



Sermon Discussion Guide
Week of 10/23/2017

➤ ***Icebreaker***

What is your favorite part of the Fall season?

➤ ***Announcements***

Invite everyone to attend our upcoming
Congregational Meeting on Sunday night,
November 12, 6:00 at the church.

Are you using CCB?

➤ ***Prayer Time***

➤ ***Discussion Questions***

What are some common depictions of Hell? In what ways have you seen Hell portrayed as a joke or something to be mocked?

What do the following verses tell us about what happens to people at the Judgment seat of Christ- Matthew 25:31-34; Revelation 20:11-15; 21:1-4?

What problem is God addressing by creating Hell? According to Romans 3:10-18, who has fallen short of God's perfection? What would happen if God allowed even a small imperfection into heaven? How does this passage about our sin nature put everyone- even the worst people who ever lived- in the same boat?

What is the solution to the sin problem- see Romans 3:23-24; Titus 2:11-14. In what ways do we sometimes underestimate God's holiness and overestimate our righteousness? What accusation could be made against God if He didn't ultimately bring about full and final justice in this world?

Read 2 Thessalonians 1:6-9. How does the promise of ultimate justice and our own vindication keep us from seeking vigilante justice for ourselves? How can this make us radically different people than those who don't know Jesus?

In what way is hell the ultimate monument to human freedom? What do the following verses say about the heartbreak God feels when we reject Him and choose a future without him- Ezekiel 18:23; 1 Timothy 2:3-4; Matthew 23:37; 2 Peter 3:9

> ***Conversational Prayer: Dear God help me...***