Life Group Discussion Questions

Sunday, April 16th, 2023

Galatians 5:19-21 Pastor Nate Holdridge

ICEBREAKER QUESTION: What is one piece of advice you would give your younger self?

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) What purpose is there in meditating on this passage and the works of the flesh?

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) In what ways do the sexual, spiritual, societal, and substance misalignments in this passage hurt the individual and the church? How can God use an authentic church community to stop the damage to each one?

4) What exhortations are helpful to you when considering how God may want to realign your heart towards His?

HANDS

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

5) How is God leading you to ask for support or accountability as you seek to align yourself with God's heart and His Word?

Going deeper: How could God be leading you to graciously offer support within your Life Group?

Prayer Application: Pray for everyone in your group to embrace the fullness of "gospel rescue" for which Christ died and rose again!

JESUS FAMOUS

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.

Intro to Calvary: April 24th

If you are new or want to learn more about Calvary Monterey, please join us for an "Intro to Calvary" meeting on Monday evening, April 24th. Intro to Calvary is a time for you to meet a few of our pastors and ministry directors and learn about Calvary's mission and vision that keep us on track to following Jesus and serving one another. We welcome any questions you have so you can learn as much as possible to help you decide if Calvary will be your home church. Dinner and childcare are provided. Sign up today and get more information on our <u>website</u>.

Women's Gathering:

Ladies, mark your calendars and plan on joining us for our next Women's Gathering! Women's Gatherings are free, with an optional breakfast available for purchase before. Breakfast and check-in will begin at 9am with worship starting at 10am in the Main Sanctuary. Women's Gatherings give our church's women the opportunity to build friendships with one another and be encouraged in their love for Jesus. At this next gathering, we will be digging into the story of Mary Magdalene, who was a significant follower of Jesus: she was a woman who had a difficult past, experienced radical redemption by Jesus, and whose love for Him compelled her to live the rest of her life in faithful service to Him, even through his death and Resurrection. We hope you'll join us for a morning of worship, encouragement, and godly fellowship! Register on our website today.

Photographers Needed for Creative Team

Serving the church can be creative and fun too! If you're skilled in video or photography, consider submitting the serve form today! (<u>calvary.com/serve</u>)

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