

CORE 4 (Week 5)

Clint Craig – 16 September 2018

Discussion and Questions:

1. We have made it to the last of our Core Four. We hope you have signed up to be a part of it and are looking forward to the change it may bring. It's been said "anything in life that is worthwhile is uphill" (John Maxwell) Has this been your experience? How could this apply to Core Four?
2. "Called to make a difference" is not an uncommon phrase. What does it mean to be "called"? Does it apply to everybody, or just Christians or even certain Christians? On what do you base your answer?
3. Read Colossians 4:5-6. Verse 6 talks about knowing how to answer everyone. What sort of questions could this be referring to? Has someone ever asked you about your faith or way of life? If so, how did you answer them? If not, why do you think this is so?
4. Clint suggested three steps towards impacting your world are:
 - Know your spheres.
 - Build influence.
 - Leverage Influence.Sounds like a lot of hard work. Why should we bother? What is actually at stake here?
5. Remember the hype around "WWJD"? (What Would Jesus Do?) Make a list of some of the things Jesus actually did do to impact the world, from the Gospels. While we are clearly not all required to perform miracles or rise from the dead, what are some things we could be expected to do in order to make an impact where we are?
6. Look up Romans 10:14, 15 and 17. Should we have sharing the gospel as the goal of every relationship with "outsiders" or is it ok just to be kind and leave it at that? Why or why not?

Include prayers for wisdom when it comes to knowing what to say and when, with our 'outsider' friends.

Upcoming dates:

- CORE night – Monday September 17th – 7.30pm
- LEAD camp for Fuse Youth – Sunday September 30th
- Not So Young Adults Bowling Night – Saturday October 13th