



Engage Bible Study Guide

Session 9 | Ephesians 1:15-2:10 | October 26, 2020

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- What's the worst church conflict you've experienced? How might it have been handled differently if Jesus were physically present every step along the way?

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- To what confident hope does Paul refer in 1:18? Is that a hope you share? Why or why not?
- How is God's power made evident in the Church in your experience?
- What does it mean to be "dead in sin" (2:1)
- Do you believe that non-believers are influenced by the Devil and Christians are influenced by the Holy Spirit? Why or why not?
- Paul says that Christians are seated with Christ in the heavenly realm (2:6) What do you think that means?
- If someone asked you, "What does it mean to be saved?" how would you respond?
- If we're all saved by grace and not by our works, why do Christians compare themselves to one another?
- What good works do you think God has planned for you? For your small group? For your church?

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- What wisdom and insight would you pray for?
- Consider how your life would be different if you had no faith, if you didn't believe in God. How would it impact your daily life? Make a list. Then throw the list away and thank God for the gift of faith!