

SERMON DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

Speaker: Chris Royalty Sunday: Feb 28, 2021

- 1) Begin your time by briefly praying and asking the Holy Spirit to help you as you discuss and study.
- 2) How does this quote by Charles Spurgeon strike you?

"Every Christian here is either a missionary or an impostor. Recollect that. You either try to spread abroad the kingdom of Christ, or else you do not love him at all. It cannot be that there is a high appreciation of Jesus and a totally silent tongue about him."

- 3) Read John 17:14-26 together.
- 4) What stuck out to you as you read? Was there anything that you didn't understand? Discuss.
- 5) In verse 15, Jesus asks the Father to leave believers in the world, rather than take them out of the world. Why would he pray this?
- 6) Living in the world is tough. In what ways do you struggle to follow God in the midst of living in the world?
- 7) In verse 17, Jesus prays that we would be "sanctified in the truth." As a group, define the word "sanctified." How does being sanctified in the truth work? How does this happen?
- 8) In verses 21-23, Jesus prays that christians would "all be one." What do you think most causes division in the church? What do you think most causes division in your life?
- 9) End your time in prayer. Ask the Holy Spirit to help apply to your life what you've been learning and discussing.