

Sermon Questions – September 13, 2020

Jesus Teaches What is Real

Matthew 5 – 7

1. Last week, we learned about Jesus fighting temptation. Over the past week, what disciplines have you put in place to pursue righteousness while facing temptation?
2. In Matthew 5:1-12 Jesus identifies those who are blessed in the Kingdom of God. As a group, discuss each verse and why Jesus refers to them as blessed.
3. Knowing that Jesus doesn't "keep score" in a similar manner to the world, and we often have "misplaced price tags," how can you cultivate a heart like those described in the Beatitudes?
4. Today we learned about Jesus' values regarding our "status and stuff" (read Matthew 6:1-4 & 6:31-33 for reference). How are these values different from what our world values?
5. One of the values of God's Kingdom that Jesus teaches on is the importance of focusing on eternity. What are some steps you can take to invest in eternity?
6. To become like Christ in all of life, we must be transformed from the inside-out. This week, how can you draw your heart near to God and submit to His values?