VORTEX CHURCH

FURTHER INTO THE VORTEX

September 30th, 2018 | THE JOURNEY
Pastor Kevin Simmons

THE JOURNEY

Life is a _____.

LINES, CIRCLES, AND A VORTEX

1. Define our journey by a _____.
2. _____ out.
3. Stuck in a _____.
4. Consumed by a _____.

CENTERED AND MOVING

1. When Jesus is your center you have a _____ and a _____.
2. Life should be a journey to _____ and be _____ into His image.

WHAT IS GOD SAYING TO ME TODAY?

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TALK IT OVER TOGETHER

Here's how to process this week's message together with your friends and family!

HERE ARE SOME QUESTIONS TO HELP YOU PROCESS THE MESSAGE:

1. During the message: Pastor Kevin said, "You do what you believe." What does that mean? How do you need to change what you believe to change what you do?
2. READ Galatians 6:9-10. How do you keep from growing weary? What do you do when you feel like giving up?
3. Why is it always important to have a maturing faith? What is a difference between a mature and an immature faith?
4. During the message Pastor Kevin asked this simple question: "Where are you going?" Why is that such an important question to continually ask yourself?
5. What happens to the shape of our journey when we place Jesus at the center of our lives? How does having Jesus as the center of our lives affect our relationship with God?

TAKING THE NEXT STEP

What are you moving towards right now?

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Where is your center… really? Is it Jesus? Or do you WANT it to be Jesus but it's really something else?

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TAKE A MOMENT TO PRAY:
Confess the sin of having a life that's generally moving towards something other than Jesus: comfort, responding to fear or anxiety, or seeking pleasure. Admit that you've made something else your center. Ask Him to forgive you. Commit to making Jesus the object of your journey.

SCRIPTURES TO FOCUS ON THIS WEEK

"I don't mean to say that I have already achieved these things or that I have already reached perfection. But I press on to possess that perfection for which Christ Jesus first possessed me. No, dear brothers and sisters, I have not achieved it, but I focus on this one thing: Forgetting the past and looking forward to what lies ahead, I press on to reach the end of the race and receive the heavenly prize for which God, through Christ Jesus, is calling us." Philippians 3:12-14