
Sermon: **“The Preeminence of Christ” – Part 3 (Colossians 1:21-23)**

Date: **June 28, 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 the word “alienation” mean in verse 21? What does it mean that “we were once alienated”?
3. Explain what we were like before salvation according to verse 21 and other passages that describe our condition before Christ.
4. What does the word “reconcile” mean? How has God reconciled us through Christ? What did Christ have to do to make our reconciliation possible?
5. What does it mean that God will present us *holy* and *blameless* (v. 22)? When will this happen? How does this truth encourage you and bring you hope?
6. What is the condition given in verse 23? How does Paul express confidence in the fulfillment of this condition?
7. What does it mean that perseverance proves our faith? What is God’s role in our perseverance? What does it say about us if we don’t persevere?