

DATE: July 16th, 2023

TITLE: Beer Tent Service:
What the Outdoors Can't Give You

SCRIPTURE: Psalm 19

SPEAKER: Dave Mobley

FAITH COMMUNITY CHURCH SMALL GROUP DISCUSSION GUIDE

OPENING PRAYER

ICE BREAKER: Where and when have you been awed by Creation? How did it affect you?

THINK BACK: Referring back to this week's sermon... What is the BIG IDEA of the Scripture AS IT WAS TAUGHT THIS WEEK? Was there anything that left you with questions?

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

Read Psalm 19

- What have you learned about God through what He has made?
- What part of Creation inspires you most?
- Why does our worship of Creation without worshipping the Creator fall short?
- Now that you know and love the Creator, how does that affect your enjoyment of what He has made?
- How would humanity be affected if we were all here by chance?

SCRIPTURE REFERENCES

- Psalm 19
- Romans 1:18-21
- Romans 3:23-25
- Psalm 16:4
- Revelation 4:11

APPLICATION

Think about what most caught your attention in the text or discussion. Why is God catching your attention with this at this point in your life? What does God want you to know or do? What's one thing from this text that you could say to an unbeliever about who God is?

PRAYER

Ask people for specific prayer requests. Pray for needs and for applications of the text. Ask for volunteers who would like to pray for those people and requests.

SHEPHERDING

Check the roster and see who is not there. Does the group know why someone is not there? Are there needs that can be met by the group? Specific prayer requests? Ask for someone to reach out and say, "We missed you."

REMINDERS

Small Group Checklist

- Ask about ideas to serve in some way together. Serve 1x every six weeks or so.
- Encourage people to invite friends or neighbors to your group!! One way to reach 'out' together is to welcome people 'in.'
- Discuss childcare, if needed.
- Talk about any upcoming group meals or activities.

Check the bulletin, monthly newsletter and events page on the website for ways that you can get plugged in, as well as events here at FCC. Here are a couple of those things:

-LADIES! Join us at Magic Lake next Saturday - July 22nd for a day at the Beach! Look online for more info and to register!

-The VBS signup is available online. Check it out to see how you can serve our little church this summer.

-SAVE THE DATE for our SUMMER PICNIC on Sunday, August 13th! We will have one indoor service at 10am with outdoor baptisms, lunch and fun to follow!