

SUNDAY-SCHOOL LESSONS, FOURTH QUARTER.

LESSON 9.]

SALUTARY WARNINGS.

[Nov. 28.]

1 Peter 4. 1-8.

GOLDEN TEXT.—Be ye therefore sober, and watch unto prayer.—1 Peter 4. 7.

MEMORY VERSES, 7, 8.—But the end of all things is at hand: be ye therefore sober, and watch unto prayer.

And above all things have fervent charity among yourselves: for charity shall cover the multitude of sins.

To the folks at home: Please help the little folks to learn this lesson.

LESSON STORY.

Our lesson to-day is from a letter of Peter's. It was written to a number of strangers, but it is likely that Peter had been among them and taught them the gospel. But they needed to learn more of Jesus, for they lived among heathen people, and were in danger of being led into sin.

Jesus, our Saviour, had a human body, as we have, and suffered many temptations, as we do, yet he did not sin. If we keep from sin we shall need to have his mind—a mind to deny ourselves, and turn away from many things which seem to promise pleasure. We shall have to answer to God for all the good teaching we have had, and so we should live sober lives, watching against sin, and praying God to keep us from it.

LESSON QUESTIONS.

1. To whom did Peter write this letter?

To strangers scattered through the world.

2. Why did they need to be taught?

Because they were surrounded by evil.

3. Were they in greater danger than we are?

No. Sin is around us.

4. Who suffered temptation for our sake?

Jesus, our Saviour.

5. What do we need to resist temptations?

The mind of Christ.