

Sunday, October 15, 2023

Series:	Colossians (2 of 4)
Message:	Colossians 2
Scripture:	Colossians 2:1-23, John 12:31,
	Ephesians 4:14, Romans 5:10,
	James 4:6, Proverbs 16:18

• Provide a brief synopsis of the message in your own words for anyone who did not hear it.

Get Started: What does freedom in Christ look like?

Head: What Does God Want Me to Know?

(Orthodoxy – What does He want me to know: about God? about man? How can I think biblically about this topic?)

- 1. What did you learn about Jesus in chapter 2?
- 2. What do you think Paul means by being firmly rooted?

Heart: How/What Does God Want Me to Love/Feel?

(Orthocardia – Do I have the right attitude about what God says about this? What does He want to change in my heart or emotions? How do my deepest desires align with what this tells me? Do I even want to follow what He says about this?)

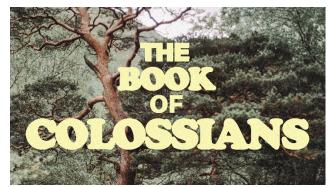
- 3. What practical steps can you take this week to make known to those around you that you died with Jesus and have been raised to new life?
- 4. What is a human tradition in your life that needs to be replaced by Christ?

Hands: What Does God Want Me to Do?

(Orthopraxy – Do I take the right actions: how should I/we respond? What action(s) would show obedience?)

- 5. Individual: Based on this message, the text above and the discussion, what is God asking you to do differently? How will you respond?
- 6. Group: God often not only calls the individual to action, but He also calls upon the group to respond. How might your group respond together? What should your group do differently?





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- 1. Be encouraged, be unified, have complete understanding to know
- Don't be deceived, but through ______ remain firm in the faith self-control.
- 3. Grow from the roots up, build spiritual muscle, speak _____
- 4. Don't be fooled by hollow/shallow thought, empty tradition or forces.
- 5. Following Jesus is making Him our _____
- 6. Either Jesus has paid it ALL for us, or we are still under
- 7. Would your closest friends say Jesus is ______ in your life?
- 8. People want to influence us, control us by judging us, hurting our _____
- 9. Is our confidence in ______ or in trusting Jesus who alone is Supreme??
- 10. When we rely on our own actions/obedience, we lose contact with Jesus and are no longer ______ Him alone.

My Notes:

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