



GAME CHANGER

04/04/2021 "Game Changer"

1. Have you experienced a game changing event in the past year? What was it and how did it impact your life? (If you choose Covid-19, how has it affected you specifically?)
2. In what ways, positive or negative, do you think Christianity has been a historical game changer?
3. Read Acts 1:1-8. What stands out to you from this passage? Why?
4. What expectations did Jesus' followers have? Would you say their expectation is the same or different from the church's expectations today? How?
5. Pastor John mentioned that "restoration is our destination". What does this look like from a biblical perspective? (Consider Isaiah 2:3,4; Revelation 21:3-5)
6. How might the biblical perspective of restoration differ from the expectations within American culture?
7. Why do you think Jesus' resurrection was so important to this message of restoration? What impact do you think it had on Jesus' followers?
8. Jesus' followers were first called followers of "the way". What things characterize the ways of Jesus?
9. Read Proverbs 14:12 and Matthew 16:24-26. A restored life is often impeded by pursuing our on ways, in what areas do you need to better walk in Jesus' ways?
10. Do you live as if the resurrection is a reality? Why or why not?
11. How could living this way have an impact on your life?
12. In what ways will you more fully live with the resurrection and the purpose of restoration at the center of your life?