



What to do right after the service to help “the Word dwell more richly,” within us (Colossians 3:16):

1. Instead of rushing off after the service is over, or talking about the latest news, develop the habit of talking about the sermon with people after church. Start spiritual conversations by asking, “How did the Scripture challenge or speak to you today?” Or “what about God in the message encouraged you?”

2. Encourage someone by sharing things you learned about God from His Word during the sermon. Make note of how your thinking has changed. Don’t let biblical teaching be a one-time event that fades from memory as soon as it is over (James 1:22-25). Choose one or two particular applications to share

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For further Application, Meditation and Conversation on today’s text:

Date: 9/18/2022 – “I AM – you’re not!” (Exodus 3:10-18)

1. What does the holiness of God and fearing Him mean? Why is it so important to start here in worship and how is that the beginning of wisdom (see Proverbs 9:10)?
2. Based on Exodus 3, what kind of relationship did God want with Moses and wants with us? How does that compare to your relationship with God now? How can you pursue a relationship more like this passage? Can you think of a time in your life where God got your attention and moved you out of your comfort zone?
3. Moses had tried and failed in Exodus 2:11-15. What were the promises God made that encouraged Moses to go and be God’s man in 3:7-18? In what ways can you renew your confidence in serving God, knowing that He accompanies those whom He calls?
4. How is the question “who am I” in v. 10 a healthy one? When can it be unhealthy? How might you help yourself or others feeling anxious or inadequate based on 3:11?
5. From the message, what truths about God are indicated by “I Am that I Am” and the name Yahweh? Which of these are most impactful and encouraging to you and why?
6. What do we learn about Jesus in relation to all this in these “I Am” statements?
 - John 6:35
 - John 8:12, 24, 58
 - John 10:9, 11
 - John 11:25
 - John 14:6
 - John 18:6
 - Revelation 1:17-18, 22:13, 16, 20.
7. Our mission isn’t identical to Moses, but who do you sense God sending you to speak His truth? What truths from this passage help you be faithful to speak for the Lord?