**WAVE CHURCH SD | LOOKING TO HEAVEN**

Colossians 3:1-11 | Aug. 25, 2019

**Philippians 2:9-11 (ESV)** *9Therefore God has highly exalted him and bestowed on him the name that is above every name, 10so that at the name of Jesus every knee should bow, in heaven and on earth and under the earth, 11and every tongue confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father.*

**1 Corinthians 15:51-53 (NLT)** *51But let me reveal to you a wonderful secret. We will not all die, but we will all be transformed! 52It will happen in a moment, in the blink of an eye, when the last trumpet is blown. For when the trumpet sounds, those who have died will be raised to live forever. And we who are living will also be transformed. 53For our dying bodies must be transformed into bodies that will never die; our mortal bodies must be transformed into immortal bodies.*

YOU CANNOT EXPERIENCE THE BEST OF THIS LIFE WITHOUT A VIEW OF HEAVEN

THE PREEMINENCE OF JESUS CHANGES LIFE AS USUAL

**Colossians 3:1-2 (ESV)**  *If then you have been raised with Christ, seek the things that are above, where Christ is, seated at the right hand of God. 2Set your minds on things that are above, not on things that are on earth.*

HEAVEN CHANGES WHERE WE LOOK

AS A NEW CHRISTIAN, YOU LOOK TO JESUS TO TAKE YOU TO HEAVEN.

AS A MATURING CHRISTIAN, YOU LOOK TO HEAVEN BECAUSE THAT IS WHERE JESUS IS.

**Colossians 3:3-4 (ESV)**  *3For you have died, and your life is hidden with Christ in God. 4When Christ who is your life appears, then you also will appear with him in glory.*

YOUR LIFE IS ETERNALLY CONNECTED TO JESUS

* OUR HOME IS WITH JESUS
* WE ARE ETERNAL – MADE FOR MORE
* WHAT IS EXPERIENCED TODAY IS TEMPORARY

LOOKING TO HEAVEN CHANGES MY AFFECTIONS

* What stirs your affections for Jesus Christ?
* What robs your affections for Jesus Christ?

**Colossians 3:5-11 (ESV)** *5Put to death therefore what is earthly in you: sexual immorality, impurity, passion, evil desire, and covetousness, which is idolatry. 6On account of these the wrath of God is coming. 7In these you too once walked, when you were living in them. 8But now you must put them all away: anger, wrath, malice, slander, and obscene talk from your mouth. 9Do not lie to one another, seeing that you have put off the old self with its practices 10and have put on the new self, which is being renewed in knowledge after the image of its creator. 11Here there is not Greek and Jew, circumcised and uncircumcised, barbarian, Scythian, slave, free; but Christ is all, and in all.*

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from Wave!

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LIFE GROUPS | Sign-ups Start Today**

The new school year is upon us, and our next season of Life Groups is starting in just a couple of weeks! If you are new or have not joined a Life Group, please fill out a Life Group Info Card with your availability, and a group leader will be in touch with you. For those already in Life Groups, please connect with your leaders for current meeting day and time.

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Summer is in full swing – although no one has told the weather! Many of us   
will be traveling and can’t make it to church, but you can still keep up with our sermons online! Want to hear a section again, or send it to a friend? Download our sermon podcasts at http://wavechurchsd.com/sermons/

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Children’s Ministry | Serve Teams**

Our church is blessed with children, and our desire is to provide them with a solid, loving foundation of the Gospel – teaching them who Jesus is and why we need Him in our lives. We have exciting Bible-based curriculum to help us do this, but we need teachers! Or if you need a baby fix, please volunteer in the nursery to hold babies and love on our little ones.

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