



Going Deeper Questions
Sober Spirituality
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Sermon Scripture Passage

1 Corinthians 8:1-13

Fun icebreaker question

Share your name, where you call "home," and something you love about yourself.

Discipleship Cycle: Debrief & Interpret

Were you able to participate in the Discipleship Cycle last week? Here's the prompt from last Sunday:

In the sermon, Pastor Brynn talked about a student who gave \$10.13 every week. Even though it seemed like a small gift compared with others, his gift covered the cost of coffee for newcomers every week as they met with the pastors. What is a small gift you can give this week that can have a big impact in someone's life? Perhaps you could buy a cup of coffee or soup for someone in need, pay for someone else's gas at the gas station, or donate a winter coat you no longer need.

Quick Review: What stood out to you from this week's passage?

Looking back at your notes from this week's passage and sermon, was there anything you heard for the first time or that caught your attention, challenged

or confused you?

My Story

From Reverend Warde:

I know this is a little different from your regular format, but I'm offering the questions that were spoken in my sermon. Here they are, in list format:

- How might God be calling you to bring mindfulness and discernment into your relationship with alcohol?
- How might God be calling you to take on the mantle of entertaining angels unaware, through what you serve at parties and more?
- What if God is standing before you, with arms open, ready to receive your harm and shame. Will you trust God to heal you?
- What if every person standing in front of you is worthy of freedom from harm and shame just like you. Will you see them as a beloved child of God for whom Christ died?
- What if the mirror in front of you wishes to show you a beloved child of God for whom Christ died. Will you make eye contact?
- What if God is standing before you, to show you the only love that stands a chance at delivering on its promises. Will you dare to receive it?

Thank you!
