

Life Application Questions

Consider the following sermon-based questions for your individual study or with a group of folks like one of the several Life Groups available at Chilson Hills.

Foundational Scripture:

II Peter 3:8-15a

Featured Scripture Reflection

“Since everything here today might well be gone tomorrow, do you see how essential it is to live a holy life? Daily expect the Day of God, eager for its arrival.”

—II Peter 3:11, The Message

Opening Icebreaker

When you were told, “Wait until your birthday” Or “You can’t open your presents until Christmas Day,” how did that affect your behavior in the in-between time?

Scripture Questions

What is the scripture saying?

- What is the major theme that the Apostle Peter is referring to in this passage?
- How is God’s patience a benefit to people on earth?
- Who is the Apostle Peter writing to in this letter?
- What does the “Day of the Lord” mean to Jewish readers of this letter?

How is your life touched?

- If you were in charge of the world’s clock; would you slow it down or speed it up?
- What does it mean to you to watch and wait for Christ’s return to earth?
- How can Chilson grow in trust to the point to allow honest confessional living?
- If you were in charge of creating, redeeming, or destroying creation which one would you take more time doing?

What is God’s invitation to you?

- Jesus invites you to watch and confess within the circle of Christ’s love. What can you do this week to stay within the circle and increase the Christ-like love in your home and work?

What can you pray for?

Pray that Chilson Hills will choose to be a community of God’s hope, sharing God’s joy, and living within the circle of God’s peace.