



Discussion Guide for “TBD?” *Ask Better Questions* Week 5

Disagreement is tough - in the church as everywhere else in life. How do we engage people we disagree with - especially when we're so sure we're right? Paul tells the Corinthian church that "right" is the wrong framework. Unless we disagree on a foundation of love, we're headed for disaster. How do we pursue unity above all else?

Scriptures for Further Reading

[Isaiah 40:21-31](#)

[Psalm 147:1-11, 20c](#)

[Mark 1:29-39](#)

[1 Corinthians 9:16-23](#)

Epiphany Question:

During this season, spend time each week in prayer and meditation over a question about your calling. This week, sit with the question **“Where do I need to pursue unity before I disagree?”**

Questions for Discussion

1. What's the silliest fight you've ever been in? How did you feel after it was over?
2. Paul acknowledges the serious issues facing the Corinthian church. But rather than taking sides about who's right and wrong, how does Paul reframe the issue (1 Corinthians 9:16-23)?
3. What does Paul mean when he says he becomes a slave to everyone? How is this a model for the Corinthians in conflict with each other?
4. Why is unity important to pursue before we begin to disagree with each other?
5. What does it look like for you to pursue unity this week?