

SUNDAY @ EMMAUS

5.15.22 Gathering #893/Livestream #113
Season: Easter Series: The Good Life
Sermon: The Cost of the Good Life

A really great deal...

What's it worth?

A treasure and a pearl (Matthew 13:44-46)

. in his joy

. everything

. great value

Dietrich Bonhoeffer, The Cost of Discipleship. 1937

Dallas Willard, The Divine Conspiracy. 1998

Four Practices (to recognize the value and more-fully embrace the Good Life)

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.

- 5.3  Simple Skills for Complex Families with Dr. Dustin Bridges, Psychologist and father of three.
- 5.10  Three Mental Health Challenges in a Post-Covid World with Clay Rojas, Director of Training, Pro Youth and Family Collective and father to five.
- 5.17  I Can Hear You Now! Keys to Understanding Your High Schooler with Chuck Whitecotton, Principal, Phoenix High School and father of four.
- 5.24  Smart Phones, Social Media and Mental Health in Teens with Krysta Dancy, licensed therapist and mother of two.
- 5.31  Three Local Pressures Impacting Lincoln Youth with Matt Alves, 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 -ALMOST FULL!
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June 19: One Sunday Gathering at 9a on Fathers' Day

Questions for further discussion:

- Share a story about getting a really great deal or an especially bad one!
- Do you have an example of something you find so valuable you're willing to spend an uncommon amount of money/time to get it? What about this do you perceive to be of great worth?
- What would you give for the Good Life (as defined by Jesus)? (Quietly consider this question and offer a response).
- Reread and discuss Matthew 13:44-46.
- Share a comment about Bonhoeffer's and/or Willard's insights.
- Which practices do you find most helpful in recognizing and embracing the Good Life?