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Series: Getting to know Jesus Christ Who Christians Follow

Today: The Universal Christ

Galatians 3:26 - 4:6

There are three ways the Christian scriptures and tradition present our Lord.

1. Jesus of Nazareth
2. Jesus Christ
3. The Christ

The Universal Christ (The Word) was made flesh and dwelled among us in Jesus of Nazareth (Emmanuel).

The Christ (Messiah) did not do what was expected. He was a servant and a sacrifice rather than a king seeking to be worshipped and a national leader seeking to destroy all his enemies.

We (Christians) are in Christ and living as Christ. Jesus of Nazareth never wanted to be worshipped as God. He wanted to invite all to join Him as children of God, His Abba, in a life shared in Christ. (Colossians 1:15-23)

All our sin and separations exist outside of our life in Christ. We are One in Christ but struggle to remember and act accordingly. It's time to live our Eternal Life together!