

let's TALK

1. Gather in the name of the Father, Son & Holy Spirit. Share your highs/low. Read John 3:1-17 and Psalm 32:1-11. What strikes you as you read?
2. What are some of the things you learn about Nicodemus from v1-2? Jesus initial response does not seem to go with the flow of the conversation; Why would he respond as he did? How do Nicodemus' & Jesus' ideas of 'born again' differ?
3. Read Numbers 21:4-9. How is Jesus' comparison of his mission to that of the bronze serpent on the pole an accurate description of what is to occur in his life? Note the significant similarities.
4. Author Gary Burge writes in his commentary on Jn 3:16, "Jesus [brings] the light of God to one who is captive in darkness." What "darkness" has Nicodemus hostage? What is your personal "darkness"? What sin keeps you feeling trapped?
5. Burge says, "God is not demanding some moral or religious preparation from us that makes us interesting and acceptable to him. On the contrary, his mission is to enter the darkness and find us." Who is someone you know who needs for God to find them in their darkness?
6. Australian actress Anna McGahan says: "Jesus was not exclusive. He didn't favour scholars, puritans & priests. He favoured ME. If this is true, it will change the whole world & I don't know why no one has ever told me." Who is an "Anna" to you?

let's READ

Sunday	Ephesians 2:4-5	Thursday	Hebrews 1:3
Monday	1 John 4:9-10	Friday	Romans 8:37-39
Tuesday	Colossians 2:9	Saturday	2 Corinthians 5:14-15
Wednesday	Romans 5:8-9	<i>BONUS</i>	1 Peter 3:18

let's PRAY

PRAISE GOD for his eternal love for you.

THANK JESUS for giving up his life
so you could enjoy life with the Father forever.

ASK THE HOLY SPIRIT to make you overflow
with Jesus' love so others experience it through you.

let's BLESS

Make the sign of the cross on each other & say:

**(Name), † child of God,
the Father gives His Spirit
to draw you to Him. Amen.**



Growing PRAISE

EVERY NIGHT...EVERY HOME...THE MOST IMPORTANT THINGS IN LIFE

8—14 March 2020

VERSE of the week— John 3:17

***"God did not send his Son into the world
to condemn the world,
but in order that the world
might be saved through him."***

TABLE GRACE

Our hands we fold
Our heads we bow
For food and drink
We thank you now.
Amen.

5 POINT CHECK UP

1. Share your highs (good times) and lows (bad times)
2. Read a verse from the Bible.
3. What do you find "best" in the text? What is most confusing or hard to understand? What does God want you to do ?
4. Pray for one another (Praise God, Thank Jesus, Ask the Holy Spirit).
5. Bless one another.

THOUGHT for the week:

"The greatest proof of Christianity for others is not how far someone can logically analyze their reasons for believing; but how far in practice they will stake their life on what they believe."

— TS Eliot



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