

Doxa Series
Never Again Out of Place
“The Cross is Enough”
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Opening (reference Doxa meaning)

-7 core Christian beliefs

- **God is one**
- **The Bible is true**
- **The Cross is enough**
- **Mankind is helpless**
- **Jesus is life**
- **Eternity is real**
- **The Church is central**

-(explain tag line: Never Again Out of Place)

Recap (“Is my belief that _____ posturing me in a place of _____ ?”)

-God is One:

The oneness of God reveals that the nature of God is to be for others...TRUST.

-The Bible is True:

God didn't create the Bible for reading; He wrote the Bible to recreate us...SURRENDER.

-The Church is Central:

The Church of Jesus is where the example of Jesus is lived by the people of Jesus...SACRIFICE.

-Eternity is Real:

I am an immortal, eternal being created by God to live and rule and reign with Him forever...HOPE.

-Mankind is Helpless

By grace alone, through faith alone, in Christ alone because I am eternally lost on my own...CONFESSION.

-Genesis 3:8-9

Introduction

-The Cross is Enough

>I am at one with God, rescued from myself, just as if I'm perfect, because Jesus paid it all... _____.

- 1. Atonement: I am at one with God** (friend example)
- 2. Redemption: rescued from myself** (ticket purchased)
- 3. Justification: just as if I'm perfect** (benefactor JC innocence)
- 4. Propitiation: because Jesus paid it all** (picking up check)

-When Jesus died on the cross 2,000 years ago, His death was enough to satisfy the penalty for all my past and future sins, making it possible for me to know God and to be known by Him, to no longer be a slave to my human nature, becoming the undeserving benefactor of all God's promises because Jesus died for me.

-For each word:

1. There is no alternative... (hotel ads knocking airbnb)
2. There is no person too bad...
3. There is no time too late while living...
4. There is no expiration, timeless...

The Cross is Enough (statement slide)

-(story of summer '08 and minor prophets series and Vanessa's response)
...talk too about that was our first altar break through moment...Hosea)

-In the Book of Amos...

- 8 Prophecies
- 3 Sermons
- 5 Visions (where we are going to look tonight)
- 5 Promises

-**Amos 9:1**...we don't want to see God standing by the altar! (parents saying, "Oh don't you make me get up and come over there!")

-**Exodus 37:6-9** (NLT) (the original dab...but it's a two wing dab!)

-**Exodus 37:6-9** (ESV)

-the Hebrew word for cover is the same word for seat...so this "cover" was referred to as: The Mercy Seat

-(explain the prophetic picture here, God is able to stay in a posture of mercy because of the sacrifices being offered at the altar.)

-**Hebrews 10:14**

-The Cross is Enough means...

- **Mosaic system of sacrifice was pointing to Jesus**
- **EVERY sin is hidden in the shadow of the cross**
- **The Cross is the ONLY bridge to God (HRBT...etc.)**
- **The tension of inclusivity and exclusivity**

Band

-Welcome Home Moment **(show slide)**

-I am at one with God, rescued from myself, just as if I'm perfect, because Jesus paid it all...CONFIDENCE.

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