

SMALL GROUP CURRICULUM

Sermon: "The Preeminence of Christ" (Colossians 1:14-17)

Date: June 14, 2020

Group Discussion Questions

- 1. How did the Holy Spirit speak to you through the sermon and the Bible study this week?
- 2. What does it mean that Christ "is the image of the invisible God," (v. 15)? What does it mean that man is created in God's image (see Genesis 1:27)?
- 3. The invisible God took on flesh in the person of Jesus Christ. What does this tell us about *why* he came? What does this tell us about God's love for us?
- 4. What does it mean that Christ is "the firstborn of all creation," (v. 15)? See Psalm 89:27 and Hebrews 1:2 for more context.
- 5. How would you answer someone who believes that Christ was a created being? How would you use verses 15-17 to argue against this false belief?
- 6. How do things "visible" and things "invisible" affect on another?
- 7. All things were created for him, (v. 16). What does this tell us about the purpose of creation? What does this teach us about your purpose? Your family's purpose? The purpose of our church?

8. Christ

9. holds all things together, (v. 17). What does this teach us about Christ's power to bring order to chaos? To bring people together who were once apart?