

Thinking Christian

Week 1

BRBC Groups

October 2, 2022

Scripture | Colossians 2:1-15, Matthew 7:24-27

Ice Breaker |

1. Have you ever built something before? Is it something you built from scratch? Or did you buy a kit? What did you learn in the process of building it?

Going Deeper |

1. Is there anything that stood out to you from Sunday's message, or do you have any questions?
2. How do you decide if something is true or not?
3. Read Colossians 2:1-15
4. What is Paul's goal in this passage? Why do you think he has that goal?
5. Is there a difference between information and wisdom and knowledge? If so, what is it?
6. How are wisdom and knowledge found in Christ? What do you think Paul tries to get us to understand in verses 2 and 3?
7. Paul indicates that people will try to deceive the newer believers in Colossae with "fine-sounding arguments" that sound believable and good but are really meant to deceive them and lead them astray. What would protect the Colossians from these lies?
8. What might be some of today's fine-sounding arguments which deceive Christians?
9. What is Paul teaching us about Christ in this passage? Why is it important?
10. What is Paul teaching us about ourselves in this passage? Why is it important?
11. Read Matthew 7:24-27
12. What stands out to you in this story?
13. Imagine yourself in the story as best you can. What would you feel if you were the one who built their house on sand and experienced a storm?
14. How does Jesus say you can build a firm foundation for your life?
15. If you were to describe your Christian beliefs right now, would it be a house that is being built, a house built on a firm foundation, or a house that was hit by a storm and is facing a lot of damage?