



reboot

05/22/2022 Colossians 1:24-2:5

1. What stood out to you from this week's message? Why?
2. Read Colossians 1:24-2:5. Is there anything in this passage that stands out, confuses or helps you?
3. What is Paul's main message in these verses?
4. How does Paul's message reveal God's purposes for those who would be called his followers? What are those purposes?
5. What was the mystery of which Paul spoke in this passage (see v. 27), and why is it so significant?
6. Pastor John mentioned the idea of predestination. What has been your understanding or perception of this term?
7. What contrast did Pastor John give for how this term is typically defined and how Paul uses this concept?
8. In 2:1-5, Paul shares some of his motivations and hopes. What drove him? Why was he willing to struggle and suffer for his readers?
9. How does the reconciliation of Jew and Gentile (basically all of humanity) reflect God's predetermined will?
10. Paul works toward this goal. How can you work toward the goal of reconciling all people into the community of Jesus?
11. How do your actions help bring God's mission into fulfillment?
12. You are called to be part of a community that lays its life down for others, one that does righteousness and justice. How do you see yourself fitting and functioning in that community? What role can you have?