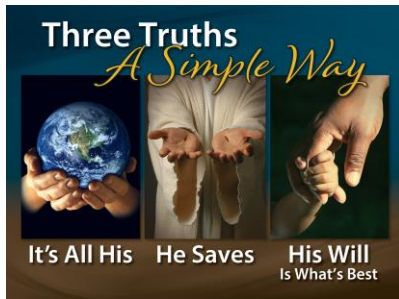


Bible Study: St. John's – West Bend

October 2/3, 2019 (Pastor Jeff Hesse)



Sanctify them in the truth; your word is truth.
(John 17:17 ESV)

Opening Prayer / Discipleship Stories

Reflections

- Pause... Be quiet and reflect on God as Owner, Rescuer and Leader.
- What real notes would you write to yourself about God's identity in His authority and actions in your life... the world around you?

It's All His (Owner)

He Saves (Rescuer)

His Will is What's Best (Leader)

Readings for this Weekend – Read & Discuss/Reflect

- Read John 17:17-26
- Read 1 Peter 2:4-9
- What is God saying to you now?
- What might these readings impact what you wrote on your personal reflections on the Three Truths?

Living in the Truth – A Creedal Life – Living in Belief

- Read John 14:1-11 - When Jesus says, *"I am the way, the truth and the life"*... how does this connect with the Three Truths and God's Identity (authority and actions) right now? Future? Give real examples.
- What does Jesus say is the work we should do? Read John 6:22-40. Who's will is the work?
- What does James have to say about Living in the Truth... Living in Belief? Read James 2:14-26. What does this have to say about hypocrisy?
- Let's talk about compartmentalization of the Three Truths... and the reality of how there are all interconnected and inseparable. How might this be connected to God's identity as Father, Son and Holy Spirit... Three-in-One?
- Connect the unity of God and His work in the Church with Living in the Truth... Living in Belief?

Closing Prayer