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DIRECTION FOR THE JOURNEY



SERMON DISCUSSION GUIDE

March 9, 2025 | *The Trinity* (Steve Norby)

Memory Verse ¹⁴ *The Word became flesh and made his dwelling among us. We have seen his glory, the glory of the one and only Son, who came from the Father, full of grace and truth. – John 1:14*



CLOSER TOGETHER _____

1. If you could suddenly play any musical instrument, what would it be and why?
2. Where in your life do you find it easiest to “get in the flow?”



MESSAGE REFLECTION _____

1. Share something from the service or message that stood out to you, inspired you, or encouraged you.
2. What does it look like to be “in step with the Spirit” (**Galatians 5:25**)? How have you experienced this in your life or what do you think it would look like to experience this in your life?
3. Why does thinking about and trying to understand the trinitarian nature of God better important?
4. Read **1 John 4:8** together. How is God the essence of love?
5. What does it mean that you and I are invited into relationship with the Trinity?
6. Review the three metaphors Steve shared that represents relationship stages with God. **Royal/Legal**: Read *Ephesians 2:8-9*. **Familial**: Read *John 1:12-13*. **Marriage**: Read *Revelation 19:7-8 & John 3:27-30*. Which metaphor best describes your relationship with God right now?



GOING DEEPER _____

READ Matthew 3:16-17 & Matthew 28:19 together.

1. What is one thing that jumps out at you from these verses?
2. Both passages reveal the Trinity in the context of baptism, do you think that's significant? Why or why not?

READ 2 Corinthians 13:14 together.

3. According to this verse, what are some of the different attributes/roles of each person of the Trinity?
4. How do these attributes/roles work together?

READ John 14:26 together.

5. How does this verse demonstrate the cohesive relationship of the Trinity?
6. What happens when people try to separate the three persons of the Trinity? Why might someone do this?

READ 1 Corinthians 12:1-6 together.

7. What does this passage teach you about the Trinity?



LIVING IT OUT _____

1. Think back to when you have grown the most in your journey of faith. Pastor Steve said that growth is accelerated through suffering or through understanding the awe of God. Has that been the case for you? If so, thank God for the growth. If not, ask God to help you gain a deeper awe of Him.
2. Pray the words of **Revelation 4:11** every morning this week.



LIFT EACH OTHER UP _____

Take time to pray for each other.