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1 John 2

False Claims

1. We can have fellowship with God regardless of our actions (1:5-6)
2. We are not really sinners (1:8-10)
3. We can know God without _____ (2:4-5)
4. We can know God without _____ (2:9)

Spiritual Growth (2:12-14)

1. Little Children: _____
2. Fathers: _____
3. Young Men: _____

False Teaching (2:15-23)

1. The World Desires The _____; God Is _____
2. _____ Are False Teachers
3. You Cannot Have God the Father Without _____

Abiding In Christ (2:24-29)

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Sermon Talks

1. What caught your attention in this week's message? Was there something you had never heard before or something you had a question about?
2. In a world where the access to knowledge is so great, why is it important to *own* a knowledge of God?
3. Reflect on the stages of spiritual growth John mentions (children, fathers, young men). Which stage do you identify with and why? What can you learn from the other stages?
4. How can you guard against the temptations of the world in your daily life?
5. Why do you think false teachers are so appealing?
6. What role does the Holy Spirit play in your daily walk with Christ?
7. How does 1 John 2 challenge you to evaluate your spiritual maturity and your love for God and others? What practical steps can you take to grow in these areas?

Pray about it: Meditate on God's Word (1 John 2) and this week's message.

Adoration: What can I praise God for in light of what this teaches me?

Confession: What sin can I confess because of what this teaches me?

Thanksgiving: What can I thank God for in light of what he has done?

Supplication: What do I need to ask of God in order to grow in light of this?