

Home Group Questions - October 14, 2018 from Michael Womble

- 1.** What kind of shampoo do you use? Have you ever used the 2-in-1 Shampoo and Conditioner? What about the 3-in-1 Shampoo/Conditioner/Body Wash?

- 2.** When I (Michael) try to explain the nature of God to students in the youth group, I usually use 3-in-1 shampoo as an analogy. Similar to 3-in-1 shampoo, God has three distinct personalities that serve three distinct roles and purposes, yet they exist as one (in the same bottle).
Is this analogy helpful to you? Have you ever heard any other helpful analogies to explain the Trinity?

- 3.** Some people find it frustrating to try to wrap their mind around the existence of God as three persons in one. In your life, have you found it more frustrating or intriguing to think about? Why?

- 4.** Read the following passages with your group. All of these passages give us insight into the Trinity Godhead. As you read, pay attention to what kinds of things each of the three persons is doing (i.e. What role do they play?):
 - Matthew 3:16
 - Matthew 28:18-19
 - John 20:21-22
 - 2 Corinthians 13:14
 - 1 Peter 1:2
 - 1 John 4:13-14

What questions or comments do these verses bring to mind?

- 5.** We don't want to get too ahead ourselves in the series, but if you had to describe in one or two sentences what each of the three persons in the Trinity does (i.e. What is their role?), what would you say? Can you think of any scriptures to back up your point?

- 6.** When you pray, which of the three persons are you typically thinking about? Why?

- 7.** Which of the three persons do you tend to neglect the most in your own personal relationship with God?

- 8.** Pray with your group, thanking God for each of his three unique personalities and what they do for us.