let's TALK

- 1. Gather in the name of the Father, Son & Holy Spirit. Share your highs/lows. Read John 7:37-52 & 19:38-42. What strikes you as you read?
- 2. What are some reasons the Bible use the image of thirst to communicate our spiritual need? Read Jer 2:13 & Is 55:1. How do these verses help us understand Jesus here? How is the Spirit's work like water? What evidence would you offer from your life for the work of the Spirit in you?
- 3. What differences of opinion about Jesus do you hear in today's world? How do you react to those when you encounter them?
- 4. What tension do you sense between the Temple police/guards & the Jewish leaders? Why is that such an issue here? Why does Nicodemus risk speaking up for Jesus? (See John 3:1-21 for the first recorded encounter between him & Jesus?)
- 5. Have you ever been ridiculed because of your faith in Jesus? What happened?
- 6. How does the progressing work of the Spirit in Nicodemus' life encourage you about your own journey in faith AND your faithful witness to others?
- 7. What does this text call you to do?

let's READ

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Sunday	1 John 5:14	Thursday	James 1:12
Monday	John 5:24	Friday	Romans 8:1
Tuesday	Hebrews 10:22	Saturday	John 3:16-17
Wednesday	Philippians 4:6-7	Memorize	Today's Thought for the Week

let's PRAY

PRAISE GOD for his patience in drawing us to himself THANK JESUS that his love always waits for our hearts to become his. ASK THE HOLY SPIRIT to fill your heart daily with courage & wisdom to share the gospel boldly.

let's BLESS

Make the sign of the cross on each other as you say: (Name), † child of God, Christ has made you his to live courageously in his Name! -- Amen.



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VERSE of the week — John 7:50-51

Then Nicodemus, the leader who had met with Jesus earlier, spoke up. "Is it legal to convict a man before he is given a hearing?" he asked.

TABLE GRACE

Heavenly Father, Thank you for the food before us, the people around us, the love between us and your presence among us. In Jesus' Name, Amen.

<u>5 POINT CHECK UP</u>

- 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:

"Faith always takes time before it takes hold."

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