



Message Reflections

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Now, brothers and sisters, I want to remind you of the gospel I preached to you, which you received and on which you have taken your stand. By this gospel you are saved, if you hold firmly to the word I preached to you. Otherwise, you have believed in vain. For what I received I passed on to you as of first importance: that Christ died for our sins according to the Scriptures, that he was buried, that he was raised on the third day according to the Scriptures,

1 Corinthians 15:1-4

- Why does Paul say the Gospel is "of first importance"?
- What is the Gospel?
- What's one example of a current situation in your life that the Gospel applies to?
- How can you take a step to help the Gospel become more central in your life?

Paul highly emphasizes the Gospel because it affects every part of our lives. While the Gospel secured our forgiveness for sins, Christ's willingness to humble himself and go to the cross is also our example for living. Anything we can do to continually remind ourselves of the Gospel is well worth it!

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