Directions for Life

All You Need Message Series Week 4 John 14:1-11 – I Am the Way, the Truth, and the Life July 14, 2024 Pastor Scott Marshall

When you are seeking directions for life, remember...

Jesus said, I Am...

1. The Way: We are lost without Him.

(Proverbs 14:12; Colossians 2:6-7)

"Jesus does not only give advice and directions. He takes us by the hand and leads us; he strengthens us and guides us personally every day. He does not tell us about the way; he *is* the way."

William Barclay, *The Gospel of John, Vol. 2,* Saint Andrew Press, Louisville, KY, 2001, p. 183.

Ask yourself... What direction is my life headed in?

"He himself is the way and in addition he is the lodging on the way and its destination."

Nicholas Cabasilas, *The Life of Christ,* St. Vladimir's Press, Yonkers, NY, 1974, p. 48.

2. The Truth: We are misled without Him.

(Isaiah 65:16; John 1:14-18; Revelation 19:11)

Ask yourself...
Where do I get my truth from?

3. The Life: We are empty without Him.

(Matthew 10:39; John 10:10; John 1:3-4)

Ask yourself...

What do I think is needed to have a good life?

Directions for life are only found in Jesus Christ.

"If you are walking daily with the Lord, you will not have to find God's will – you will already be in it. If you are walking with Him in obedience day by day, you will always be in the will of God."

Henry & Richard Blackaby, *Experiencing God Day by Day*, B&H Publishing Group, Brentwood, TN 2021, p.118.

This week, take time to ask...

What direction is my life headed in?
Where do I get my truth from?
What do I think is needed to have a good life?

Is Jesus truly the answer for each?