# COLOSSIANS

#### **TALKING POINTS**

Three Essentials

"The meat of the Word isn't knowledge. It isn't information. It's application. I would rather know 4 or 5 basic Truths of the Bible and really live those out than to know 1000s of things and apply nothing." -Pastor Dan

### Leaning In and Living It Out

#### **Read Colossians 3:15-17**

Paul tells us in this passage there are three essentials to a dynamic spiritual life. Discuss.

Paul says let the peace which comes from Christ rule our hearts. How do you let peace rule your heart? Discuss.

Paul say as Christians, we're called to live in peace as members of one body. Why is this so essential?

Paul tells us to let the word of Christ dwell in us richly. What does this mean and how do you do it? Discuss.

Pastor Dan says, "we need to abandon our identity and take on Jesus' identity". What are the characteristics of Jesus' identity? Discuss.

Paul mentions the word thankfulness twice in this one passage of scripture. Why is this essential?

## Dig Deeper (Optional)

What does the Hebrew word shekhinah mean and how does it tie into this passage? Discuss.

Teaching and admonition are both referred to in this passage - what is the difference between the two? Discuss.

