

Week 2:

God's Will & Your Life (Reality 1: God's Work)



Questions

1. What illustration, story or example stood out to you this week?
2. Read Ephesians 5:15-17. Has there been a time in your life when you were not wise and ignored God's voice? What was the result of that decision?
3. Pastor Ron provides some guidance in figuring out God's will (see below). Have you had success in identifying God's will in the past? What did you do that best helped you?
4. Read Romans 12:1-2. In what ways could you say that you have been conformed to the way of the world?
5. Since coming to know Jesus, how has He renewed your mind? Where do you still need renewal to happen?
6. Read 1 Thessalonians 5:16-18. Where do you need to spend more time experiencing God's will- practicing thankfulness, staying faithful in prayer or rejoicing in His mercy and goodness?

Scriptures

Colossians 1:9-10; Ephesians 5:15-17; Romans 12:1-2; 1 Thessalonians 5:16-18; Hebrews 13:20-21

Takeaways

- Nuances of God's Will and My Life:
 - I focus my inquiries around my plans
 - I consult Him most in big decisions
 - I do nothing until I get a clear sign
 - I look for arbitrary signs
- God has a will, and it is always our best option
- How to get better at figuring out God's will:
 - Do not conform to the world's ways
 - Let God transform your mind
- The real key to not conforming is allowing God to transform you.

If you are using the "7 Realities for Experiencing God" workbook you should answer the questions for Reality 1: God's Work.