



WHFC'S SUMMER PLAYLIST

It's Not What You Think June 12, 2022

Read Hebrews 4:12-13

God's Word is powerful. Taken out of context, individual passages may be used to argue almost any position. Sunday's message by Adam used Philippians 4:13 as an example of "it doesn't mean what you think it means" by putting the verse into the context of Philippians 4:11-12. Have you used Bible verses to argue a position you later realized took the verses out of context?

Read Jeremiah 29:10-11

Seventy years is a long time to wait for a promise. Who is "you" in these verses? God's promises are always fulfilled. In this account, not many of the Israelites who heard the original promise lived to see it fulfilled. Does the quote, "If Christ brings us to it, He'll bring us through it or to Him" incite fear or provide a deeper faith that Heaven is our Hope?

Read 1 Samuel 17:1-7, 32-50

We love little-guy-triumphs-over-big-bully stories. We often skim over the hard work, long hours of preparation and practice, and trials and failures before ultimate success. David is the little guy and Goliath is the bully in this account. Is David a bit cocky to accept Goliath's challenge?

Read Romans 12:1-3

Does this passage apply to David? Goliath? What preparation (physical & spiritual) provided David with "sound judgement" about his ability to win against Goliath?

Read Matthew 25:21

How does this verse apply to David? Are there a "few things" in your life God is calling you to be faithful in or "many things" God now trusts you with because of previous faithfulness?

In closing, commit to encourage each other in word and in prayer to be faithful in large and small things and to continually grow in the faith that Heaven is our Hope. Ask God to help each of us faithfully use Scripture to teach, rebuke, correct and train in righteousness (2 Timothy 3:16).

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

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