

# SERMON NOTES

October 14, 2012

## CHAIN REACTION 3

### AM I SIGNIFICANT?

*“Purpose provides the activation of energy for living.”*

**Ecclesiastes 2:10** *I denied myself nothing my eyes desired; I refused my heart no pleasure.*

**11** *Yet when I surveyed all that my hands had done and what I had toiled to achieve, everything was meaningless, a chasing after the wind; nothing was gained under the sun.*

### A MEANINGFUL CHAIN REACTION...

Scripture teaches that...

#### ❶ your value is determined by the person you

**Romans 12:1-2** *2 Do not conform to the pattern of this world, but be transformed by the renewing of your mind. Then you will be able to test and approve what God’s will is – his good, pleasing and perfect will.*

#### ❷ meaning comes from what you \_\_\_\_\_

#### ❸ the Master of the universe made you unbelievably \_\_\_\_\_

**Ephesians 2:8-10** *For it is by grace you have been saved, through faith – and this is not from yourselves, it is the gift of God – 9 not by works, so that no one can boast. 10 For we are God’s handiwork, created in Christ Jesus to do good works, which God has prepared in advance for us to do.*

### FIGURING OUT GOD’S PLAN FOR MY LIFE

- ❶ D \_\_\_\_\_ your gift
- ❷ D \_\_\_\_\_ your gift
- ❸ D \_\_\_\_\_ your gift

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## Three Guiding Principles

### HI 5

It is our goal to greet everyone who visits us at least 5 times as they enter and 5 times as they leave.

### 50/50

In all our ministries we endeavor to think about the people who have not yet become followers of Jesus Christ.

50/50 is meant to communicate that we will always strive to connect to Pre-Christians as well as Christians.

### Belong. Believe. Behave.

We always want to keep in mind that people need to feel a sense that they belong no matter what their background or past experience.

To us, Belonging comes before Believing and Behaving.