

Small Group Sermon Questions

Sunday, October 20, 2019



Part Six: Return of the King

BLESS Rhythms

BLESS: This is the practice of blessing another person. It can be big or small (buying coffee, encouraging text/email, etc.). *Who have you blessed this week?*

LISTEN: This is the practice of listening, both to God and to others. *How did you set time aside this week to be a listener?*

EAT: This is the practice of sharing food with people. This can happen in a home or in a coffee shop. *Who are you eating with/ inviting into your home?*

SPEAK: This is the practice of speaking our faith. It can happen through encouragement, story sharing, and evangelism. *How have you spoken your faith this week?*

SABBATH: This is the practice of resting from work and taking time to rest and enjoy creation. *How are you practicing Sabbath this week?*

Opening question

1. What do you think of when you think about the end times?

2. What is your initial reaction to the Book of Revelation?

Going Deeper Questions

1. Why is it important to connect the story found in Revelation to the rest of the story of the Bible?
2. How do you most often picture Christ? Read Revelation 1:4-20. What pictures jump out at you? How is Christ pictured in this passage?
3. By picturing Christ in glory, how should that change the way we approach life? How should it effect the way we worship?
4. Read Philippians 2:9-11. What does it mean practically for us to 'bow' to Christ?
5. Read Rev. 4:2-11. What images jump out at you? Why? How do you react to this passage? Read Isaiah 6:1-5. How does Isaiah react? Why? Can you relate?
6. Read Rev. 5:2-9. What is the scroll? Why does the writer weep? Who opens the scroll? Why does he get to open it?
7. Read Exodus 19:5-6, I Peter 2:9, Rev 5:10. Who is the audience in each of these passages? Why is this so important?
8. Read Matthew 28:16-20. Keeping in the mind the picture of Jesus on the throne; if King Jesus has all authority what should this mean for us as a church and a people? How well do you submit to authority?
9. Revelation 14-20 talks about the judgement of evil. How does this make you feel? Is this good news?
10. Read Rev. 21:1-5. Can you imagine this? When Christ fully establishes His Kingdom what will change in life? How does this passage encourage you in the now?