



## January 26, 2020 - Sermon Discussion Questions

### Opening

- Did you grow up going to church? What was your faith background when you were growing up?
- If there was a time when you weren't following Christ (could be now), what was your impression of Christians?

### Discussion

- What do you think are some of the biggest hindrances today.
- If a friend asked you, "Isn't it judgmental for Christians to claim that Jesus is the only way to God?", what would you say?
- Read [Deuteronomy 30:15-18](#) and [John 3:16-18](#). What are these passages saying? How would you describe God's character from these passages?
- G.K. Chesterton wrote, "*Merely having an open mind is nothing. The object of opening the mind, as of opening the mouth, is to shut it again on something solid. Otherwise, it could end up like a city sewer, rejecting nothing.*" How do you respond to this quote? What does it say about being open minded?
- Read [1 Corinthians 15:14-19](#). What does this passage say is the most critical component of our faith? What's at stake if we're right? What's at stake if we're wrong?
- Paul is talking about whether an actual event happened or not. Does that make the Christian faith different from other faith systems? Explain.

### Conclusion

- How could the exclusivity of Jesus be the greatest expression of God's mercy and love?