

V. Conclusion

2 Corinthians 2:14-17

Course outline

The Story of Work

Week 1: A Biblical Theology of Work

Week 2: The Problem with Work

Our Work as the Redeemed

Week 3: A New Boss: How Jesus' Work Changes Our Work

Week 4: A New Goal: Success is Faithfulness

How We Work

Week 5: Motivation: Faithfulness Changes Why We Work

Week 6: Relationships: Imaging Christ in the Workplace

Week 7: Balance: Christians Are *Not* Balanced People

Week 8: Gender: Being Who You Are in the Workplace

Week 9: Ethics: Case Studies for the Modern Workplace

Week 10: Finding a Job: Putting First Things First

Week 11: Evangelism: Sharing Christ with Your Colleagues

Week 12: Work at different stages of life

Week 13: Panel Q&A

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Suggested resources:

- *The Gospel at Work* (Traeger, Gilbert)
- *God at Work* (Veith)
- *The Call* (Guinness)

Core Seminars – Engaging the World
Christians in the Workplace
Week 11



Evangelism: Sharing Christ with Your Colleagues

I. Introduction

“If anyone is in Christ, the new creation has come: The old has gone, the new is here! . . . And [God] has committed to us the message of reconciliation. We are therefore Christ’s ambassadors, as though God were making his appeal through us.” – 2 Cor. 5:17, 19-20

II. Defining Our Terms

Evangelism: Calling the lost to repentance from their sins and placing their faith in Jesus Christ

Evangelism is *not*

- An imposition
- A personal testimony
- Good deeds
- Apologetics

The Gospel: God, People, Christ, Response.

III. Evangelism Barriers

1. Fear of man

Losing our reputations

Losing our jobs

Matthew 10:16

2. Time and attention

3. Uncertainty about propriety

4. Ill-prepared

5. No non-Christian *friends* at work

6. It's discouraging

IV. Habits of a Workplace Evangelist

Privately

1. Pray

2. Know the gospel

3. Adopt the right metrics

4. Cultivate humility

Publicly

1. Put Christ on the table

Ask good questions

Get to know your boss/direct reports

Get to know them outside of work

2. Be excellent at what you do

3. Build relationships lovingly

4. Be wise & winsome, not worried & wimpy

5. Have a "mission-field" mindset