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### **Life Calling Topic 1: Who Am I and Why Am I Here?**

Trinity Forum Series Introduction "The Journey"

1. Do you agree or disagree that most people aren't fully content or satisfied and are searching for "something more"? Why or why not?

If so, who are these kinds of people? In other words, what life circumstances breed the most discontent?

2. What does Chesterton mean by "the riddle of the earth" or "the mystery of life"?
3. Reread the three requirements for a fulfilling life. List them here and then self-evaluate:  
On a scale of 1-10, with 1 being a very low or nonexistent sense of these and 10 being a very high and confident sense of these, where do you land?
4. Do you believe that you or your family/subculture has "too much to live with"? Why or why not?
5. Craft, as best as you can, your most solid statement of:
  - a. Personal identity (who are you)

- b. Life's meaning (why are humans on earth with lifespans)
- c. Your purpose and mission (why are YOU on earth with a lifespan)

Blaise Pascal's article, "Diversion"

1. How able are you to sit quietly with only your own thoughts to occupy yourself?
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
2. How many years ago did Pascal write this text? What is ironic about this?

Excerpt from Running the Room, "Silence"

Write a paragraph explaining this article's viewpoint on silence in the classroom and whether you agree or disagree with this view.

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