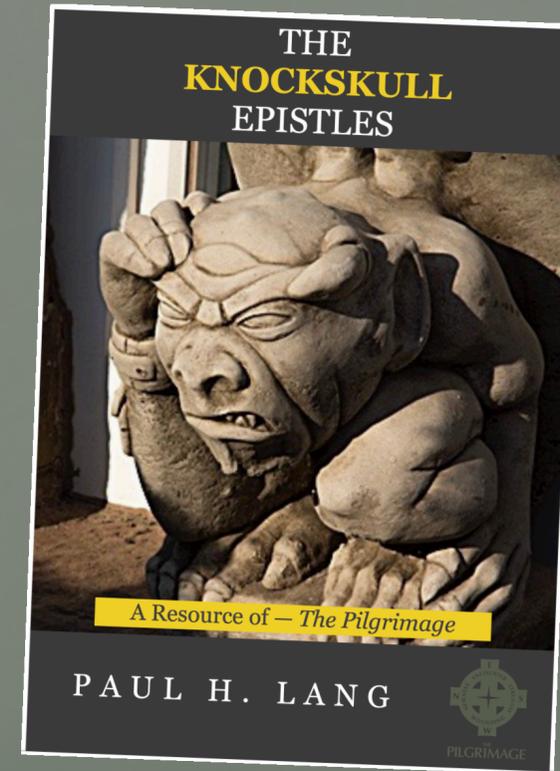
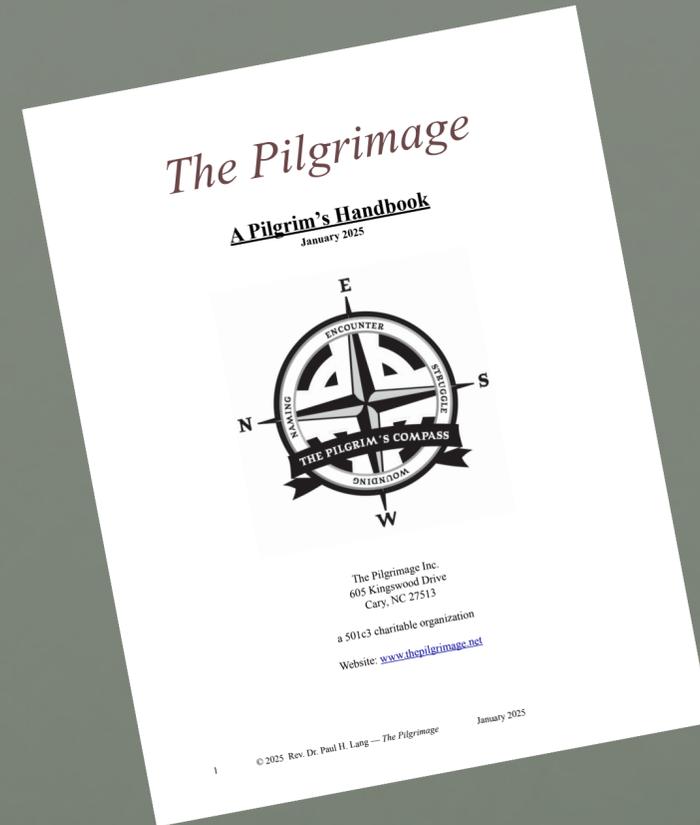
OUR MAIN RESOURCE



Landing Page

You can find these resources and more at:

<https://thepilgrimage.net/TWOTP>



The Way of the Pilgrim – Why Pilgrimage?

- An old practice with new application.
- Journey metaphor is both biblical and provocative.
- Traveling in company with others.
- The church as a sanctuary along the way.
- Posture of “pilgrim” in faith-formation.

- **Relational — Luke 10:27**
 - To God
 - To our neighbors
 - To fellow pilgrims / especially those closest to us
 - To self
- **Covenantal**
 - We honor the commitment to one another (CG)
 - We honor our commitment God
 - We honor a commitment to world

- **Transformational - Romans 12:1-4**
 - Aimed at new life
 - Not conformed to old world
 - But transformed by renewal
 - In the end we become “a living sacrifice”
 - Able to discern God’s will

The Way of the Pilgrim — Balanced Tensions

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| ○ Time Alone with God | — | Time in a Community |
| ○ Information | — | Formation |
| ○ Individual Transformation | — | Renewal of the
Community |
| ○ Supporting familiar tools | — | Broadening the pallet |
| ○ Finding our voice | — | Trusting Silence |
| ○ Grace | — | Obedient Commitment |

In terms of the balanced tensions which the ministry desires to promote . . .

Which are easy for you?
Which are more challenging?

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10 Minutes

5 Minute Break

Just FYI, On the landing page for this course there is a button where you can request to be added to the group chat.

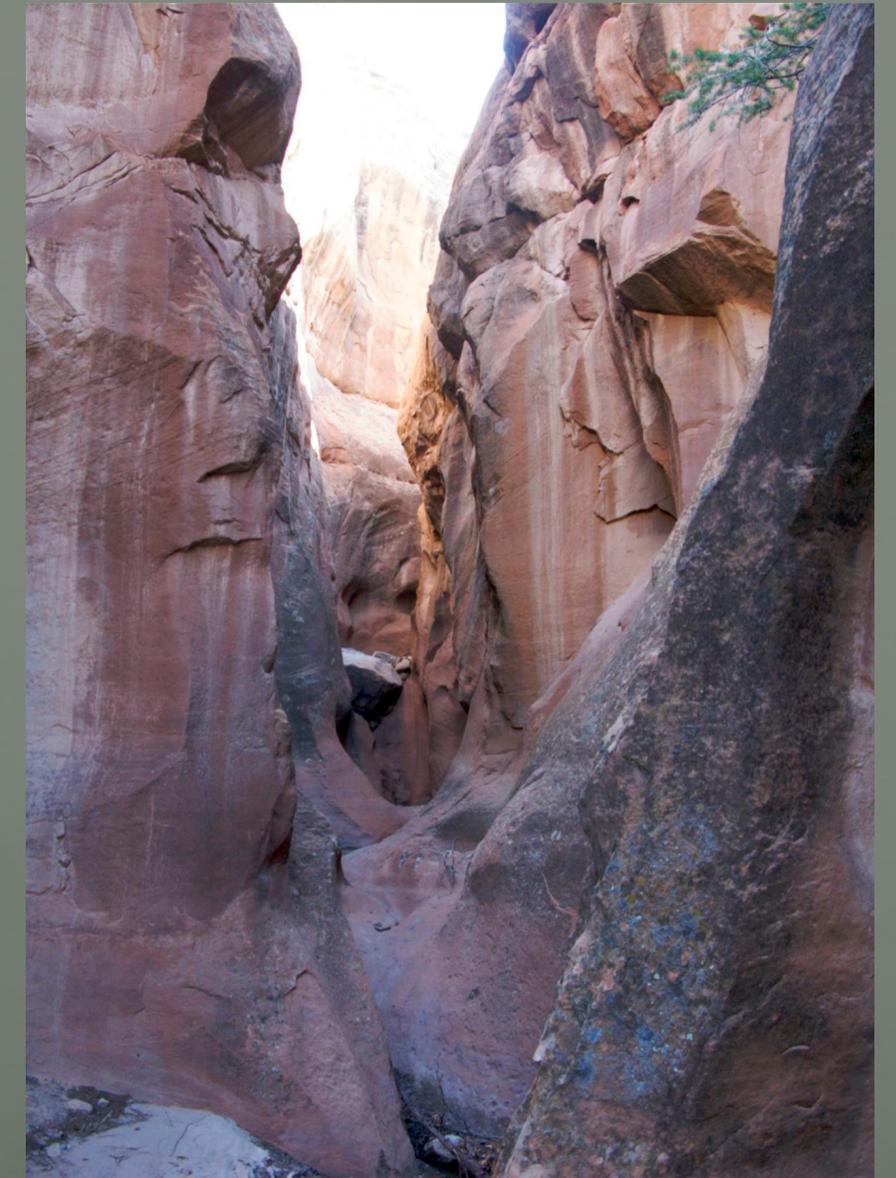
Atlas = a book of illustrations or diagrams on any subject:

- The Bible as the “rule of our faith and life.”
- The witness and counsel of all the saints.
- The story of our own lives.
- The Pilgrim’s Compass

Stories of Transformation

Saying “yes” to the life of Christ within us so that we “grow up” into the “the measure of the full stature of Christ.”

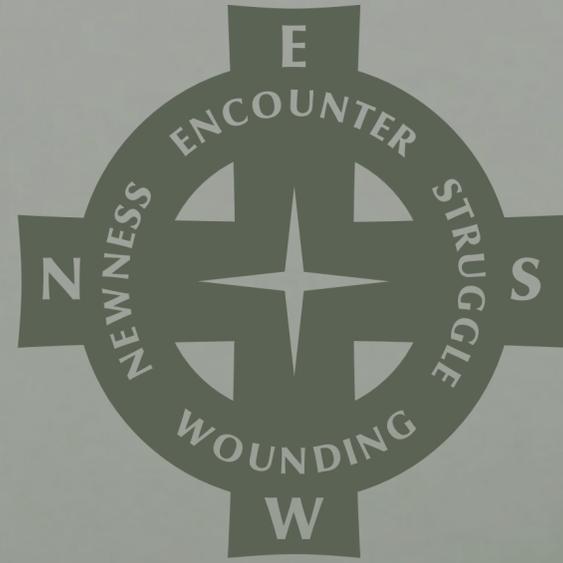
Allowing our true-self to emerge from beneath the ashes of our many false selves.



Choose a formative discipline for next 30 days: Lectio Divina or Examine.

What We Will Explore in 2025

Jan. 11	SESSION ONE	Session One — Introduction
Feb. 8	SESSION TWO	The Pilgrim's Compass- Chapter 3- Tools for the Journey
Mar. 8	SESSION THREE	The Pilgrim's Compass- Encounter & Struggle
Apr. 12	SESSION FOUR	The Pilgrim's Compass- Wilderness & Newness: New Name
May 10	SESSION FIVE	Charisms of the Way of the Pilgrim
Sept. 13	SESSION SIX	Compass Group and Contemplative Disciplines
Oct. 11	SESSION SEVEN	Christian Prayer Toolbox
Nov. 15	SESSION EIGHT	Discernment



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