

SEEING AND BELIEVING NOT MISSING THE POINT

JOHN 20:30-31

Ben Blakey - Compass Bible Church - December 5, 2021

1. Affirm	John 20:30–31 (ESV)
	30 Now Jesus did many other signs in the presence of the disciples, which are
	not written in this book; 31 but these are written so that you may believe that
	Jesus is the Christ, the Son of God, and that by believing you may have life in hi
	name.
2. Fully	
3. Experience	
4. Share	

APPLICATION QUESTIONS

- 1. As we have studied through the Gospel of John, what are some things you have learned about the person of Christ? What are some specific passages that stand out that have helped you learn more about Jesus?
- 2. What have you learned about the nature of real belief in the Gospel of John? What are some of the key differences in the kind of belief that John is desiring in his readers and the supposed "faith" of many today?
- 3. Read John 17:3. Think of a few specific ways that knowing God will bless your life this week. What are some of the things in your life that distract you from this ultimate blessing of knowing him?
- 4. Read John 15:7-11. As we approach the often-busy Christmas season, how will you focus on abiding in Christ? What are some specific aspects of this passage that you want to focus on in the coming weeks?
- 5. Read John 20:30-31. Who are some specific people you would like to share the truth of Jesus with in hopes that they might believe and have life? Commit to praying them for the next few weeks and seek to speak to them about Jesus this Christmas!

RECOMMENDED RESOURCES

Here are some books which may help you dig deeper into what we studied today. While Pastor Ben cannot endorse everything about each book/ author, he does think these books are worth considering and reading.

Piper, John. Seeing and Savoring Jesus Christ. Crossway, 2004.

Hosea 1-5

Stiles, Mack. Evangelism. Crossway, 2014.

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Strobel, Lee. The Case for Christ. Zondervan, 1998.

PRAYER REQUESTS

Pray for more people in the Treasure Valley to believe in Christ and experience life in His name!

Pray that we would have a heart for the lost!

Pray for opportunities to share the gospel this Christmas.

John 16:1-15

Revelation 12

Pray for more people to serve as we prepare to launch a third service in January!

Pray that God will provide a long-term home for CBCTV through the Taking Ground project.

REVIVAL FROM THE BIBLE READING Date O.T. **Psalms** Gospels N.T. 12/6 Daniel 3-4 Psalm 139:1-8 John 13:31-38 Revelation 9:1-12 12/7 Daniel 5-6 Psalm 139:9-16 John 14:1-14 Revelation 9:13-21 12/8 Daniel 7-8 Psalm 139:17-24 John 14:15-31 Revelation 10 12/9 Daniel 9-10 Psalm 140:1-5 John 15:1-17 Revelation 11:1-14 12/10 Daniel 11-12 Psalm 140:6-13 John 15:18-27 Revelation 11:15-19 Psalm 141:1-4