



## BREAKING THE ICE

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What would your “best day ever” look like? What would you do and who would you want with you that day?

What is your “someday” trip you want to take?

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During this last week of our “take it or leave it” series we had the opportunity to hear from our local campus pastors.

1. What have you learned from the last few weeks that you are taking with you for the rest of this year?

This week Pastor Chris Nichols talked about taking Today with us and leaving Someday behind.

Before we were told to “stay home” in March, our lives were filled with things to keep us busy. Some of these things were legitimate and had to be done, but were all of them things that were life enriching or just keeping us busy?

Because of our busy lives filled with activities, we have the tendency to say, “someday I will .....”. We can occupy our lives doing things that keep us busy but not fulfilled.

2. What are some of the “someday” things you keep putting off?

3. What is one memory from the last few months that was life enriching and life giving?

### **Read Psalm 90**

In this passage Moses is talking to God about experiencing life with Him. In verse 12 it says, “Teach us to number our days, that we may gain a heart of wisdom”. Moses knew he would not live forever. Because of that, he wanted God to give him wisdom to use his time on earth wisely.

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If we want to number our days and spend them wisely, we need to learn to pay attention to our priorities. Pastor Chris said, “Don’t let the fleeting urgency of everyday life or someone else’s priorities put the most important things in your life at the bottom of the list”.

4. When you think about how you spend your days, what are some things you need to re-prioritize?

God thank-you for the gift of life. **Read Matthew 22:36-40**

When we read this scripture it’s pretty clear what Jesus says we can do to prioritize our life, love God and love others.

5. How do you love God and others in your life? What makes it difficult to do this? What makes it easy?

6. How do you see loving God and loving others beneficial for living a life with the right priorities?

The other thing we have to pay attention to in order to prioritize our days is quality time. The quantity of time doesn’t always mean quality time. You can spend all day with someone and not connect with them. Take the moments you have to make them meaningful.

When we pay attention to eternity it helps us prioritize our life. God wants to spend eternity with every single one of us and He wants to spend time with us every day.

7. What can you do today to plan quality time with someone you love?

# PRAYER

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God thank-you for the gift of life. Help us not take every day for granted but to live our life to the fullest, prioritizing every day with you in mind. If there are relationships in our lives that need to be reconciled, will you guide us in that process? Help us number our days and give us wisdom to make the right decisions in everything we do. In your name, Amen.

## ACTION STEP

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Write down a typical day of your life. Ask yourself these questions:

- + What “busy things” can I eliminate from my daily routine?
- + How can I spend quality time with those I love?
- + What can I do to keep eternity in mind?
- + How can I love God and others well in my daily life?

Pray and ask God to give you wisdom on how to spend quality time with Him and those you love.