

WHAT GOD REQUIRES- Micah

(Major Messages from Minor Prophets- Part 8)

November 19, 2023

WHAT IS TRUE GOODNESS?

False teachers teach what people want _____
instead of what God wanted _____

Compare the _____ with _____

Check the _____ of the _____

Note where the _____ is headed
and consider heading the other way

WHAT THE LORD REQUIRES: Micah 6:8

Fill-ins: to hear; said. teaching; Scripture; fruit; tree; majority
(Next Sunday is Malachi)

Life Group Questions for the Week of November 19, 2023

1. Looking back at your notes from this Sunday's message, was there anything that particularly caught your attention, challenged, or confused you?
2. Read Mark 10:17,18 (this interchange is also recorded in Luke 18:19 and Matthew 19:17). What is the significance of Jesus responding to the way the man addressed him? What does Jesus mean when he says only God is good? How does this differ from what many people think?
3. What do we learn about false teaching/teachers from the following passages?
2 Timothy 4:3-4; Galatians 1:6-9.
4. Too often people misinterpret God's promises by claiming them without realizing the context they were given in and the conditions in which they can be claimed. Read the verses below and then answer the questions in each of the columns.

<u>Promise</u>	<u>Possible Misinterpretation</u>	<u>Fuller Context/ Condition</u>
Jeremiah 29:11		Jeremiah 29:10-14
Philippians 4:13		Philippians 4:10-12
Matthew 18:20		Matthew 18:15-19

5. What does it mean to "act justly," "love mercy," and "walk humbly"? Which of these are the easiest to do? The most difficult?
6. Humility is a word that is often misunderstood. People confuse it with humiliation and even with low self-esteem. Yet, what we heard this weekend is that humility is a proper view of self, based on how God made us and views us. How do the following verses help us gain an accurate view of ourselves and what it means to be humble? Genesis 1:27; Romans 3:23; John 3:16; Ephesians 2:8-10
7. Can you think of ways a healthy view of humility might be skewed if you left out one of these verses? If so, explain.
8. What is the link here between justice and other-centered humility? Between injustice and self-seeking pride?