

1) Why is information not enough to become like Christ?

2) How does giving access to your life to others help them see Jesus?

3) Share a time in your OIKOS when you imitated someone. Who was it? What did you do as you imitated that person? Why did you imitate them?

**Readings for this week:**

1 Corinthians 4:10-21

Galatians 5:1-26

Philippians 2:1-18

Acts 5:17-42

- 4) Based on the readings for the week:
- a) Paul writes to the Christians in Corinth and tells them; "Imitate me." Why does he say this? He also says that "the Kingdom of God is not a lot of talk. So what is it (verse 20)?
  - b) As we imitate Christ Paul says our lives will reflect the life of Christ in the fruits of the Spirit; What are they? (name them.) What is the relationship of the Holy Spirit to becoming like Christ?
  - c) In Philippians, Paul describes that being like Christ has a lot to do with our behavior and actions, why? How does this tell others about who we are following?
  - d) In the book of Acts, the apostles are charged by the religious authorities not to teach about Jesus. The claim in verse 29 is that we are to obey God rather than man" and in verse 32 "we are witnesses of these things." How does becoming like Christ cause you to be a witness to what Christ is about? How does obeying God rather than man/humanity cost you in your life?

5) Questions regarding the teaching or the readings? Please submit at least 1 question per person, attach their name to each question please. Remember, there are no stupid questions.

6) Practice the Fruits of the Spirit! Name at least 3 of them for the week. Give examples.