

## MANAGING THE NOISE

How do we develop a biblical worldview?

### 1. Turn down the voices around you

What happened in 2012 that changed our culture?

### 2. Turn up the voice of Jesus inside you

Matthew 11:28 (NLT) *Then Jesus said, "Come to me, all of you who are weary and carry heavy burdens, and I will give you rest. <sup>29</sup> Take my yoke upon you. Let me teach you, because I am humble and gentle at heart, and you will find rest for your souls.<sup>30</sup> For my yoke is easy to bear, and the burden I give you is light."*

How can we turn up the voice of Jesus?

#### a). Scripture (listening to Jesus)

Joshua 1:8 (NIV) *Keep this Book of the Law always on your lips; meditate on it day and night, so that you may be careful to do everything written in it. Then you will be prosperous and successful.*

The Bible is not just about increasing our knowledge...it helps us to **discover our identity**.

#### b). Prayer (talking to Jesus)

Scripture is like the input. Prayer is like the output.

Phil 4:6 (NIV) *Do not be anxious about anything, but in every situation, by prayer and petition, with thanksgiving, present your requests to God. <sup>7</sup> And the peace of God, which transcends all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus.*

### 3. Fasting (relying on Christ)

**Challenge:** for one day this week, I want to invite you to a fast (food or technology) for one day.