

Kerygma

Intentional Accompaniment
Masterclass | Session 2



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Review of Session 1

- Active listening & empathic listening – seeking to understand what really matters to the person
- Asking good questions and why good questions are important in meaningful conversation
- Listening with the Holy Spirit

Check In on “Homework”

Choose one of the tips for active listening and consciously put it into practice in your conversation with someone this week.

Jesus asks over 300 questions in the Gospels. Find one instance/passage where He asks questions and note what the result of asking those questions was.

How did this go? Any examples to share?

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The Kerygma

- Comes from the Greek meaning "proclamation"
- Proclamation of the Good News of Christ





THOSE WHO HAVE BEEN
RESCUED
GO AND
RESCUE
OTHERS.

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Discussion (Breakout #1)

- What impacted me about this proclamation of the kerygma?
- Think about someone you know who is not Christian or who has left the church. How might this explanation of the kerygma affect them?



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Why is there something rather than nothing?



CAPTURED

Why is everything so obviously messed up?



RESCUED

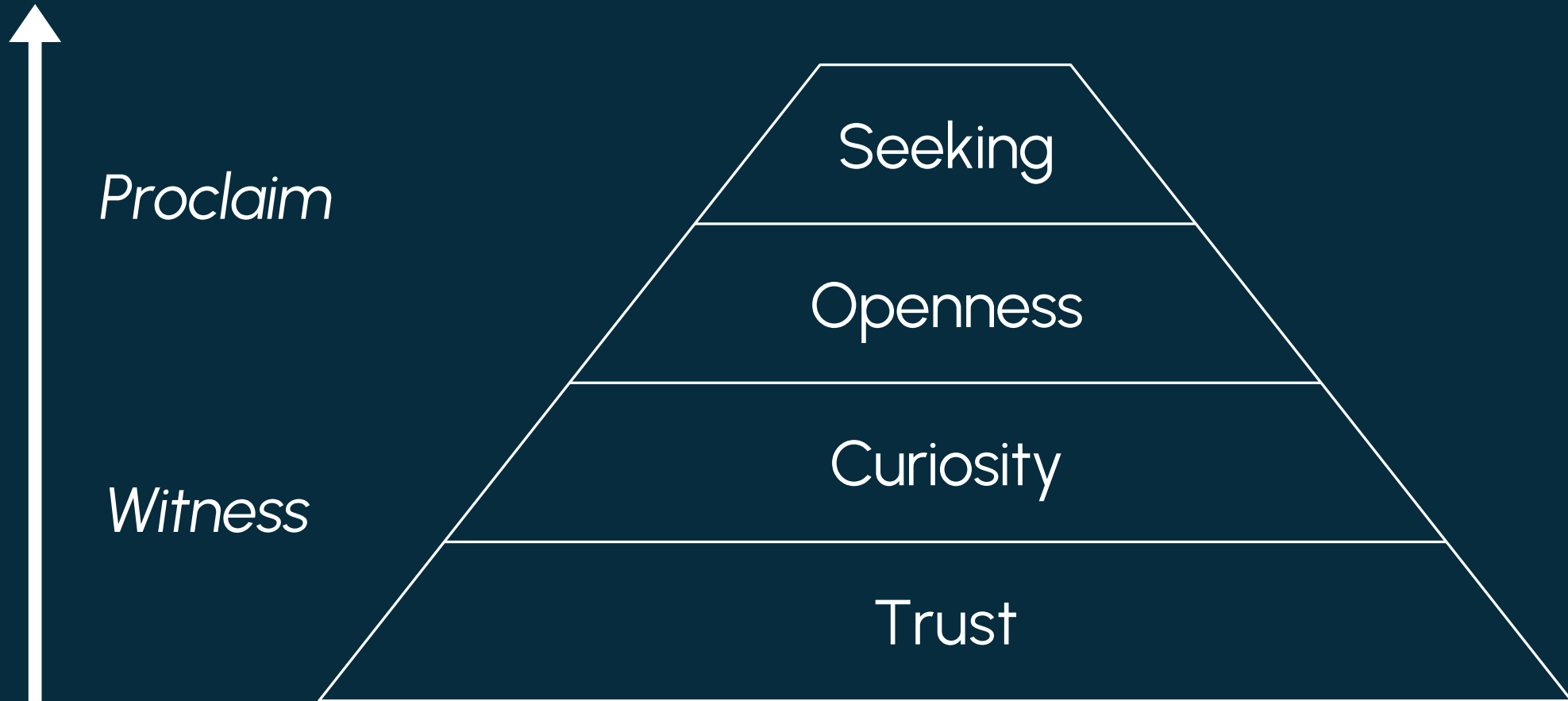
What, if anything, has God done about it?



RESPONSE

If He's done something, how should I respond?

Initial Conversion



Why is proclamation important?

"But how are they to call on one in whom they have not believed? And how are they to believe in one of whom they have never heard? And how are they to hear without someone to proclaim him?"

(Romans 10:14)

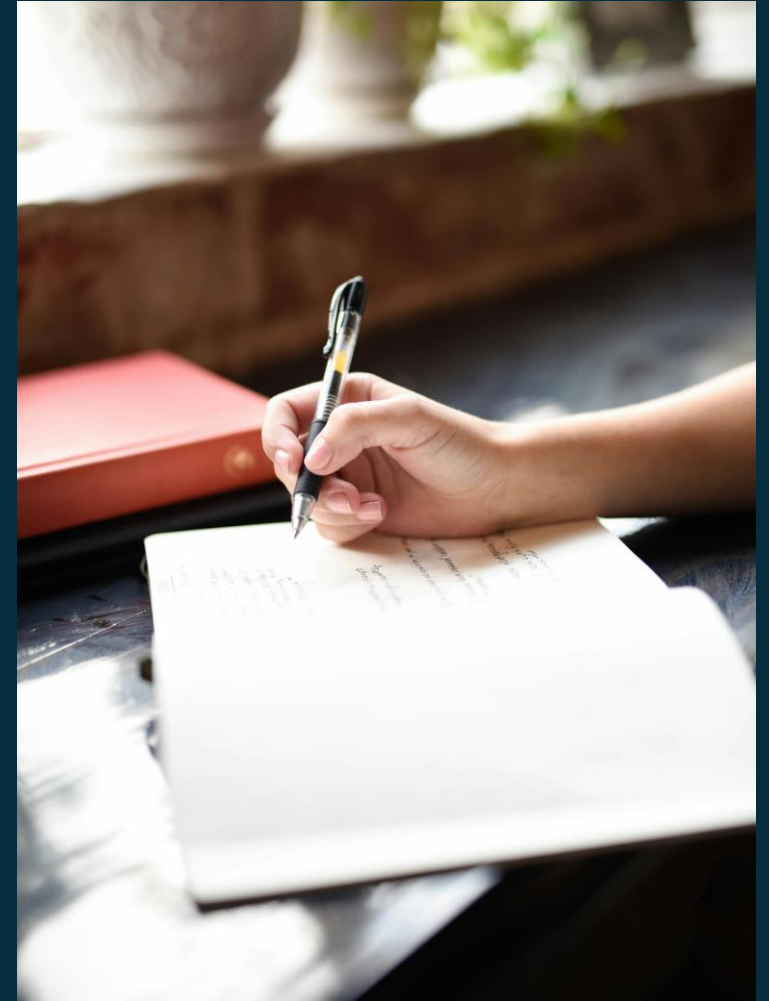
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"Those who preach the kerygma, must preach it as first-hand witnesses, as witnesses who have met Jesus Christ, and who know what he is doing in their life. Kerygmatic preaching is not a technique that can simply be learned by articulate spokesmen, it is **a relationship that must be received, experienced, and thereby announced.**"

(The Jeff Cavins Show Podcast)

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the *ultimate*
RELATIONSHIP



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Application This Week

- Reflect on times or conversations where you could have shared the Gospel.
- Go to Mass with the lens of the kerygma. Pay attention to where the kerygma is within the liturgy.
- Where in the parish do you see the kerygma being proclaimed or lived out?

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