

CG notes - Above & Beyond Sunday

Getting started

When you think of the phrase 'going above and beyond' what comes to mind?

Can you think of some examples of where you or others went above and beyond.

What was the impact?

Getting stuck in

Read Colossians 3 v.1-4. Maybe read it from some different translations...

- What strikes you from these verses?
- Which is harder for you; to set your **minds** or set your **hearts** on things above?
- What does the opposite of this look like do you think?
- What does it mean that our lives are '*hidden with Christ in God*'?
- When it comes to handling our finances in times of challenge and crisis what are some of the natural, earth bound approaches to this?

Talk about the 3 keys suggested on Sunday for living in financial freedom,

Think about your thoughts - Control the controllables - Trust the trustworthy

- Which of these have you found harder to do and why?
- What have you learned or are learning about these principles?

Getting personal

- How are you personally thinking about finances during these days?
- Where are you challenged right now?
- Where are you encouraged or excited right now?

- Spend some time praying for one another in this area...
- Spend some time praying for the church in this area...
- Spend some time praying for our wider communities especially over the winter...

