



**On The Right Track**

13 January 2019

**Key Passages**

Jeremiah 31:31-33

Ezekiel 36:26-27

Luke 15

Romans 1:14-16

1 Corinthians 15:1-2

2 Corinthians 3:17

2 Peter 1:12; 3:15

Talking through the message during the week helps turn what God is saying into action steps.

**Questions – Talking Points**

Were there any sections of scripture discussed that need more clarification? What stood out? What part(s) did you not understand?

- Why is evangelism such a difficult area for so many of us?

Pastor Mike used Bruxy Cavey's *"The gospel in 1 – 3 – 30 words"*

**1** Jesus

**3** Jesus is Lord

**30** Jesus is God with us,  
come to show us God's love,  
save us from sin,  
set up God's kingdom,  
and shut down religion,  
so we can share in God's life.

- How do you respond to these statements?
- How could this understanding of what the gospel is free us to share our faith more?
- What are some of the barriers for you?
- What practical first steps could you take to start implementing an understanding of the gospel message that will have direct impact not only "in the age to come" but in the "here and now"?
- Who could you invite in on that process to help you discern where the Spirit is leading you?

Mike said that "The ground or the foundation of the gospel is Emmanuel – God with us. God is for us not against us."

- What does this mean for how you live your life?

"The gospel is not just a message that saves people, it is the message that saved people live by."

- What will this mean for you this coming week?

In **1 Peter 3:15** we're told to be prepared to share with others why it is we believe in Jesus.

- How confident are you in sharing why you believe what you believe?
- What steps are you taking to be able to share more confidently?

**Next Steps:**

- Plan on meeting with others to talk about these questions.
- Continue to practice 19 Days of Prayer and plan on being at OCC on 20 January for breakfast.

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