Colossians Week 3

Ice Breaker

If you could curate a museum exhibit on any topic, what would it be about?

Discuss

One thing the Colossians struggled with was the idea that Jesus wasn't enough.

Have you ever struggled with the idea that Jesus isn't enough in certain areas of your life?

Read Colossians 3:1-4.

Paul wants the people to abandon their old way of life and embrace a new one. Your focus determines your formation.

What practices do you have in your day to day life to keep your focus on the things of heaven? Are there any new habits you want to develop?

Read Colossians 3:15-17.

What does it look like in everyday life to 'let the peace of Christ rule in your hearts'? Can you share a time when you had to choose peace over conflict, fear, or anxiety?

Paul knew something we can often forget. Rules don't compel people to act, stories do. How can your story, what you have walked through, bring people closer to knowing Jesus?

What part of your old way of thinking or living do you sense is still keeping you from fully letting the peace of Christ rule in your heart—and what is one next step you can take this week to surrender that to Him?

Bonus!

"Peace I leave with you; my peace I give you. I do not give to you as the world gives. Do not let your hearts be troubled and do not be afraid." John 14:27 (NIV)

"You will keep in perfect peace those whose minds are steadfast, because they trust in you." Isaiah 26:3 (NIV)

"There is neither Jew nor Gentile, neither slave nor free, nor is there male and female, for you are all one in Christ Jesus." Galatians 3:28 (NIV)

