

LIFEGROUPS

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Sermon-based Discussion Questions¹

“Reconciled” from 10/20/19

Ephesians 2:11-18 and Genesis 32-33

SPOILER ALERT: *You may not want to read these until
AFTER you have heard the sermon.*

1. What stood out to you most from Bill Haas’s message? Genesis 32-33 tells a story about Jacob’s reconciliation with his brother, Esau. What lessons can we learn from their story?
2. What usually comes to your mind when you hear the word “reconciled?” How about the phrase “racial reconciliation?” What kinds of things contribute to ongoing racism in our society?
3. Read Ephesians 2:11-18. What does this passage reveal about how Jesus brings peace between different people groups? How does peace with God empower us to make reconciliation with others?
4. How does “Becoming fully devoted followers of Jesus together” relate to racial reconciliation? Do you know of any examples of Christ-followers who are models for racial reconciliation?
5. What is one step that you could take toward reconciliation. Toward racial reconciliation? How can our Life Group help or encourage you to pursue reconciliation?

¹ Sermon archive available at <https://efcbemidji.org/watch-read/sermons/sermon-list/>
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