

Deep and Wide: deep faith/wide reach

Week five

Discussion questions from the teaching on 2/4/18:

What does the word "Gospel" mean to you (or in what ways have you thought before about it)?

Why is the Gospel Good News?

What are some ways that we water down or miss pieces of the Gospel?

Why is it important that we understand all parts of the Gospel?

What do you believe are the core, or essential, elements of the Gospel?

What could happen if we were to believe an incomplete or incorrect version of the Gospel?

Why do we shy so easily away from the part of the Gospel that says we are sinners in need of saving?

Can we really appreciate the saving grace of God in Jesus if we don't acknowledge our sin and rebellion?

John Piper has said that the Gospel is not something we outgrow, we don't need the Gospel to meet Jesus and then move on to other things. What does that mean to you?

CS Lewis said that Jesus didn't come to make bad men good, but to make dead men alive. What does that mean to you?

Do you believe that you have an understanding or appreciation for the depth and beauty of the Gospel? Why or why not? How or how not?

Do you believe that the Gospel is life changing? How or how not?

How could or should the Gospel be woven through our daily lives as disciples of Jesus?

What is ONE big idea that struck you?