

Common Ground Café

Sermon Discussion Guide

Sunday, September 27, 2020



How to Examine Evidence

Interview with Jim Wallace

Proverbs 9:9

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Get to Know You

What is your favorite detective movie/show?

Study the Book

Read Proverbs 9:9 and Proverbs 18:15

What you heard in the interview and what you'll hear in the next few Sundays during our studies will help you fulfill these verses. Have you ever thought of sharing your faith in those terms? Most of the people we know who aren't believers are nevertheless wise in many ways: they're educated, they try to keep up with current events, they make good life decisions. Sharing your faith is a way for those who are wise to become wiser still.

After listening to the interview, what are some ways you have become wiser in your confidence in Scripture?

What are the two forms of evidence?

What are some examples, and how can we trust each form of evidence?

What would cause eyewitness accounts to be different?

Mr. Wallace talks about believing that Jesus rather than belief in Jesus. What does he mean by this statement?

What are the questions a detective asks to confirm eyewitness testimony? Why are these important?

What role can bias play in believing Scripture?

What question did Mr. Wallace present to determine bias against Christianity? What does this question show?

In your experience sharing your faith, do you think this is a good question to ask?

Group Application and Discussion

What is the relationship between rational examination and faith?

Personal Reflection and Application

What is the top takeaway from the discussion today?