

LifeGroup Questions for the week of January 28, 2018
The Folly of Idolatry – Isaiah 44:6-23 – Pastor Jon Gilmore

1. Do any of the following scriptures shed further light on the danger of idolatry?

If so, in what way?

Deuteronomy 7:25

Judges 10:10-16

Psalms 14:1-3

Psalms 115:1-8

Psalms 135:15-18

Jeremiah 16:19-21

Zachariah 10:2

Acts 17:29-31

1 Corinthians 8:4-6

Galatians 4:8-9

Ephesians 5:5

Colossians 2:16-18

2. What are the similarities/distinctions between Commandments #1 and #2 in Exodus 20:3-4? Do you agree or disagree that we are always worshipping something or someone? Why or why not? When does the use of a good thing created by God cross over into idolatry?

3. Music was specifically mentioned as an example among many other modern-day idols. What are some other “things” created by God that end up becoming objects of our worship?

4. What can we do to keep potential idols in their proper place? What are the warning signs that our handiwork is getting more credit than it's worth?

5. The blind need a guide. How do God's revealed Word and the godly counsel of fellow believers “guide” us toward the Truth and help us “think it through” when we are blinded by a particular idol in our lives?

6. In Isaiah 44:21-22, what did God initiate and what did the people initiate? What do these observations teach us about God's plan for salvation?