

Text: Colossians 1.15-20

Title: There is None Greater!

Big Idea: An encounter with the Lord of the Universe moves one to awe, adoration and action!

“An intelligent appreciation of the doctrine of Christ is the best safeguard against most forms of heretical teaching.” – **F.F. Bruce**

5 Questions Answered by Colossians 1.15-20

- What qualifies Jesus as Lord of creation?
- What’s the purpose of creation?
- What qualifies Jesus as Lord of the new creation project?
- What’s the purpose of the new creation project?
- What acts bring the new creation project into being?

(1) Jesus is _____ over creation because He is the _____ (vv. 15-16)!

See John 14.9; Hebrews 1.3; John 1.18; 2 Cor. 3.18

(2) The _____ of creation is to _____ Jesus (v. 16)!

See Ephesians 2.10

(3) Jesus _____ creation toward His perfect _____ (v. 17)!

(4) Jesus is Lord over His _____ creation work because of the _____ (v. 18)!

See Matthew 28.18; Romans 1.4; Acts 2.36

(5) Jesus is able to _____ the effects of the _____ because He is God (vv. 19-20)!

See John 1.14; Colossians 2.9

(6) God’s new creation work through Jesus is for His _____ (vv. 19-20)!

Awe –

Adoration –

Action –