



CROSS VIEW

Youth Ministry

A Journey to the Center of our Faith

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Today marks the beginning of a new class, a fresh commitment to growing in our spiritual life. It is a commitment we share. The leadership of Cross View Youth Ministry believes that spiritual growth is at the center of our ministry.

The title of this new journey of faith is called **DEEPER**. The title comes from the prayer of St. Paul for the

Christians at Philippi. We find these words:

And this is my prayer: that your love may abound more and more in knowledge and depth of insight, so that you may be able to discern what is best and may be pure and blameless until the day of Christ, Phil. 1:9-10

In this world so much of life is only on the surface. We deal with only what we can see, or what

we let others see.

Even our conversation lacks any real depth. “Hi, how are you?” “fine, and you?” “great!” “Wow has it been cold out. I can’t wait until summer.”

Now that was deep!

Key Bible Verses from today’s study

- Job 11:7-9
- Psalm 42:7
- Mark 8:12
- Luke 6:48
- John 4:11
- 1 Cor. 2:10
- 1 Thess. 1:5
- 1 Peter 1:22

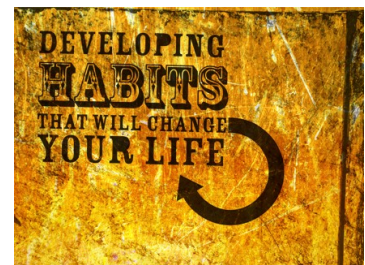


Coming November 4

Starting Wednesday November 4th plan to join us at Wednesday Night Live for a 6 week series entitled “Developing Spiritual Habits.” If you

have not yet joined us for Wednesday Night Live, now is your chance to clear your calendar and make your plans. Come double hungry—because we

will double feed you. We have food like pizza, snacks to fill your stomach and we have lively discussion and study to fill your head and heart.



Deeper Lyrics... Songs we used this week.

Deeper Still - Scott Krippayne

Here I am in this familiar place again
 Standing on the shore of my complacency
 Ankle deep in love I once was swimming in
 Shallowness has taken over me

But the current pulls the sand
 And moves my stubborn feet
 From the dryness of the land
 To where the wave pound over me

CHORUS:

Take me deep enough where I can see
 The bottom of Your heart
 Deep enough that I can know Your will
 Deep enough to know that we
 Will never be apart
 And when I get there Take me deeper still

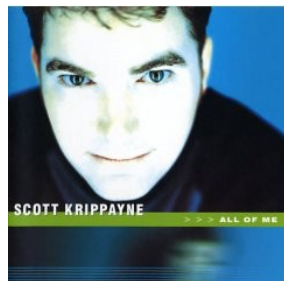
Take me through the wonders of Your faithful-
 ness

Help me see the depth of my own need
 Lead me to the water where Your mercy is
 For You and You alone can set me free

I am covered by Your grace surrounded
 Far away from shore
 As/and You're taking me to places
 I have never been before

CHORUS

I want to drown in the water
 I want to drown in Your
 truth
 Take me all the way under
 Where I have to trust in
 You
 CHORUS



**B.Y.O.B.
 Bring Your Own Bible**

Deeper Still - Bebo Norman

She turned her head as if to hide, there was
 just nowhere to go

'Cause standing tall on every side, the
 mighty fear of letting go

She said, my God I'm so ashamed, thirty
 years a tragedy

I still believed that he could change, but he
 pulled me down like gravity

He broke my will, but it's deeper still, deeper
 still

She told me morning was the time, when the
 sun burned bright and clean

And love grew fragile on the vine, all
 wrapped up in gold and green

'Cause after all we know we all are after all
 the same things

But for the sun no rain would fall, and it
 burned him up and turned him mean

This fire that kills me, it's deeper still,
 deeper still

Tonight I rose up with the moon, and look-
 ing down from high above

I saw a world carved and confused into val-
 leys deep in need of love

And falling down all thick with grace,
 Heaven's cloud of mystery

Was filling every empty space, down to the
 depth of human need

This love that heals, it's deeper still
 (love that heals me, love that heals me, love
 that's deeper still)

(love that heals me,
 love that heals me, love
 that's deeper still)

This love that heals
 me, it's deeper still, it's
 deeper still

