CLARITY discussion guide

Sunday, June 7, 2020

Theology | Christ in Revelation: The Living Word

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BELONG

This week we begin a new series on the topic of theology. What comes to mind when you hear the word "theology"? What has been your experience in the past with studying theology? What's one word that would describe how you feel about studying theology now?

What was the role of John the Baptist according to John 1:6-9, 15? Why was this an important role?

Why would it be true that the way you think about God is the most important thing about you? Do you believe this?

GROW

Read John 1:1-18. What is John communicating by starting his gospel not at the birth of Jesus but "in the beginning" (Genesis 1:1)? What does creation tell us about God (review Romans 1:19-20)? According to John 1:1-3, what was the role of Jesus in creation?

What does John 1:14 tell us about the nature of Jesus? How can you know Jesus more? What specifically can you do this week to know Him more? How does reading the Bible help us to know Jesus better?

What do you believe about Jesus? What are some statements you can make about Jesus based on John 1:1-5 and 1:10-18?

How has this study helped you to see Jesus more clearly?

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Sunday John 1:1-14

Monday Deuteronomy 18:15-22; Psalm 82; Proverbs 16:7-9

Tuesday John 10:1-21;

Psalm 83:1-5; Proverbs 16:10-13

Wednesday John 10:22-42;

Psalm 83:6-18; Proverbs 16:14-17

Thursday John 11:1-27;

Psalm 84:1-4; Proverbs 16:18-20

Psalm 84:5-12; Proverbs 16:21-23

Friday John 11:28-57;

Saturday John 12:1-19;

Psalm 85:1-5; Proverbs 16:24-26

serve

Thank you for continuing to be the Church even when we can't meet in the church building. Many of you have continued to serve your families, neighbors, and community during quarantine in creative and kind ways. Please consider dropping off some extra food for one of our food pantries in Fayetteville. I've heard from the Salvation Army that they need styrofoam to-go boxes, plastic cutlery, and napkins as they are serving their weekly meals curbside. You can drop these items off at the shelter.

pray

So what are Fellowship's Global Workers doing during the coronavirus global lockdowns? They are continuing to do ministry! Bible studies are happening through phones and just last week someone became a follower of Christ in Africa through a phone study. Several of our global workers in other countries are delivering food to needy families who are unable to work, and many are now interested in studying the Word! This is happening because of the continued generosity of the Fellowship body. Thank you Fellowship and please continue to pray for our global workers as ministry continues!