

United Church of Marco Island

John's Letters Fall 2019 Bible Study

Study # 6: Tuesday, November 5th @10AM

I John 3: 11-24 “Blessed Assurance”

Discussion Questions:

1. Why is our love for fellow Christians so basic to our assurance of Christian life? (v. 11-15)
2. Explain verses 14 and 15.
3. What is the test of genuine love (v.16-18)?
4. Why is Christ's death on the cross the supreme example of love (v.16)?
5. What do verses 17 and 18 teach us about following Christ's example?
6. How can John's assurances in verses 19-20 help us deal with times of doubt?
7. Why would our obedience of God's commands affect our confidence in prayer (v. 21-22)?
8. Why do you think John reduces the commandments to a single commandment to be obeyed (v. 23)?
9. Both outwardly and inwardly, how can we know Christ lives in us (v.24)?
10. If you lack assurance in your identity as a Christian, what could/would you do to be assured?

Up north? No problem. You can call and participate: Dial 1-866-866-2244 Access code: 5218829