

Sermon Notes

October 15, 2017

“Who Are You?”

Galatians 3:26-29

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According to verse 26 how do people become “sons (or daughters) of God”, and how does this compare with popular opinion about who God’s children are?

- How does verse 27 being “baptized into” and “clothed” with Christ amplify your understanding of what Paul means by “faith in Christ Jesus” in verse 26?

A New Testament scholar observes that the three pairs Paul names in verse 28 are “the most far reaching distinctions in ancient society.” What would be contemporary versions of these societal distinctions?

Spend some time reflecting upon:

- That a Christian’s identity “in Christ” as a child of God is more deeply significant than any other way we might define ourselves.
- That what Christians share by virtue of being “in Christ” is more significant than the societal distinctions which can divide us.