



6 Ways to Simplify: Renew Your Mind

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WARM UP

1. What is your favorite hobby?
2. What stood out to you in this week's message?

DIG IN

3. What is "therefore" referring to in Romans 12:1?
4. How does Romans 12:1 define True worship? Why is this so hard in today's complex world?
5. Read Romans 12:2. What does it mean to renew your mind? How does our culture attempt this?
6. How does Romans 12:3-5 explain a better (less self-obsessed) option?

DIGGING DEEPER (EXTRA CREDIT!)

3. Romans 12:1-2 says that we will either be conformed (which happens in relationship to others) or renew our minds (which also happens in relationship). What is the difference between relationships that confirm and renew us?
4. Read Ephesians 4:11-16. Why is our identity/function in Christian community set against the concept of infancy or immaturity? How do other believers help us to grow up?
5. A veteran soldier mentioned that Jason Bourne movies are fake because everything happens as a team in the military. Why are we so drawn to those kinds of movies and what sort of myths do they promote?



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Romans 12:1 *Therefore...*

Romans 11:32

God has “imprisoned” all humanity...

True Worship:

Complex Reality:

Romans 12:2

I _____ without God.

How to _____ your mind

Our culture is so _____.

Goal:

Method:

Problem:

Solution:

Romans 12:3-5

Goal:

Method:

Community Groups

Frontloading Jesus-relationships...

JR Kasper testimony

Veteran soldier

Conform or belong? Depends on your _____.