

SERMON NOTES

YIELD: “YOUR FORGIVENESS!”

MATTHEW 6:12, COLOSSIANS 2:13-15, 3:12-13

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I. _____ the forgiveness you have in Jesus Christ. (Colossians 2:13-15)

II. Love and _____ as your God does. (Colossians 3:12-13)

IMPACT GROUP QUESTIONS

KEY PASSAGE: MATT. 6:12, COL. 2:13-15, 3:12-13

Opening: What truths impacted you most from the sermon/passage? *Celebrate the forgiveness you have in Jesus Christ; Love and forgive as your God does.*

INFORM THE HEAD / STIR THE HEART

1. When someone is “forgiven” of debt, who absorbs the cost? What obstacles keep us from forgiving others?

2. Please describe the cost Jesus paid to forgive our debt.

3. From Colossians 2:13-15, please explain where we would be without Jesus paying our debt.

4. How do the truths of the prior questions help motivate and strengthen our desire to yield, confessing sin?

5. From Colossians 3:12-13, please describe each of the attributes we're called to "put on" along with their opposite meanings. Why is it so important that we see first that we are chosen, holy, and loved by God before considering putting these things on?

6. From each passage, what do you see as our motivation for forgiving others?

7. How do you see Jesus model the things we're to put on?

CHALLENGE THE WILL

Based on what you learned in Sunday's message and in your study time, what is one measurable thing you will go after this week in your walk with Christ?

WEEKLY READING PLAN

Monday, November 13 // Hebrews 10:11-23

Hold Fast to Your Faithful God

Tuesday, November 14 // Psalm 32

Find the Freedom in Confession

Wednesday, November 15 // Psalm 51

Be Humble and Repentant Before Him

Thursday, November 16 // Matthew 18:21-35

Forgive as You are Forgiven

Friday, November 17 // Matt. 6:13, Prov. 3:5-9

Submit: Your Way