Incarnational Christianity

"Giving: God Wants Our Heart!"
Matthew 6:21

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Introduction: Today we will conclude our study on Incarnational Christianity. We've covered a lot of ground & hopefully learned some things.

- 1. We conclude with a focus on giving.
- 2. Far too many people feel organized religion is only concerned with money.
 - Money is a necessity, but we are not focused on your money.
 - We operate on a biblical reality found in Matthew 6:21.
- 3. God wants your heart, because when He has your heart, He has you, including your money!
 - That sounds so simple ... but it isn't.
 - We live in a world where many things compete to be our treasure, to have our heart.
- 4. This morning we'll look to scripture to see what God values.
- 5. When we treasure the things God treasures, we are living incarnationally.
- I. God's Treasure: People
 - A. The Image Of God
 - B. The Blessing Of God
 - C. Relationship With God
 - D. Reconciliation With God
 - E. The Command Of God

- II. Treasuring The Things Of God
 - A. Evaluation
 - B. Training
 - C. Trust

Conclusion: We have now spent 7 weeks focused on living like Jesus.

- 1. That is what Christianity is supposed to be about.
- 2. When we get that, the church is in a position to do what God intended.
- 3. We are the body of Christ.
- 4. Christ has the ability to change lives.
- 5. As we follow in His steps, He does that.
- 6. Will you let Him have your heart?