

SERMON DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

The Superiority & Supremacy of Jesus; Colossians 1:15-20

1. Why would people find the statements in this passage so outrageous? What might you say in response to someone who thought these claims ridiculous?
2. Jesus is the image of the invisible God: how would you explain to someone what Christians believe about Jesus and his deity?
3. Jesus is the sustainer: how should this knowledge change the way we view both Jesus and the universe we live in?
4. What are the implications of the centrality and supremacy of Christ for your home and family life? For your work and/ or volunteer life? Or for your church or your life as a citizen?
5. How would you sum up what the poem reveals about Christ? ...in creation(vv.15-17)...in redemption (vv. 18-20)?