



MOVE

Next Step Sunday

MAIN THING

Main Thing: Our Biggest Spiritual Victories Need To Be In The Future, Not In The Past

SCRIPTURE

Revelation 3:15-17, Hebrews 12:1-2, Acts 2:42-45, Acts 2:38,

ICEBREAKER

What's your favorite movie of all time?

OPENING THOUGHT

The Bible identifies a spiritual state that is basically our default mode- lukewarmness. We are constantly being pulled to it. Without intentional action against it, it is where we will land and where we will stay. The problem isn't that lukewarmness exists in the church. The problem is that many times it is the GOAL of the church. Saved, baptized, but not too crazy. Not too bad, not too good- just enough God so He won't be angry with us while we pursue what is REALLY on our hearts- comfort, wealth, leisure, sports, a bigger house, you name it.

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

1. What was one thing that stood out to you from this weekend's message?
2. Look up "The Profile of the Lukewarm" on google. Go through the list that Francis Chan writes about. Do any of these things describe you? Which ones do you need to guard against the most?
3. (Opinion) Is it possible to be a lukewarm Christian?

LIFE APPLICATION

Without active thought, the spiritual state of lukewarmness is where we will land. It's our default. If you aren't actively working against it, it's where you are right now. Realize that the two spiritual forces of inertia and friction are constantly working against your growth, stopping any momentum you have and halting your growth to keep you in a lukewarm state. It is imperative that we as Christian know this and take active steps to avoid finishing poorly like so many people in the Bible did.

CHALLENGE

From Dave: If you didn't fill out a next step card, do it. Let your church help you take your next step, establish spiritual momentum, and break out of the spiritual state of lukewarmness you may be finding yourself in.