

GROWING PRAISE

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

16 - 22 May 2021

VERSE of the week — John 3:14-15

"As Moses lifted up the bronze snake on a pole in the wilderness, so the Son of Man must be lifted up, so that everyone who believes in him will have eternal life."

TABLE GRACE

We thank you for your goodness Lord, your blessing from above. Now may this meal that we all share, be seasoned with your love. 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:

"A man can no more diminish God's glory by refusing to worship Him than a lunatic can put out the sun by scribbling the word 'darkness' on the walls of his cell."

-- CS Lewis



Living Water Fellowship, Wagga Wagga

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let's TALK

1. Gather in the name of the Father, Son & Holy Spirit. Share your highs/lows. Read Mark 7:1-13 & John 3:1-17. What strikes you as you read these verses?
2. What do you know about Nicodemus & the Pharisees? Why do you think they lived the way they did? Can you see yourself in their situation being like them? Why/not?
3. Why do you think he came to Jesus "after dark"? What are the two things Jesus tells Nicodemus can't happen unless he is "born again"? What do you think Jesus is trying to get across to him? What do you think it means to be "born again" ? How does Jesus' reference to childbirth connect here?
4. Why does Jesus use the illustration of the wind , vs 8? Why does Jesus seem to be BOTH speaking in riddles AND AT THE SAME TIME speaking very directly to Nicodemus?
5. Why does Jesus remind Nicodemus of the Old Testament story about Moses & the snake (Num 21:4-9)? How will that connect to Jesus' life & mission?
6. How would you compare your relationship with the Father with Nicodemus'? What is the difference? With whom can you share your assurance & faith in Jesus as the path to new birth this week?

let's READ

Sunday	Romans 10:4	Thursday	John 17:18
Monday	2 Samuel 7:29b	Friday	Romans 8:11
Tuesday	Galatians 3:11	Saturday	Hebrews 11:1-3 & 6
Wednesday	1 Kings 8:56-58	MEMORIZE	1 John 5:11-12

let's PRAY

PRAISE GOD for his abundant love & reclaiming grace.
THANK JESUS for reaching beyond the boundaries of sin & death to draw you to the Father.
ASK THE HOLY SPIRIT to fill your life with grace enough to share.

let's BLESS

Make the sign of the cross on each other as you say:

**(Name), † child of God,
Jesus Christ fills you
with life that never ends. Amen.**

