

HANDS & HEARTS

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Questions for Discussion

1. What is in your hand? That is, what do you spend most of your days doing? What do you "hold" as most important to the way you spend most days?
2. Read **Matthew 6:21**. What does this mean to you? What does this tell us about the way that what we "treasure" shapes us?
3. In the sermon we learned, "*Christian vocation is about connecting our hearts to our hands*" What does it mean for you to connect your heart to your hand? What is one example of how your hands have shaped your heart to follow Christ more?
4. In the sermon, Tod said, "Christian Vocation is *not something you find in the world*, but something that is formed in you. What is your response to that idea?
5. Tod spoke of Listening, Love of neighbor and Loss as necessary practices for hearing and responding to the call of God. Which is the most natural for you? Which is most difficult? What is one action step that you could take that would help you better listen to God, love your neighbor and trust God with the losses that come when we follow Jesus?
6. What do you need from God or from the people of God to be able to better hear and respond to God in your everyday life?