



Colossians 2:6-3:17

"The Supremacy of Christ in You"

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Read Colossians 2:6-7

Pastor Tyler said "Our faith is not just what we've put into our head, it's what we've put into practice."

-How do we flesh this out?

-Why does it matter that they received Christ as Lord?

-What does it mean to hold fast to Christ as the head of and be nourished and knit together in our joints and ligaments?

-What did you think of Laminin?

-Pastor Tyler contrasted Jesus being like Laminin in our life vs being more like sunscreen. What did he mean? What are the implications of both?

Paul said that when we're putting on our old self, we are lying to one another.

Read the quote below and discuss.

"When you lie, you live out of a false identity which makes it impossible for you to be known, because you're living a lie. When you do this, you are forfeiting the one thing that your soul will constantly crave for the rest of your life which is to be known and yet still be loved. When you live in a lie, all the relationships that you have, when people love you, you ultimately know, they're not loving the real you,

they're loving the fake you. When you believe that, all the relationships around you, including your relationship with God, you know that they're all fabricated, they're all lies. So, you eventually look at God and say you don't love the real me. And you think you have to constantly live in a lie to get God to love you. And when you do that, you're creating a resistance to the gospel. Essentially, you make a lie out of God's love." Ryan Kwon

Read Colossians 3:1-17 and discuss.

Read Tim Keller quote below.

"Churches should feel more like the waiting room for a doctor and less like a waiting room for a job interview. In the latter we all try to look as competent and impressive as we can. Weaknesses are buried and hidden. But in a doctor's waiting room we assume everyone there is sick and needs help. And this scene is much closer to the reality of what is going on in church." - Tim Keller

-Have you experienced this with church? how so?

Read chapter 2 verse 13-14 out loud and make it personal.

-How does this change your identity?