



From Bad to Worse

The philosophy of our world says man is basically good and God is always benevolent.

What does Romans 2:1-16 tell us?

1) Only One judge qualifies (vv. 1-3)

The lie: "I'm better than most."

2) Kindness means God's patience (vv. 4-6)

The lie: "Kindness means God's approval."

3) God shows no favoritism (vv. 7-11)

The lie: "All good people go to heaven."

4) Everyone has the law (vv. 12-15)

The lie: "God ultimately lets everyone off the hook."

"This will take place on the day when God judges people's secrets through Jesus Christ, as my gospel declares." (v.16)

Store Up = wrath (Revelation 20:11-15)

Store Up = rewards (1 Corinthians 3:10-15)

Reflective Questions:

1) What characteristic of God do you appreciate? What do you think of when God's holiness is mentioned?

2) What do you learn about God's judgment in this chapter? Why is God withholding judgment right now? What is He storing up? Why?

3) What lies are you vulnerable to believe? What truth is taught in

Romans 2:1-16 that you believe? Why? What does it make you want to do?

Candidate for our High School Position

Andrew White will be introducing himself to our students, volunteers and parents tonight at 6:30pm in the Youth Room. If you are interested in meeting him, everyone is welcome. He will be sharing a teaching from God's Word also. Please pray for God's direction for us & for Andrew.