

Sermon Discussion Questions

You Need The New – Matt Slocum

Sermon Text: Mark 2:21-22; Revelation 21:1; Ephesians 4:22; Ephesians 2:8-9; Acts 10:9-15; Acts 11:1-9

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AGENDA

- Allow people to arrive, talk, and snack – 15 min
- Thank everyone for coming. Open in prayer – 30 sec
- Worship – 5-10 min
- Icebreaker question – 10-20 min
- Discussion Questions – 35-45 min
- Prayer – 20-30 min

INTRODUCTION

This week was Vision Sunday. It was an opportunity for us to celebrate what God has been doing in our church over the past year and for us to lean into what God is going to do over the next year. God is making all things new!

New Wine Church.

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS (35-45 min)

1. Last week's application asked us to re-examine our view of God. What did you discover?
2. What from the sermon particularly resonated with you this week?
3. How has God been taking you from old to new this year?
4. What tensions within your faith might you be dealing with right now?
5. Peter's experience in Joppa shows us that we don't have to chase God—He will come to us. What might God be bringing to you now? How can we all be more like Peter than Jonah in Joppa?

APPLICATION

This week be intentional in setting aside time to examine ways you might be clinging to the old and spend time in tension. In this tension, look for God to reveal to you how he's doing something new and how you can partner with Him in this.

Icebreakers

Pick one of the icebreaker questions below and go around in a circle (starting with the leader) and have everyone answer. (If you have new members or guests have each person introduce themselves.)

1. If you could spend a month just travelling, where would you go and what would you do?
2. If they were to make a meme with one of your sayings, what would it be?
3. What's that one song, when it comes on the radio, that makes it impossible for you to sit still?

PRAYER (20-30 min)

Ask for prayer requests. Pray that God will give us eyes to see the new things He is doing. Thank God for taking us from old to new, and give thanks that with God, the best is always ahead of us.

COMING UP

To join a small group, sign up at vckceast.com or at one of the weekend services. Study materials are available to download on the church website (<https://vckceast.com>) or on the Facebook page.

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FINAL THOUGHT

**“Where there is new wine, there is new power,
There is new freedom, and the kingdom is here.
I lay down my old flames to carry your new fire today.”**
(New Wine – Hillsong Worship)