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COMMUNITY CHURCH

## Is It Worth It?

### Introduction

Many things have shifted over the last year causing us to change how we live and think. Maybe you've asked yourself, "Is it worth it"? The worth of something is often defined by our perspective. Everyone interprets circumstances through a different lens whether it is COVID, job, relationships and our walk with God is no exception. When there are more questions than answers often times we begin to fall apart. Our focus becomes more on the circumstances and less on God.

### Discussion Questions

1. Share a time you trusted someone but they either weren't trustworthy or you found yourself lost from their directions. How did that experience affect you moving forward?
2. What is your natural reaction when change occurs in your life? Do you (a) embrace it, (b) run from it, (c) ignore it, or (d) fight it? Share why?
3. Shaun shared that, "Our relationship with Christ has to be proactive and not reactive if we want to experience the hope, joy, peace, and purpose God has for us". What's the difference between proactive versus reactive?
4. Read Romans 8:14-17. What do you think it means to be "heirs with God"?
5. What do you gain or experience in verse 16 as heirs with God?
6. How would you live differently if your decisions were led by the Spirit of God instead of your fears and limited resources?

### Moving Forward

1. Look for ways to find joy in life despite fear (Romans 8:28).
2. Consider inviting a neighbor or co-worker with you for Easter services and for something at your house afterward.
3. What would it look like to invest in God's work as a volunteer each week here at Beachside? What's holding you back from shadowing in an environment?