



Key References:

1 Corinthians 2:14–16 (ESV)

¹⁴The natural person does not accept the things of the Spirit of God, for they are folly to him, and he is not able to understand them because they are spiritually discerned. ¹⁵The spiritual person judges all things, but is himself to be judged by no one. ¹⁶“For who has understood the mind of the Lord so as to instruct him?” But we have the mind of Christ.

Galatians 5:13 (ESV)

¹³For you were called to freedom, brothers. Only do not use your freedom as an opportunity for the flesh, but through love serve one another.

Mark 10:45 (ESV)

⁴⁵For even the Son of Man came not to be served but to serve, and to give his life as a ransom for many.”

Mark 9:33–35 (ESV)

³³And they came to Capernaum. And when he was in the house he asked them, “**What were you discussing on the way?**” ³⁴But they kept silent, for on the way they had argued with one another about who was the greatest. ³⁵And he sat down and called the twelve. And he said to them, “**If anyone would be first, he must be last of all and servant of all.**”

Matthew 23:11–12 (ESV)

¹¹The greatest among you shall be your servant. ¹²Whoever exalts himself will be humbled, and whoever humbles himself will be exalted.

Philippians 2:3 (ESV)

³Do nothing from selfish ambition or conceit, but in humility count others more significant than yourselves.

At the beginning of the preach Andy mentioned three prophetic words that were given the week previous from BJ Estes, Neil Roy and Joy Becker. **Do you remember any of the three and what did you find important in them?**

1 – SEEING LIKE JESUS

How did Jesus see situations differently from those around him?

Read 1 Corinthians 2:14-16. **What does the bible mean when it says, “But we have the mind of Christ”? What is the connection between having the mind of Christ and seeing the world through Jesus’ eyes?**

How is the mind of Christ spiritually discerned? What do you think verse 15 means for us?

What situations or people would you like to see through Jesus’ lenses this year? How do you think that would change things?

2 – SERVING LIKE JESUS

Read Mark 10:45. **Is it possible to see what Jesus sees and not be compelled in love to serve those around us?**

Read Galatians 5:13. **Why do you think the scripture mentions serving one another after talking about the flesh?**

Read Mark 9:33-35 and Matthew 23:11-12. **How should Jesus’ words here shape how we live out our lives? How do you find his words challenging?**

Read Philippians 2:3. **How can we could others more significant than ourselves?**

3 – NEXTStep Sunday

Go around the group and share where you serve at Oceanside and how this area grew you in 2019. **And also answer; are there other areas you are interested in serving in this year? How could God use your talents? If you’re not currently on a team, what’s holding you back?**