

June 21- Children & Youth Sunday - Small group questions:

1. From Ephesians 2:1-10: discuss what it might mean to be “raised up with Christ and seated with him in the heavenly realms” when we know that we are not ‘in heaven’ right now.
2. The whole of Ephesians is written to a community – a church – not an individual. How can we interpret 2:10 corporately – i.e. as a church “created in Christ Jesus to do good works”?
3. What might it mean to be God’s workmanship or handiwork or ‘masterpiece’ as the children sang on Sunday (Eph.2:10) in relationship to the rest of creation?
4. The author of Ephesians contrasts being ‘dead in our sins’ and ‘being made alive in Christ’. Discuss what ‘dead’ and ‘alive’ might mean in this context. How is it that through Christ, we become truly alive?