

**Dear Church**  
**Preach Christ Crucified**  
1 Corinthians 1:18-31  
Youth Pastor, Austin Weece  
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**MESSAGE NOTES**

1 Cor. 1:18-25

Worldly Wisdom vs. Godly Wisdom

Paul's Priority

Nothing UNIFIES like the cross.

2 Groups of People:

What happens when we preach Christ Crucified?

1. We REMEMBER. (1:26)

2. We ARE HUMBLED. (1:27-29)

3. God IS GLORIFIED. (1:30-31)

## **DISCUSSION QUESTIONS**

1. Read through Acts 18 to see how the church in Corinth started. What do you notice about Paul's interaction with the people of Corinth?
2. Paul makes a big contrast of Worldly Wisdom and Godly Wisdom in 1 Corinthians 1:18-25. How have you seen the wisdom of God seem foolish to the world around you?
3. Nothing Unifies like the Cross! Look up Ephesians 2:11-22, Colossians 3:11, and Galatians 3:26-28. What do these verses teach us about the unity we have in the cross?
4. When is the last time you reflected back on the goodness of God in your life and what he has brought you through? Take some intentional time this week to reflect on his goodness.
5. Paul removes any grounds for boasting in self-sufficiency. How are you naturally inclined to boast in your own efforts?
6. How can you remember all you have in Christ and boast in Him this week?