MESSAGE NOTES | MAY 22

[re]construct
a journey of faith

The Pointer

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John 3:22-36

For a time there was an overlap of the ministries of John the Baptist and Jesus. Some saw them as competitors, but John had it right: He points them to Jesus. He reminds them that his role has always been that of a pointer. Are you pointing people to Jesus?

Deconstruct #1: Christians are in _____.

Deconstruct #2: I can _____ all this out.

Deconstruct #3: I'm _____ my way on

the "_____ to heaven."

JESUS! JESUS! JESUS!

"ANYONE who _____ in GOD'S SON has _____

_____!" John 3:36

TAKE **HOME**

1. Join the _____.
2. Trust the ONE who _____.
3. FIX your _____ on JESUS.

DISCOVERY QUESTIONS
FOR FAMILY OR GROUP DISCUSSION

Check-In: Since we last met, how did your "I will..." and sharing go?

1. What are you thankful for? What challenge or stress are you facing? Do you know anyone who needs help at this time? As a group, how can we help?
2. Read **Matthew 25:1-13** together (at least twice), and take turns retelling it in your own words as if sharing with a friend who isn't here.
3. What stands out to you and why? What do these verses tell us about God? What do these verses tell us about humanity/about us?
4. If this is God speaking, how will you apply it to your life? *(Share a specific: "I will...")*
5. Who will you share with before we meet again? *(Name a specific person you plan to **share with**.)*

*If you'd like to learn more about the discovery group process, connect with **marcus@oakwoodnow.org***

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HAPPENING
THROUGH OAKWOOD

FINANCIAL UPDATE
FISCAL YEAR TO DATE
(AUGUST 2021-APRIL 2022)

BUDGET	ACTUAL EXPENSES	GIVING
$1,061,697	$998,999	$939,907