

Built For This – Jesus is The Lord and Head of The Church

Icebreaker: What is something you hope WON'T change in the year 2024?

Read Together: Ephesians 1:17-23 (NIV), James 3:1 (ESV), Acts 20:28 (ESV) **Discuss:**

- Anytime a leader of a church decides that they are in charge instead of Jesus being the head, they are usurping the authority of Jesus as King.
- What did God say in the verses above?
- What was God speaking to you as you listened to Pastor Jason teach?

Read Together: Colossians 2:18-19 (NIV), Philippians 2:9-11 (ESV) **Discuss:**

- > The Primary objective of the church is to worship and glorify God, not to focus on the growth of the church.
- ➤ What does God say in these verses?
- ➤ What areas of your life are challenged by what you are reading in these scriptures and hearing from the Lord?
- Why would we want to become all that God created us to be?

Read Together: Ephesians 5:23-27 (ESV), Colossians 2:8-10 (ESV) **Discuss:**

- What is God saving in these verses?
- ➤ How is our walk with Jesus similar to the marriage relationship described in this scripture?
- What are some things that you think God would like you to stop doing so that you can start more productive activities?

Pray:

What do you need prayer for? How can you pray for others? Ask God how you can bring Him the most Glory today.