



Deep and Wide: Week 1

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Philippians 3:14



Start Talking:

- What is the most adventurous thing you've ever done? What's the most adventurous thing you want to try?

Start Sharing:

- On Sunday we talked about what it means to go deep. Just as a refresher, will someone summarize what they remember from Sunday's message?
- Who is someone in your life that you would consider "deep?" What is it about them?
- In the past year, what are some ways that you have started to go deep?

Read:

- Paul's example is less academic and more attitude—How would you describe Paul's attitude in the following verses? What would it look like if we shared the same attitude?

*¹²I don't mean to say that I have already achieved these things or that I have already reached perfection. But I press on to possess that perfection for which Christ Jesus first possessed me. ¹³No, dear brothers and sisters, I have not achieved it, but I focus on this one thing: Forgetting the past and looking forward to what lies ahead, ¹⁴I press on to reach the end of the race and receive the heavenly prize for which God, through Christ Jesus, is calling us. *Philippians 3:12-14 NLT**

- Jesus gives a simple, but demanding, reply: Take a look at what Jesus says is the point of the entire law and the prophets (the teachings of the bible) in the following verses. What would look different in our lives if we were characterized by Jesus' 2 commands?

³⁵One of them, an expert in religious law, tried to trap him with this question: ³⁶"Teacher, which is the most important commandment in the law of Moses?" ³⁷Jesus replied, "You must love the Lord your God with all your heart, all your soul, and all your mind." ³⁸This is the first and greatest commandment. ³⁹A second is equally important: 'Love your neighbor as yourself.' ⁴⁰The entire law and all the demands of the prophets are based on these two commandments." *Matthew 22:35-40*

Start Doing:

- Now what? We heard a list of ways to go deep this past Sunday; inviting, giving, praying, saying yes to serving. How do you plan to go deeper this week?

More Scripture:

- Luke 10:25-37; Mark 10:35-45; John 13:1-17

**Don't let the conversation stop. Keep talking it over with others in a GROUP.
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