



10 Commandments: No Other Gods

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Exodus 20:1-3

Community Group Questions

ICE-BREAKER: What was the most exciting and/or disappointing thing about Christmas during this COVID season?

1. Are the 10 commandments important for Christians today? Why/why not?
2. Why was this first singular commandment so monumental for the Israelites? Make a list of at least 5 implications for the Jewish people from this commandment.
3. What is the draw for people to want to believe that there are many gods to choose from rather than only one?
4. Pluralism teaches that there are equal gods in different belief systems - basically, they are all the same. Would Jesus agree? How can we know what He thought about this?
5. Where did you land on the Plurality Scale BEFORE you came to faith in Jesus? Where are you inclined to land now? Why?
6. Read John 14:6-7 and 1 John 5:9-13. As Christians today, how strongly should we hold to this idea of "one God"?
7. What is one thing God is asking you to start doing, stop doing, or keep doing?
8. How did God use this message to teach, train, challenge, convict, or encourage you?

PRAYER FOCUS - *DEACONS and ELDERS*

VC Bartlett: Pray for our Deacons as they lead our multiple care teams and serve our body faithfully. Pray that those in need would reach out and our Deacons would be given wisdom as to how to best love and serve our people.

VC East: Pray for our deacons and elders as they plan for our congregational meeting and prepare a comprehensive view of 2020 and lay out a vision for VCE in 2021.

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