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Week 6 • 20 Nov • Value of Life

God has breathed life into his creation. It is a gift that since the fall has been corrupted by sin and death.

1. On Sunday, we talked about some really big topics; abortion and euthanasia.
 - a. What reflections have you had about this message?
 - b. How do you feel when someone talks about either of these topics?
2. Have a look at 1 Corinthians 6:19-20.
 - a. What jumps out at you in this verse?
 - b. How about the people you know who aren't followers of Jesus? What might jump out to them and why?
 - c. What is a personal application for you out of this passage?
3. Jerram talked about how the perspective of eternity shapes how we see pain and suffering (see 2 Cor 4:16-17).
 - a. When you have experienced suffering, what has been the most helpful things other people have done for you?



- b. How can we be people who help one another maintain an eternal perspective on suffering?
4. Jerram gave quite a few potential responses to a suffering world. Which one did you feel challenged about engaging in?
- a. Loving and honouring Mothers
 - b. Loving and honouring Fathers
 - c. Fostering children that need a safe home
 - d. Mourning miscarriage
 - e. Holding the elderly in higher regard
 - f. Offering hope and comfort to those facing death
 - g. Surrendering authority over our bodies to God

Further Resources:

Websites	Books
<p>https://www.voiceforlife.org.nz/</p> <p>“Life in the Balance”</p> <p>https://app.rightnowmedia.org/en/content/details/517</p> <p><i>This is a series of video testimonies of christian people struggling with the issues that they face and how God has lead them.</i></p>	<p>On Death - Timothy Keller</p> <p>Assisted Suicide - Vaughan Roberts</p> <p>When Breath Becomes Air - Dr Paul Kalanithi</p>