Small group optional guide Simon Brading, Hebrew 10:19-22 Worship Small group optional guide Simon Brading, Hebrew 10:19-22 Worship

IN: FELLOWSHIP

This is the last week of the term, small group leaders are encouraged to have a rest over the holidays but how will the group stay in touch with each other? Picnic/café/altogether socials?

OUT: PRAYER and Prayer walk

- Please pray for the Crawley Down prayer walk this Sunday 23rd 1230pm – 130pm; meeting at Havens Sportsfield car park, RH10 4LJ (what3words location: copper.pigs.lunch)
- There are 9 routes planned around the village, we will pair up and pray, meeting back at the car park to share what we feel God may have said.

key words from Sunday:

- Jed; I see a person standing by a stagnant pond, asking a question of who am I? I can't do it...and God wants you to know that He says...I'm your yes and I'm your amen...you are forgiven, you have a future...(He speaks truth and identity over you)
- Sharon: this is a room full of knots, knots of pain, knots of stress, knots in the stomach (ask someone to pray, God wants to unravel some knots)
- Ricky; in contrast from Jed's picture about a stagnant pond, read John 4; living water that quenches - Jesus offers you eternal life

WORSHIP

Behold Him / A thousand hallelujahs / Build my life

UP

- 1) <u>since we have confidence to enter by the blood of Jesus (put confidence in the blood)</u>
- Q) where do you get your confidence when you enter into worship? What is it that helps you feel ready to worship?
- your faithfulness this week? What about if you are unfaithful?

Confidence based on doing well or discounting yourself after doing badly...are both wrong!

We are to put 100% confidence in the blood of Jesus, 0% in ourselves - Hebrews 9:26 this blood is his sacrifice

Do not worship in the framework of a lie; emotionally it's hard because sin is personal - Pray myself into his presence

- 2) Where do we enter? (Not church/small group) the Holy place!
- where the manifest glory of God dwelt, you couldn't enter...you would die!

Hebrews 9:24 Christ has entered not into places made with hands which are copies, but into heaven itself!

• Jesus went there on my behalf; so that I could be there! Physically I'm here...spiritually I'm there!!

Exodus; stay away, this is holy...Hebrews; draw near!!

- 3) <u>v22 let us draw near</u> with a true heart with full assurance of faith Are we not near already? There is something specific about drawing near intentionally (*Simon and his daughter*)
- intentionally draw close, look him on the eye, recognise his presence Isaiah 54:9 I will not be angry with you

When we draw near to God he has so much for us - you can have as much of God as you want.

SAVE THE DATES

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meet then walk and pray
"it may be that the Lord will be with us"
Joshua 12:14

