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Nov 22, 2020 | God's Will is Good | 1 Thess 4:3; 5:18 & Various | Greg Burgess

Groups & Families Discussion Questions

Follow along with the sermon and use these questions to dive a little deeper with your group, with your families at home or for your own personal reflection.

Sermon Notes: Can you identify the main point, the subpoints and application of today's message?

Conversation Starter

1. What's the most interesting cloud formation you've ever seen, or wild weather event you've been through?

Recap and application questions on the back

Sermon Recap

2. What do you think of this quote from Bruce Waltke?

“As a result of bad logic, of bad theology and of bad exegesis a bad tradition has developed within evangelical circles that we are to discover God’s hidden plan for us through divination.” (Finding the Will of God)

3. What might be some of the bad logic, bad theology and bad exegesis (Bible interpretation) that Waltke is thinking about?
4. What is God’s moral will? Can you give some examples?
5. What is God’s missional will? Can you give some examples?

Application Questions

6. How ought we go about doing “God’s will”? Flesh this out with respect to how believers should go about making significant decisions.
7. As we go about our Christian life, what do we know for sure (and take by faith) that God is doing in us and in the world?