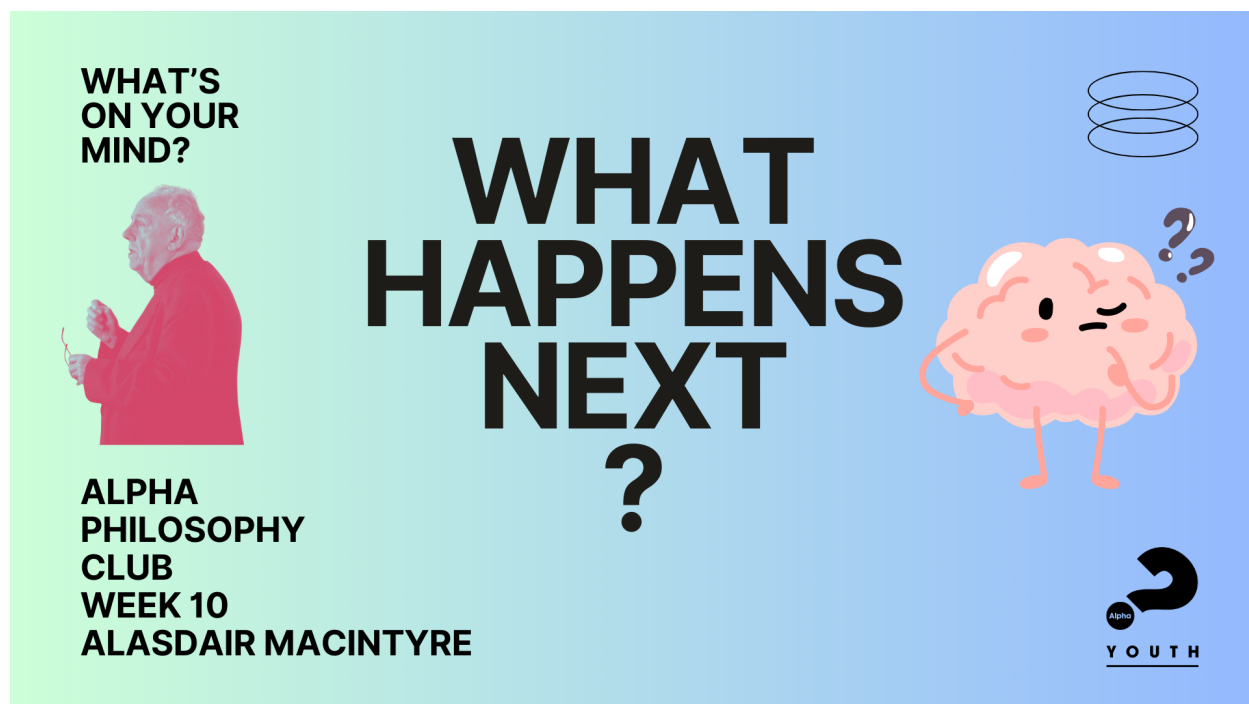




The Big Questions Club Week 10 | What Happens Next?

Philosopher of the Week: ALASDAIR MACINTYRE

MacIntyre is a thinker from Scotland who writes about how stories help us know what's right and wrong. He says that to understand what you should do with your life, you first need to know *what kind of story you're part of*.

He once wrote:

"I can only answer the question 'What am I to do?' if I can answer the prior question 'Of what story or stories do I find myself a part?'"
- *After Virtue* (1981)

In other words:

To figure out who you want to be, it helps to know what kind of story your life is telling. Are you the kind of person who helps others? Who asks big questions? Who looks for truth? The people you hang out with and the things you believe shape your story.

Something to think about:

- What kind of story are you part of?
- Who helps you live that story?

What We Heard in the Video

The video today talked about what it means to belong to something bigger than just ourselves—like a family, or a team, or a church. It also talked about how Jesus invites people to be part of his family.

Here are some verses we heard in the video:

“So you are no longer outsiders and strangers. You are citizens together with God’s people. You are also members of God’s family.”

- Ephesians 2:19

“You are the body of Christ. Each one of you is a part of it.”

- 1 Corinthians 12:27

You can ask questions about these or just think about them on your own.

A Final Word

Over the past 10 weeks, we’ve talked about all kinds of big ideas—love, trust, truth, healing, justice, and more. Some of those topics were easy, others were confusing. That’s totally okay.

The goal of Philosophy Club isn’t to give you all the answers. It’s to give you the chance to ask questions that *matter* and to think about them with others.

As MacIntyre might say: your story matters. The people you’re with, the choices you make, the questions you ask—those are all part of what shapes who you become. And we’re really glad we got to share part of this story with you.

Watch It Again

Scan the QR code below to rewatch this week’s video and reflect on what stuck with you.

