

Galatians: The Only Thing That Counts - Galatians 6:11–18

Memory Verse — Galatians 6:14 “But far be it from me to boast except in the cross of our Lord Jesus Christ, by which the world has been crucified to me, and I to the world.”

1. Whose approval is hardest for you to risk losing? Describe a situation where the desire to please someone has influenced your obedience to Jesus. What would faithfulness look like in that situation?

2. When you evaluate how you’re doing spiritually, what do you tend to measure? How do those measurements affect the way you view yourself and other believers?

3. The sermon asked, “If nobody could see your religious activity, what evidence would there be that Jesus is changing your life?” Where do you see His work in your private life and closest relationships? Where do you need to surrender to Him?

4. Paul refused to use other people as evidence of his own spiritual success. Where might you be tempted to seek recognition through the people you serve or influence? How could you care for them without needing their progress to make you look good?

5. What accomplishment, failure, or label still has too much power to define your worth? How does what Jesus accomplished on the cross challenge the identity you have built around it?

6. The sermon described how both pride and shame can turn our attention toward ourselves. Which do you struggle with more right now? What would it look like to place your confidence in Christ when those thoughts arise?

7. As we finish Galatians, what truth about God’s grace do you most need to carry into everyday life? What specific choice this week could reflect your trust that Jesus is enough?

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