



Watch the Sermon



Read the Scripture



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Opening Questions

At times it's difficult to determine the difference between what has value and what doesn't. Someone once said, "One man's junk is another man's treasure." Can you think of an example of this in your own life? What is something that others value that you see little or no value at all? Or vice-versa – you see great value and others (a spouse, a friend) see no value at all?

Read Together

1 John 5:6-12

Big Idea

The Bible and this passage do not stutter on the topic of who Jesus is. According to Scripture, He is the Son of God.

Discussion Questions

1. Geoff spoke about the love found in the Trinity. How does this impact our understanding of who we are (created in God's image) and how we are called to express love?
2. Share your experience in placing your faith in Jesus. What "tipped the balance" for you in making this decision? What changed your heart, convinced you or motivated you to make that decision.
3. In these verses, John offers four testimonies that all declare that Jesus is the Son of God. What are they?
4. Read Matthew 3:16-17 and Matthew 27:54. What do these two verses have in common?
5. Throughout John 14-16, Jesus makes several promises about the coming of the Holy Spirit after His death and ascension to heaven. What does He tell His disciples in John 14:26 regarding the role of the Holy Spirit in their lives? Then read John 14:25-26. What else does Jesus say about what the Holy Spirit will do? How have you experienced this in your own life?
6. In verses 11 and 12, John makes four statements about what the Father's testimony about Jesus means for us. What are the four things John writes?

Challenge

What does it mean in your life that Jesus is the Son of God? What kind of difference does it make in your life today? Every day?

Prayer

As a group, read Colossians 1:15-20. If possible, read it through in 2 different translations. Then spend some time declaring what you believe about Jesus, the Son of God, from what you know about Him.

Next Step

A challenging, but wonderful read is the book of the Revelation. Written also by the Apostle John, for the most part, it looks forward and reveals (thus "the Revelation") what will take place in the future. At the center of this book is one called "The Son of God," "the Lamb" and a variety of other wonderful titles. This is Jesus, the Son of God. Why not take some time to read through the book of the Revelation this week to discover more about who this Jesus is?