



Dear Galatians

Week one - "Just Jesus"

Galatians 1

Bottom line: Jesus plus nothing equals everything.

1. Why is the idea of "+" so appealing that marketers are using it for everything from streaming services to toothpastes?
2. Do you find it easier, or more appealing, to make improvements to your life via addition or subtraction? What examples do you have of either/both?
3. What is the difference between adding faith in Jesus to our lives versus changing our lives to follow Jesus?
4. Read Galatians 1.
 - a. What are some of the things that stand out to you as Paul starts this letter to the Galatians?
 - b. Why is Paul so fired up that he's calling down curses from God?
 - c. What things does Paul emphasize about his life and calling? Why do those things matter?
 - d. How would you describe the different gospel Paul refers to that is "no gospel at all"? How would you describe or explain the gospel of Christ?
5. What are some of the subtle and not-so-subtle ways you've done a "+Jesus" in your own life?
6. What, if anything, makes you uncomfortable about the things Paul is setting up in this letter?