

SERMON DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

WHATEVER YOU DO WEEK 1

While anyone can take time to answer these questions individually, these questions are best discussed in a group! Not in a group yet? We want you in one! Head over to southeastchristian.org to join a group in person or online, wherever you are - today!

Thinking back over the past week, what was the best part of your week? What made it so enjoyable for you? What was the worst part of your week? What made it your least favorite part? Is it challenging for you to live for God's glory in both those kinds of moments? Why or why not?

Read Colossians 3:17. This verse is going to form the backbone of this sermon series. How does Paul ask us to approach each situation in life? How does this verse challenge us to practice thanksgiving and intentionality in everything we do? How might living out this verse have change both the best and worst part of your week?

As Kyle reminded us, if everything we do is for Jesus, then everything we do matters. Is it easy for you to believe that everything you do matters to God? Why or why not? Would you say you live like you believe that everything matters to Him? What are some of the barriers that keep us from living like this?

Read Colossians 1:3-13. How does Paul encourage the church in Colossae in these opening verses? What difference was the Gospel making in their lives? What difference was it making across the world? What are some of the requests Paul is praying for this church? How can we pray these same requests over each other?

There's a big difference between seeing Jesus as decoration and seeing Him as foundation. What happens when we try to use Jesus to improve our lives rather than letting Him completely reorient our lives? Why do we struggle to give Him that place of prominence in our lives? How have you seen that in your own spiritual life?

Read Colossians 1:15-23. As a Group, make a note of all the ways Paul describes Jesus in these verses. How should believing each of these things about Jesus transform the ways we see ourselves? Close in prayer by asking Jesus to let who He is change who you are this week.