

03/28/2021 "Jesus' Most Influential Act"

- 1. What has been the hardest thing you've put up with in order to get something in return?
- 2. Can you think of something that gets worse before it gets better?
- 3. What stood out to you most from Sunday's message? Why?
- 4. Read Matthew 16:21-26. Why do you think Jesus' words caused Peter so much angst?
- 5. What meaning does this passage have for our lives today?
- 6. What was meant by the phrase, "The pathway to life is through death"?
- 7. Pastor Matt gave four reasons for why Jesus' death was so influential. Pull up the sermon notes from the message and discuss which one has the biggest influence on you.
- 8. Read Philippians 2:1-5. How do these verses speak to form of "death"?
- 9. In Jesus' death is the perfect rejection of self-exaltation and self-preservation. How does this inform the goal of the Christian's life? What does this look like?
- 10. How does this passage speak to the "Kingdom of Me", my life, my mouth, my money, my time, etc.?
- 11. How do you sense God calling you to respond to this week's message?
- 12. Where do you need to transfer ownership and control of your life over to God?
- 13. What will it look like for you to die to self this week?