

Message Track Discussion Guide
for message preached on May 30, 2010
“God of the Living” – Mark 12:18-27

Big Idea: Let the reality of your future resurrection encourage you.

Ice Breaker:

- What are your perceptions of heaven? What immediately comes to mind when the word, “heaven”, is mentioned?
- What did the Saducees believe about the resurrection? How does a knowledge of their beliefs give us insight into their questioning of Jesus?

Discussion Questions:

- What guides the doctrine of FBC Summit? Why is this important?
- What should guide the selection of a potential church home?
- What is one reason we don’t understand what God is doing in our current situation? (Ans. – We have not read what God did in the past.)
- How does Exodus 3:6 connect with the message?
- How does Hebrews 11:10 and following connect with the message?
- How are we to understand what the Bible says about the fact that there is no marriage in heaven? How does 1 Corinthians 13:12 inform the answer to the question? How does the transfiguration in Mark 9:2-13 inform the answer to the question?
- What is the significance of Mark 12:27?

Application:

- How can an awareness of heaven affect your daily living? As you have your quiet time this week, set aside a few moments to ponder heaven. Let those thoughts invade the way you live each day.