

Just like Jesus



Part 2: **Thinking Like Jesus**

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1) If there was ever a time in history when we needed the mind of Christ, it is today!

2) According to 1 Corinthians 2:1-16, the mind of Christ:

- a) Stands in contrast with the _____ of the world
- b) Is given to believers by the _____
- c) Can only be _____ by those with the Spirit
- d) Is something all _____ possess

“Having the mind of Christ means that we look at life from our Savior’s point of view, having his values and desires in mind. It means to think God’s thoughts and not think as the world thinks.”

-Warren Wiersbe

3) How do we grow in the mind of Christ?

- a) We take our thoughts _____
See 2 Corinthians 10:5
Repentance = Metanoia = “A change of _____”
- b) We feed our mind _____
See Romans 12:2, Philippians 4:8
- c) We spend time with Jesus

:: KEY PASSAGE

The natural person does not accept the things of the Spirit of God, for they are folly to him, and he is not able to understand them because they are spiritually discerned. The spiritual person judges all things, but is himself to be judged by no one. “For who has understood the mind of the Lord so as to instruct him?” But we have the mind of Christ.

- 1 Corinthians 2:14-16

:: LIFE APPLICATION

1) What stood out in today's message for you? Why?

2) Think about a time where you changed your mind? What was the situation? What persuaded you to change?

3) When you heard all the specs on how your brain functions what did you think? What is something that fascinates you about the human brain?

4) What do you make of the contrast between the “natural person” and the “spiritual person” that Paul is writing about in 1 Corinthians 2:14,15? How have you seen this to be true in your life before and after you came to trust in Jesus? How do you think a natural person might react to this idea?

5) In what aspects of your thought life do you sense Jesus calling you to develop and grow to be more like him? If you desire transformation, renewal and a “change of thinking” call upon him today.