

Foster City Campus – February 18, 2018



"Is It Worth It? Is It True?"

Matthew 19: 1-19 - Dan Reid

1. Describe a time in your life that felt like, "The Dark Night of the Soul"? How did God bring you through it? What did He teach you along the way?
2. Read verses 2-3. With what we have already learned about John the Baptist, why was this such a dark time for him? What does his question for Jesus reveal?
3. Read verses 4-6. How was Jesus' answer helpful to John? What did Jesus answer further require of John?
4. Read verses 7-15. What did Jesus words to the crowd tell us about John? What did Jesus words say to us as the least in the Kingdom of Heaven?
5. Read verses 16-19. What was Jesus' generation response to John and Jesus? What similarities or differences do you see in our generation's response?
6. How might your community group help carry one another through seasons of doubt? What might be positive and reassuring that can come through a season of doubt?
7. What are some expectations and timelines you may need to let go of to pass through your season of doubt?
8. Read John 6:66-69. How is Peter's answer to Jesus reassurance to us?
9. How do you answer the question, "Lord, to whom shall we go?" What specific beliefs about God and His Son Jesus help keep you from turning away in hard times?

South Campus – February 18, 2018



Matthew 11: 1-19 - Dominic Rivera

1. Why does John ask Jesus the question that he does?
2. What is significant about Jesus' response?
3. In the midst of a busy culture, what practices do you have to notice how God is at work around you?
4. Verse 10 quotes Malachi 3.1 and references Malachi 4.5-6. Reading those passages, what is the role of Elijah as it relates to John and Jesus?
5. Describe someone in your history who has had a similar role as John - helping you better see Jesus.
6. In verses 16-19, Jesus addresses the expectations that the culture had of how the Messiah would act. What expectations do you have of how God should/will act?
7. In thinking about life in general, how are expectations helpful for you? In what ways are expectations harmful for you?