

Freedom to Boast

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Food For Thought and Outline

Week of December 27, 2015

Avoid counterfeit gospels

Salvation is secured in Christ alone

not our works

Ephesians 2:8-10

We have been crucified with Christ

and are new creations

2 Corinthians 5:17; Galatians 2:20

Now What?

Boast in my Savior not myself

Jeremiah 9:23-24

Remember daily

Make much of Him

John 3:30

Food For Thought

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(Questions and Scriptures for Reflection and Study)

Getting Started...

1. If you were explaining this weekend's message to a friend, what would you tell them?
2. In your opinion, what does a "counterfeit gospel" sound like? When was the last time you heard one?

Into the Bible

3. Josh talked about avoiding counterfeit gospels and false prophets. The difficulty is in distinguishing between what is true teaching and what is false teaching. According to the passages below, how can we know if the teaching we are hearing is false?

Matthew 7:15-20 Mark 7:6-13 2 Corinthians 11:1-15

Is it ok to listen to false teaching if "some" of their content is good? Why or why not?

4. Read 1 Corinthians 1:18-31. What does it mean to boast in the Lord?

Our boasting is a product of our dependency. The more dependent we are on the Lord, the more our boasting will naturally be in the Lord. The more dependent we are on ourselves, the more we'll boast in ourselves. Circle the number below that is closest to your dependency on God. (1 is least and 10 is most)

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10

Write down why you think that is at this point in your life.

Sermon Application

5. What are three to five ideas, concepts, or thoughts you are taking from the Galatians study?

How would you summarize the book of Galatians for someone who has never read it?

6. Memorize 1 Corinthians 1:18 – "For the word of the cross is folly to those who are perishing, but to us who are being saved it is the power of God."

PRAYER REQUESTS

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Upcoming Event

Men's Encounter

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Make plans now to attend the upcoming Wichita Men's Encounter, February 26-28! It's more than a group of men talking about God, it's about establishing a relationship with God through Jesus Christ.