

Westwood Life Groups - A Place to Belong & A Place to Grow

Life Group Leaders & Meeting Times (groups with a * meet at the Westwood building):

***11:45** - David Britton

***1:00**-Bob Deason

1:30 - Terry Boyd & Tim Deason

6:00-Byron Chambers, Tim Jennings **6:00** - *Jimmy Priestley, John Hanson, Ken Beck, Rudie Thomsen, *Mike Garrison, Brad Hillis, *Kelly Hillis

(PLEASE, CALL IN ATTENDANCE TO CHURCH OFFICE)

Westwood Family Day The Greater Voice

Introduction:

- If you're honest, as a spouse and/or a parent today, where did you learn to be a husband/wife, mother/father?
- Most of us would say, for better or worse, we learned from our parents or grandparents.
- Truthfully, there is only one perfect parent, that's God – so why don't we listen to him about life and marriage and parenting and being good children and having godly homes??
- Usually because we have become too accustomed to hearing other voices.

What Voice Are You _____ to?

- We are constantly bombarded with voices each day. Some voice their expectations, others give unsolicited advice and others simply give bad advice.
- With each voice we hear we have a choice to make – listen or ignore.
- **Rev. 12:10; Isaiah 43:1; John 10:27**
- That's the voice of God!
- Jesus tells us in **John 10:27**.
- **Numbers 32:23; John 3:16**
- And the survival of your family depends on which voice you listen to.
- Start now allowing The Greater Voice to dominate your thoughts!
- How? **Phil. 4:8; Matt. 7:24-27; John 17:3**

Is All of this Really _____?

- **1 John 4:4**
- If you are God's child than He lives in you. Not just near you or beside you but **__ YOU!!**
- **Acts 2:38; Ephesians 3:16; 1 Corinthians 6:19**
- **Psalm 37:23-24; John 10:28-30, Eccl. 4:12; Romans 8:1; 31-39 Eccl. 4:12**

Close...

- You can be doing a thousand good things for your family – but the very best thing is listening consistently to the Greater Voice!

Westwood Church of Christ
Sunday Morning
June 4, 2017

Life Group Questions

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1. As we mentioned this morning God, is the only perfect parent. Mention and discuss of few of the character traits of God that make Him a great Father.
2. What are some things that you have personally bought into or done by listening to the "Lesser Voice"? (Numbers 32:23)
3. What does Satan want for every home? Can you think of examples from the Bible where he devastated homes? How did he accomplish such?
4. What are some of the ways we discussed this morning (and any you may add) that can help us remove Satan from our hearts and minds? (Phil. 4:8; Matt. 7:24-27; John 17:3)
5. What message is God sending directly to our heart with 1 John 4:4?
6. What does the "Greater Voice" want for your family? How do you know?
7. Read Acts 2:38; Ephesians 3:16; 1 Corinthians 6:19. What kind of confidence do these verses give to you concerning the statement we made this morning, "Satan cannot take up residence in the heart and mind of a Spirit-filled Christian"?