

WHAT MATTERS MOST

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INTRODUCTION:

As we continue to study the book of Galatians, we see in in chapter 2 that Paul is boldly opposing Peter and the leaders of the church for not staying in line with the truth of the gospel.

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

1) READ Galatians 2:11-13

- a) What happened with Peter (Cephas)?
- b) What effect(s) was this having on the leaders and the church?

2) READ Galatians 2:12

- a) Why did Peter draw back and separate himself?
- b) Have you ever been afraid because of your faith?

STAY IN LINE WITH THE TRUTH OF THE GOSPEL

3) READ Galatians 2:14-16

- a) How did Paul respond?
- b) What is one area of your life that you need to change in order to "stay in line with the truth of the gospel"?

4) READ Galatians 3:26-28

- a) Who are the children of God?
- b) Discuss these verses as a group.

WHAT CAN WE LEARN?

- 5) Racism is sneaky; it can hide in our hearts.
 - a) In what sneaky ways does racism still exist in our culture?

6) Accountability is a gift. READ Psalm 139:23-24

- a) How does this passage in Psalm call us to be accountable?
- b) Who do you have in your life that keeps you accountable?
- 7) The gospel is the power, and the plumb line. READ Romans 1:16 and discuss.

RESOURCES FOR UNDERSTANDING RACIAL RECONCILIATION IN AMERICA Books:

- Divided By Faith: Evangelical Religion and the Problem of Race in America, Michael O. Emerson and Christian Smith
- The New Jim Crow, Michelle Alexander
- The Color of Compromise, Jemar Tisby
- White Fragility, Robin DiAngelo
- Stamped From the Beginning, Ibram X. Kendi
- White Awake: An Honest Look at What it Means to Be White, Daniel Hill

CPC Online Resources/Sermons:

- Forthevalley.tv A Night to Listen, with Rev. Earl Smith and Pastor Tyler Scott
- Pause.Listen.Pray The Third Option: Hope for a Racially Divided Nation, with Pastor Miles McPherson
- What Matters Most (week 1 & 2), with Pastor Tyler Scott

CHALLENGE

This week prayerfully ask God to reveal to you any areas of your life that you need to change in-order to "stay in line with the truth of the gospel"?

COMMIT TO MEMORY

A person is not justified by the works of the law, but by faith in Jesus Christ. So we, too, have put our faith in Christ Jesus that we may be justified by faith in Christ and not by the works of the law, because by the works of the law no one will be justified. Galatians 2:16

PRAY FOR EACH OTHER

Share prayer requests, and commit to praying for one another until you next meet.

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