



NEW HORIZONS SMALL GROUPS

Sermon Title: Christ Above All - The Gospel Changes Everything
Scripture Reference: Colossians 1:1-8

Connection:

- What do you remember most from last week's sermon?
- How did you hear God's voice or sense His presence this past week?
- What are you looking forward to most this autumn?

Reflection:

- Summarize this week's sermon in one to three sentences. What was the main point of the message?
- What did the message say about you, God's people or the world?

Application:

1. Pastor Ryan shared how the gospel changed his identity and direction. How has following Jesus changed you, and where are you still asking God to transform you?
Suggested Bible reading: Colossians 1:3-6
2. What evidence, or "fruit", would you expect to see in the life of someone who is increasingly surrendering to Jesus?
Suggested Bible reading: Galatians 5:22-25
3. The Colossians were known for their love. What do you think your family, church, coworkers, or neighbors would say you are known for?
4. Pastor Ryan encouraged everyone to know the Bible personally rather than relying only on what others say it teaches. What helps you engage Scripture consistently, and what tends to get in the way?
Suggested Bible reading: Acts 17:10-12
5. Who might experience the good news of Jesus through your love this week? What is one specific way you can show that person selfless, sacrificial love?