

## **Sermon Notes**

John 15:4-5; Colossians 2:6-10; Hebrews 11, 12:1-2

Circumstantial faith: Faith \_\_\_\_\_ or \_\_\_\_\_ based on the \_\_\_\_\_ of circumstances.

\_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ Jesus as the \_\_\_\_\_ of your faith.

\_\_\_\_\_ your \_\_\_\_\_ against Jesus and who He \_\_\_\_\_ He is.

Remain \_\_\_\_\_ in your faith by \_\_\_\_\_ close to Jesus.

**MY NOTES | OBSERVATIONS | QUESTIONS**

**SAVE THE DATE:**

VBS July 17-21 Evenings 5:30-8pm

## Discussion Guide

1. What is one thing from the message that God used to encourage, challenge, or grow you?
2. How have you seen your faith affected by changing circumstances in your life? Are there any specific instances where your faith wavered or was strengthened based on your circumstances? Share your story.
3. What are some assumptions, misconceptions, or superstitions you see at play in your circle of influence? Why do you think these are so prevalent in our world today? Share your thoughts.
4. What assumptions, misconceptions, or superstitions have you unknowingly embraced in your faith journey? What are they and how do they impact your trust in God? Share your story.
5. Reflecting on the concept of being rooted in Jesus, how connected do you feel to Him on a daily basis? What spiritual disciplines or habits can you adopt to deepen your relationship with Him and draw sustenance from Him?
6. Who do you know that has circumstantial or no faith? What is your best next step to encourage them to move toward a firm faith in Jesus this week? Share so we can pray with you.
7. Take a few minutes to SOAP through one of the passages referenced in the message today. These are found on the top of the notes page. You may want to include verses before/after the passage listed too. Share your insights with the group.

Scripture:

Observations:

Application:

Prayer:

Prayer Requests: