



ICE BREAKER

- What is your favorite aspect of autumn, or this time of year when it starts to get cooler? What activities do you enjoy?

The Ekklesia Week 4: THIS CHANGES EVERYTHING

Jesus the Priest- He is the Perpetual Priest.

Hebrews 4:14-16: Therefore, since we have a great high priest who has ascended into heaven, Jesus the Son of God, let us hold firmly to the faith we profess. 15 For we do not have a high priest who is unable to empathize with our weaknesses, but we have one who has been tempted in every way, just as we are—yet he did not sin. 16 Let us then approach God's throne of grace with confidence, so that we may receive mercy and find grace to help us in our time of need.

Jesus the King- He is in a place of Authority.

Matthew 28:18: Then Jesus came to them and said, "All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me"

Luke 10:19: Behold, I give you the authority to trample on serpents and scorpions, and over all the power of the enemy and nothing shall by any means hurt you.

Acts 2:32-33: God raised this Jesus from the dead... Therefore, having been exalted to the right hand of God... he poured out this Spirit...

Jesus the prophet- He sends out his people.

Matthew 28:18-19: Therefore go and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, 20 and teaching them to obey everything I have commanded you. And surely I am with you always, to the very end of the age."

Acts 1:8: But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit comes on you; and you will be my witnesses in Jerusalem, and in all Judea and Samaria, and to the ends of the earth



What does this mean for us? Let's see how this changes everything.

Jesus as Priest

There is no physical place that we must visit in order to encounter Jesus Christ.

- What are ways I can live on assignment right where I'm at, and at whatever time, instead of waiting for a "church service?"

Jesus as King

He not only gives us the right to act, but also the ability and capacity to act.

- Am I sensing God's calling to do certain things but I find myself hesitating? If so, why am I delaying?

Jesus as Prophet

If Jesus is in our circle, our picture is getting bigger.

- In what way is God wanting enlarge my "picture" or "circle?"

APPLICATION

- What am I needing from God through Jesus today?
- I need a "This changes everything moment" by surrendering my life to Christ. I need to invite Jesus to be my Lord and Savior.
- I need to realize that God wants to meet with me anytime, anywhere
- I need to accept calling me to it, I can do it and become it
- God wants to expand my worldview and perspective: who can I reach?