

Life Group Discussion Questions

Sunday, February 26th, 2023

Revelation 2-3

Pastor Nate Holdridge

ICEBREAKER QUESTION: Who was the last person you sent a letter or card to and what was the occasion?

HEAD

These questions will help us understand what the scripture teaches (who God is, what He's done, who we are, and how we should live).

- 1) What stood out to you in this section of scripture or from Sunday's sermon?
- 2) Why is Jesus' description of himself in Revelation 2-3 a prescription for anyone who follows Him, as individuals or as a Life Group? How does knowing more about Jesus transform us as believers?

HEART

These questions will shape our hearts in light of the gospel. Our goal will be to align what we know with what we believe in our hearts.

3) Which of Christ's seven prescriptive attributes from Pastor Nate's sermon (His Person, Resurrection, Word, Discipline, Spirit, Mission, and Perfection) helped you to understand something new or different about your personal relationship with Jesus?

HANDS

This question will be geared towards us responding to the passage by allowing the Holy Spirit to change how we live.

4) In response to your newfound (or refreshed) understanding of Christ's attributes, how do you desire to be fruitful as a Christ-follower in your family and community this week?

Prayer Application: Pray for the Thailand team as they endeavor to help others begin a relationship with God and as they grow in their own faith. More information about how to support the team can be found at calvary.com/events.





ANNOUNCEMENTS

These announcements are filled with ways that Calvary's vision & mission are realized in our church. We can see Jesus Famous in our lives by loving Him, growing in Him, and sharing Him in these different opportunities.

Israel Tour: February 2024

In a few weeks, on Easter Weekend, we will reflect upon the story of the cross. Can you imagine strolling through the Garden of Gethsemane where Jesus prayed on the night of his betrayal and arrest? Or walking the steps Jesus did as He carried His cross to Calvary? Seeing these places with your own eyes will deepen your faith in profound ways. We still have more spaces available for our trip on February 6-16, 2024. Tour pricing, itinerary, and details are available online: calvary.com/israel.

Agape Night: March 8th

Our next Agape Night is a couple of weeks away. These monthly Wednesday evening gatherings are a time for God's people to be together to fellowship, eat, worship, pray, and study the Word, as Acts 2:42 tells us that the early church "devoted themselves to the apostles' teaching, to the fellowship, to the breaking of bread, and to prayer." Our hope is that Agape Nights will lead our church family further into a deeper love for the Lord and one another. The Grille will be open for dinner from 5pm to 6pm with a different themed buffet meal each month. Worship will start at 6:15pm in the Main Sanctuary. Calvary Kids Club will learn about a different attribute of God each month, and is available for kids ages 1 year through 5th grade. Come early and stay late to hang out with old and new friends. Visit calvary.com to get more information.

Youth Missions Trip to Thailand: July 2023

This July, over 30 of our youth and young adults will travel to Thailand to partner with Within Reach Global for a 10-day mission trip. Through this opportunity, our students will be challenged to grow in their faith and testimony while impacting the lives of people who have never heard the name of Jesus! Calvary Monterey has supported David Joannes and his missions organization, Within Reach Global, for over 10 years. This is a strong, gospel-centered, and well-structured program ideal for youth and young adults to serve Christ as short-term missionaries. Life Groups have been encouraged to adopt a member of the trip to pray for over the next several weeks. Please take some time to pray for your team member and the entire group this week. If you would like to financially support the team, you can ask your Life Group leader or visit calvary.com for more information.

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