

Upcoming events to tell your group about (more info on each on pg 2):

- Women's Bible Study: Exodus Pt 1 (Begins Sep 9)
- Fellowship Mom's Bonfire (Sep 19)
- Baptism Weekends (Sep 20,21 and 27,28)

Read John 11:38-57

Did anything stand out either from Justin's message or reading through John together?

The main theme of Sunday's sermon was that what Jesus did for Lazarus, He has already done for you. **What did Justin mean by that?**

Jesus is never indifferent towards us or sin. **So what causes us to be indifferent towards Jesus?**

Do you think of your salvation as a living, breathing miracle? Why or why not? What is the miracle associated with your salvation?

Justin mentioned that John later tells us why the Lazarus story is in his Gospel. **What reason does John give?** (Leader note: If the group is unsure, have them turn to John 20:30-31).

Christ resurrects. **What is something in your life that was seemingly "dead" that Jesus resurrected?**

Have you ever noticed that Jesus was not the one who took the burial cloths off of Lazarus? What are the implications of Jesus inviting others to do that?

Why do you think the religious leaders felt threatened by Jesus' miracle? What does this say about the danger of hardened hearts?

We can have 2 responses to Jesus: to believe and surrender to Him, or to deny and crucify Him. But you cannot be indifferent. **What things are you surrendering to Jesus in this season of your life? Is there anything you are purposefully not surrender to Jesus?**

Men's/Women's Time (if applicable)

Have a time of sharing. (i.e. Share highs/lows in this season, needs in your home/community, etc.)

PRAY for one another.

Notable Upcoming Events at Fellowship

Women's Bible Study: Exodus Pt 1 (Begins Sep 9 at 7pm) – Ladies, you do not want to miss this opportunity to fellowship, discuss, and study with women in our church. Join us Tuesday evenings from 7-9 pm starting September 9 for the first half of an in-depth study into the second book of the Bible, Exodus. The cost of your book is \$25. Childcare is also available, but spots are limited, so sign up soon! Already have your book and need to bypass payment? Email madi.a.whaley@gmail.com

Fellowship Mom's Bonfire (September 19 at 6:30pm) – Autumn is for time together, bonfires, s'mores, and laughter, and we have an opportunity for moms of all ages and seasons to join us for exactly that. Fellowship Mom's Ministry is hosting a bonfire on September 19 on the Fellowship parking lot, from 6:30-8:30 pm. Invite your friends and register for this great event. Bring a lawn chair and dress for the weather! Childcare is available but limited, so sign up soon! Moms, we can't encourage you enough to take advantage of this opportunity to be with other moms and have a time for taking a breath, enjoying community, and reflecting on Jesus.

Baptism Weekends (September 20,21 and September 27,28) – Baptism is an outward expression of an inward reality! When a person is baptized it displays to the church that they have repented of sin, placed their faith in Jesus, and received salvation!

The Bible says that all professing Christians should be baptized (Matthew 28:18-20). Whether you've been following Jesus for a long time and have never been baptized or are a new Christian, we would be honored to baptize you!

We have two back-to-back weekends of baptism opportunities this September 20 & 21 and 27 & 28!