

WHAT

JESUS

SAID

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GROUP CHECK-IN:

Part of the rhythms of us as a group is to move beyond just *learning* but moving through life together. This space to start is a great way to begin to move into sharing rhythms together, trusting and being faithful with the relationships entrusted to us.

Ask: ***Describe your week with three adjectives.***

Give space for everyone to answer, stopping to pray for one another as the Holy Spirit leads.

MESSAGE TAKEAWAYS:

“WHEN IT COMES TO SALVATION, ANYONE CAN BE SAVED, NOT EVERYONE WILL BE, AND JESUS CHANGES EVERYTHING.”

SUNDAY TEACHING RECAP:

Week 5 we looked at Luke 13 and Jesus’ teaching on the Narrow Door in response to the question “Lord, will those who are saved be few?”

Take time as a group to reread **Luke 13:22-30** out loud in your group. Invite to share key words and phrases or repeated words that stand out in the passage. Feel free to have multiple readers in different translations (sometimes hearing the way others translate a word/phrase differently can shed more light on the truth the Holy Spirit wants us to hear.)



CONVERSATION QUESTIONS:

- Pastor Brannon talked about the word Jesus used in verse 24 “strive.” When you hear Jesus say this in verse 24, what comes to mind? The greek is Agōnisthe which is defined as *to contend for a prize, struggle* (<https://biblehub.com/greek/75.htm>)
- How does Jesus being the way of salvation change what striving looks like? How does our worship reflect our relationship with Jesus? [Dig into this quote: *Jesus is worthy of worship because of who He bought and how completely He bought them.*]

FINAL THOUGHTS:

*Pastor Brannon brought us the truth: **When it comes to salvation, anyone can be saved, not everyone will be, and Jesus changes everything.***

First Steps (PERSONAL REFLECTION): Proximity to Jesus does not mean affection for Jesus. Take some time to meditate on the verses in Luke 13. Ask the Holy Spirit to examine your heart. Is there anywhere you have loved Christianity more than you have loved Christ? Is there anything you have done to place barriers to salvation in another’s life that Christ has not placed? Repent and worship Jesus for what He has done in your own life and for leading you to be one who makes much of Him every day to everyone.

Next Steps (COMMUNITY GROWTH): The truth that *anyone can be saved* calls us to be good news people in a bad news world. What does this (or should this) look like for your community? What places of darkness/brokenness do you have around you? How can you bring the good news of Christ and Christ alone? *Pray and ask the Holy Spirit to lead you as individuals and as a community.*