SUNDAY @ EMMAUS

5.8.22 Gathering #892/Livestream #112 Series: The Good Life Season: Easter Sermon: Work and the Good Life What is your work? Common views of work: An invitation to a better way: "Once you stop to think about it, you can see that not to find your job to be a primary place of discipleship is to automatically exclude a major part, if not most, of your waking hours from life with him. It is to assume to run one of the largest areas of your interest and concern on your own or under the direction and instruction of people other than Jesus. But this is right where most professing Christians are left today..." Dallas Willard, Divine Conspiracy p. 285 Less about the work, more about the worker. "And whatever you do, whether in word or deed, do it all in the name of the Lord Jesus, giving thanks to God the Father through him." - Paul, Colossians 3:17 "In the Name of Jesus" How would _____? More important than you realize Coaching your kid

Tuesday Evenings in May:



The Foundry Youth Center is sponsoring a short series of parenting workshops featuring local experts who are also neck-deep in the parenting journey. Tuesdays in May, 7-8p, at The Foundry.



Simple Skills for Complex Families with <u>Dr. Dustin Bridges</u>, Psychologist and father of three.



Three Mental Health Challenges in a Post-Covid World with <u>Clay Rojas</u>, Director of Training, Pro Youth and Family Collective and father to five.



I Can Hear You Now! Keys to Understanding Your High Schooler with Chuck Whitecotton, Principal, Phoenix High School and father of four.



Smart Phones, Social Media and Mental Health in Teens with <u>Krysta Dancy</u>, licensed therapist and mother of two.



Three Local Pressures Impacting Lincoln Youth with <u>Matt Alves</u>, Public Safety Chief, City of Lincoln and father to six.

June 5: Summer Baptism at the Lesters Home in Roseville email Angela@Emmaus.Church

June 17-19: Emmaus Family Campout at Scott's Flat email Angela@Emmaus.Church

June 19: One Sunday Gathering at 9a on Fathers' Day

Questions for further discussion:

- How would you characterize the relationship between your work and the good life?
- Which aspects of the three common views of work do you resonate with? In what ways do you see these views as good?
- Share your response to the invitation to see your work as the "context of your becoming."
- Reread and discuss Colossians 3:17.
- How have we so often and almost completely - drawn a line around "work" and considered discipleship to Jesus as something we do elsewhere?