

Some Suggested Follow up Questions for Turn Your Campus 2021

The H3 - Question Formula: courtesy of our friend Gilbert Acevedo (Gil@modernabolition.com)

General thoughts:

Below are 3 sets of suggestions for questions. You know your group better than we do, so you are one to shape the discussion and prayer time that might follow. Since our young people are very conscious of one another, one of our main goals here should be to get them to interact with one another as well as with the content that they have just been exposed to. You might want to ask some of these questions in small groups...then have them share with the whole group. Of course, all of this depends on the size of the group you've been able to collect in a virtual and/or actual physical location,

Head Questions: to help students share what they think...questions like:

1. What are you thinking right now?
2. What made you think really hard?
3. Why?
4. How did the speaker(s) challenge you?

Heart Questions: that help students share what they feel...questions like:

1. What are you feeling right now?
2. Why?
3. From what you've heard...are there any decisions you might need to make?
4. Have you decided what decisions & why this decision?

Hands Questions: include challenges that activate next steps and follow through. Typically these questions require leaders to follow up and check in during the week. Questions like:

1. So, what might need to change now...in our group? In your own life?
2. What help will you need to make this happen?
3. What are some first small steps you will need to take?
4. Who can be your partner in this?
5. Can we pray together about this?

for more detail check out the following two pages

Head // Heart // Hands
A tribe formula for discussion and growth

The Breakdown:

HEAD (Think) — The part of a person that thinks and reasons.

Several Hebrew words are sometimes translated as “mind.”

It’s crazy, the word for Heart frequently means “mind” - check it out (Deut. 30:1; Jer. 19:5). The word for Soul (1 Chr. 28:9), and the word for Spirit (Ezek. 11:5) are used similarly as well.

Four separate Greek words account for nearly all instances of “mind” in the New Testament & they all mean much the same thing: understanding, thought, mind, reason. Even-though we may think of a person’s mind in a morally neutral way, in the New Testament the mind was clearly thought of as either good or evil. The mind can be seen in the negative sense as “hardened” (2 Cor. 3:14), “blinded” (2 Cor. 4:4), “corrupt” (2 Tim. 3:8), and “debased” (Rom. 1:28). On the positive note, humans can have minds that are renewed (Rom. 12:2) and pure (2 Pet. 3:1). People can love God with all their minds (Matt. 22:37; Mark 12:30; Luke 10:27) and have God’s laws implanted in their minds (Heb. 8:10). Since Christians have “the mind of Christ” (1 Cor. 2:16), we are instructed to be united in mind (Rom. 12:16; 1 Pet. 3:8).

Be Transformed.

Think, Question, & Worship with your HEAD.

Romans 12:2 (ESV) ²Do not be conformed to this world, but be transformed by the renewal of your mind, that by testing you may discern what is the will of God, what is good and acceptable and perfect.

HEART (Feel) — The inner self that thinks, feels, and decides.

In the Bible the word “heart” has a wide-ranging meaning than it does to the mind today. The heart is central to a person. Nearly all the references to the heart in the Bible refer to some aspect of human personality.

In the Bible all emotions are experienced by the heart: love and hate (Ps. 105:25; 1 Pet. 1:22); joy and sorrow (Eccl. 2:10; John 16:6); peace and bitterness (Ezek. 27:31; Col. 3:15); courage and fear (Gen. 42:28; Amos 2:16), etc.

The thinking processes are said to be carried out by the heart. This intellectual activity corresponds to what we would call “mind” in English.

So, the heart may think (Esth. 6:6), understand (Job 38:36), imagine (Jer. 9:14), remember (Deut. 4:9), be wise (Prov. 2:10), and speak to itself (Deut. 7:17).

Decision making is also carried out by the heart: Purpose (Acts 11:23), intention (Heb. 4:12), and will (Eph. 6:6) are all activities of the heart.

Lastly, “heart” often means someone’s true character or personality. Purity or evil (Jer. 3:17; Matt. 5:8); sincerity or hardness (Ex. 4:21; Col. 3:22); and maturity or rebelliousness (Ps. 101:2; Jer. 5:23).

These all describe the heart or true character of people as individuals. God knows the heart of each person (1 Sam. 16:7). Since people speak and act from their hearts, they are to guard them (Prov. 4:23; Matt. 15:18–19)!

The most important responsibility for anyone is to love God with the whole heart (Matt. 22:37). With the heart a person believes in Christ and experiences both love from God and the presence of Christ in their heart (Rom. 5:5; 10:9–10; Eph. 3:17).

We are to live out the LOVE of God. To Live out the will of God.

Ephesians 6:6 (ESV) ⁶not by the way of eye-service, as people-pleasers, but as bondservants of Christ, doing the will of God from the heart,

1 Peter 2:15–17 (ESV) ¹⁵For this is the will of God, that by doing good you should put to silence the ignorance of foolish people. ¹⁶Live as people who are free, not using your freedom as a cover-up for evil, but living as servants of God. ¹⁷Honor everyone. Love the brotherhood. Fear God. Honor the emperor.

Think, Feel, Act, and Worship with your HEART.

HAND (Do): The believer's life and word; and living out - serving, and witnessing to the world. WALK IT OUT.

The command to witness in Acts 1:8 has implications for all believers. It applies the similar command that was given to ancient Israel (Is. 43:10, 12). The believer's model - in "witness" - is Christ Himself (1 Tim. 6:13; Rev. 1:5).

It's to be Christ hands and feet. To do the work of Christ...to be Christlike. "CHRIST-IAN"

Matthew 28:16–20 (ESV) ¹⁶Now the eleven disciples went to Galilee, to the mountain to which Jesus had directed them. ¹⁷And when they saw him they worshiped him, but some doubted. ¹⁸And Jesus came and said to them, "All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. ¹⁹Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, ²⁰teaching them to observe all that I have commanded you. And behold, I am with you always, to the end of the age."

Do the work...God is with you. Be his hands and feet. Serve, Make Disciples, Teach them by word and living as an example.

Grab your shovels! Let's dig!