

July 4, 2021 – “Faith of the Founding Fathers”

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Sermon Small Group Questions

1. Mark started off his 3-part sermon with quoting many of the Founding Father’s original statements. Did this change your viewpoint on the beginnings of the country or were you already familiar with these statements and beliefs?
2. Mark ended the first part quoting President Ronald Reagan when he said that the Bible was the biggest influence in shaping America into the Nation it had become. What value do you put on God’s Word in your life and family? How does this compare to the world’s value of God’s Word today?
3. In the second part of the sermon Mark speaks on the current situation of our country. He highlights the first 2 verses of Proverbs 3 as a reason why our country is in the state it is in. In your life and family how do you feel you are doing in remembering God’s teaching and keeping His commands in your heart?
4. Part 2 of the sermon ended with the example of how the Bible says we are all made in the image of God. How do you feel you are doing in terms of treating and caring for people (even people you don’t like or disagree with) as people made in the image of God?
5. Part 3 opens with the answer to bringing our families and country back to God being found in Proverbs 3:5-6. What has been your previous thoughts on this very famous passage in the Bible?
6. Are you an example of trusting in God’s Word with all you do within your family?
7. Would your family say you look for God’s understanding or that you lean on your own?
8. Are you leading (or living in) your family in a way that acknowledges God in everything you do?