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DIRECTION FOR THE JOURNEY



SERMON DISCUSSION GUIDE

June 30, 2024 | Galatians (Week 1)



GROWING CLOSER TOGETHER _____

- 1) Is there such a thing as too many choices? Why or why not?
- 2) Share about a time that you chose wisely or unwisely in life.



MESSAGE REFLECTION _____

- 1) Share about something from the service or message that stood out to you, inspired you, or encouraged you.
- 2) Read **Galatians 1:1-9** together. What jumps out at you from these passages?
- 3) According to verse 4 of Galatians chapter 1 why did Jesus come to earth?
- 4) What is it about false gospels that make them so tempting to people?
- 5) What does the word *gospel* mean? Why is the story of Jesus such good news?
- 6) What is the problem from a Christian perspective with the following false gospels: the “Warm Fuzzy” gospel (see *Matthew 7:21-23, 1 Cor. 6:9-11*)? the “Prosperity” gospel (see *1 Timothy 6:5*)? the “Pluralistic” gospel (see *John 14:6*)? the “Reward” gospel (see *Galatians 2:21*)? the “Magic Ritual” gospel (see *Ephesians 2:8-9*)? the “Love wins” gospel (see *Matthew 16:24, Galatians 5:11*)?
- 7) Why does the cross make THE difference when it comes to the gospel?



GOING DEEPER _____

READ 1 Corinthians 15:1-4 & Romans 10:9-13 together

- 1) What jumps out at you from these passages that is interesting or thought-provoking?
- 2) Why is it vital to hold firm to the gospel?
- 3) What is one way that people can start to loosen their grip on the true gospel? What is one way you can hold firm to the gospel?
- 4) How are you saved according to Romans 10:9-10? Why are confession and belief both necessary for salvation?
- 5) From what do you and I need to be saved?
- 6) Share about the moment you realized that you were truly saved from sin and rescued from God's righteous judgment.



LIVING IT OUT _____

- 1) Write down false beliefs you've believed when it comes to your faith. Draw a picture of the cross over top of those false beliefs and then spend time thanking God for his grace and for the true gospel that you believe.
- 2) Watch this video to expand on the idea of what the gospel is -> <http://tiny.cc/thegospel>



LIFT EACH OTHER UP _____

Take some time to pray for each other.
