



Table Group Weekly Experience

July 4, 2021

Mixer

What is your favorite U.S. city that you've visited? What is next on your bucket list?

Neighborly - Daily Devotional

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1. In the 6/28/21 entry, *I AM WHO I AM*, High School Pastor Caden asks us if we know God's name? How do you feel when someone introduces you by your given name, your nickname, or even an unkind or embarrassing name? What does your name mean to you? What do you think God's name means to Him? Why would He share it with you?
2. In the 6/29/21 entry, *Control*, Pastor Nate reminds us of ourselves with his desire for control in his daughters' squabble. And control is hardwired into us (Gen 1:28)... yet Jesus tells us that our real power is in cooperating with God and His plan for the world to know LOVE. As Nate challenged us, how are you sidelining your need to have control over someone, and instead showing love? What affects are you seeing in the relationship?

Sermon Notes

On break for July & August! If your group still plans to meet, we still have church on Sundays to uncover the work God wants to do in us and through us! Here are some Inductive Bible Study tools from LOGOS.com to help you unpack Sunday's message:

1. What impacted you most about Sunday's message?

Read the Scripture(s) used in the message.

2. **Observation: What does the text say (who, what, when, where, how, why)?** Also note uses of words like: therefore, after, now, but, if/then, etc. Notice repeating words or themes, lists of words and their order and definitions, etc. Use multiple Bible versions and compare.
3. **Interpretation: What does the text mean?** Look for what the writer is trying to communicate: cultural/historical context; about the author, about the person/people, about God/Jesus/Holy

Spirit; what other Scripture that can interpret this text; what is the clearest meaning (being careful to not read into it what it doesn't say, or what you want it to say)?

4. Application: What does the text mean to me? *"We don't study the Bible just to gain knowledge. We study to gain knowledge so we know how to live our lives in light of what we've learned."* (LOGOS.com) Together with your answer to Question #1, what do you hear God saying to you about you, Him, priorities and decisions, relationships, faith, conflict, spiritual warfare, difficulties, setbacks, and hope? What one action step will you take with this new knowledge?

Go Deeper - with Goodbook

Dr. Mark Strauss & Pastor Ken Ingold

Comparative World Religions

Week 6 || Session 6 || Christianity

1. What does "Christian" mean? What does "Christ" mean?
2. What are the basic facts of Jesus' life?
3. Who were the Apostles?
4. What is "Byzantine Christianity"?
5. What were some positives and negatives of Christianity in the Middle Ages?
6. What is the Protestant Reformation?
7. What do Christians believe about the Bible? The Trinity?
8. What brings salvation in Christianity?
9. What are the Sacraments?
10. What is "Eschatology" and what do Christians believe concerning Christ's return?

**Are you joining the Goodbook Q&A Zoom on Tuesday evenings? Email ken@thechurchrb.org*

Serve

Our next Good Neighbor Day is Saturday, August 7! We need you - and the unique way you can fill a unique need! Registration to open soon online and in app.

Pray

Pray for God to help you with your soul care. May He clear away busyness and distractions, and help you find space to be with Him. You and Him. Be still. Listen. Pray. He wants to commune with His children.