

Series: Vermeer's "Allegory of Faith"

Sermon: "Set your mind on things above..."

Primary Text: Colossians 3:2-10

Discussion Guide:

- Read Colossians 3:2.
 - What does this verse mean?
 - What are "things above"?
 - What are "earthly things"?
 - What does "set your minds on" mean?
 - What does this say about disciplining yourself?
- Read Colossians 3:2-4.
 - What does it mean that you have died? See Galatians 6:14, Romans 6:1-4.
 - What does it mean that your life is "hidden with Christ in God"?
 - What does it mean that Christ is your life?
- Read Colossians 3:5-10.
 - How do you put to death your earthly desires?
- Read Jeremiah 2:19.
 - How does not being in awe of God cause things to go bitterly or evil for us?
 - How can we discipline ourselves to be in awe of God?
- How does keeping heaven in mind change our perspective on life?