



GraceStudents

Discussion Questions:

April 5 - You are the Salt of the Earth

These questions are designed for students to discuss with their families and write their responses in a journal to reflect on how God spoke to them during the online worship experience. Encourage students to be creative and share their responses with other students on social media or other online platforms.

Read Matthew 5:13

1. What is the purpose of salt? Would you keep a container of salt on your table if it no longer had any flavor?
2. How does the illustration of salt apply to our purpose as believers?
3. Pastor Mike said, "Our passion reveals our purpose." What does that mean? What are you passionate about and how does that reveal your purpose?

Read Genesis 1:27; 3:7, 15-17

4. What was man's purpose in the Garden of Eden?
5. You are made in the image and likeness of God. Thinking about your personality and character traits, how do they reveal that you were created in the image of God?
6. Knowing that God is the giver and sustainer of life, why is it so tempting to run to other people or things to define our purpose?

Read Hebrews 1:3, Colossians 1:15, and Ephesians 4:22-24

7. Jesus is the image of the invisible God. How does His example help us to understand how God created us to live?
8. God created us with a purpose. If you are not connecting with Him on a regular basis (through prayer and reading the Bible), then how does that affect what you know about your purpose?

9. Have these current circumstances caused you to doubt your purpose? Why?

10. "God, break my heart for what breaks yours," is a phrase that many people have prayed in the past. How does that apply to our passions and the way God created us?

Read Philippians 4:6-9

11. What is ruling your heart and mind during this season? Anxiety or the peace of God?

12. What can your mind dwell on during this season? What is true, noble, right, pure, lovely, and admirable?

13. What have you learned in the past that is helping you right now?

Challenge: Write down one of the Scriptures from today's message. Put it in a place in your home where you will see it often. Every time you read it, take a moment to pray about whatever comes to your mind. After one week, see if you can quote the Scripture from memory.