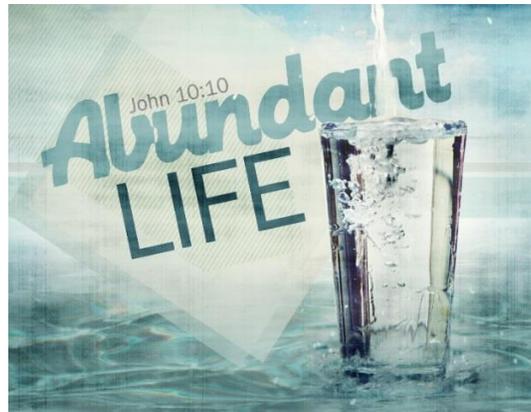


Group Leader Notes 3.12.17

Sermon Title: Abundance – “Fruit Focused” - Dr. David Speicher



Ice Breaker: *What do you enjoy doing in your free time? How did you first get involved?*

Song Suggestions: “Found in You” by *Vertical Church Band*, “Great I Am” by *New Life Worship*, “Lord I need You” by *Matt Maher*, “No Longer Slaves” by *Bethel*

Read Scripture: *John 10:10, Galatians 5:22-23, Ephesians 1:3, Acts 2:37-38*



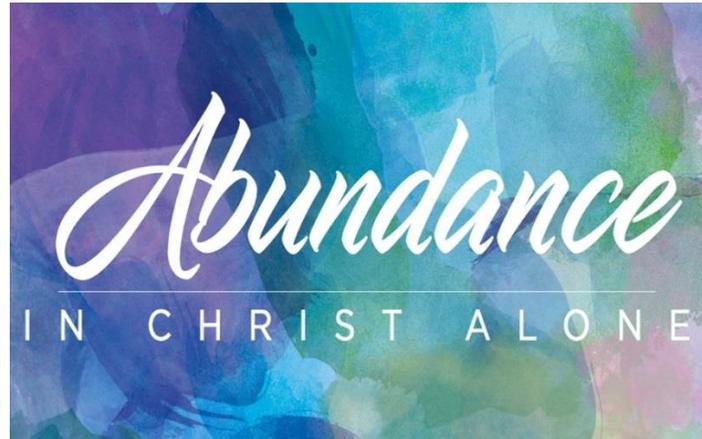
“The gifts will show up, when the fruit is filled up. A life yielded to the Holy Spirit will produce fruit.” – Pastor Speicher

Q 1: How do we see the personality of the Holy Spirit through the fruit of the spirit that is listed in **Galatians 5:22-23**?

Q 2: What is our part in seeing the fruit of the Holy Spirit come to bear in our lives? (simply living a yielded life! Hear and obey!)

Q 3: According to Pastor Speicher, what is the result of the fruit of the Spirit in your life? (the gifts of the spirit follow)

Q 4: Pastor mentioned three categories of believers...Orphan, Son/Daughter, and Moms/Dads...what is your understanding of the three categories? If you were taking honest stock of your life right now where do you fall? What needed change can you commit to and have others in your group pray alongside you about?



Group Leader:

Spend some time dwelling and asking our heavenly Father how we can take action to meet the felt needs of the world and show our love. Listen to His answers! Make a SAM goal. (*Specific, Attainable, Measureable*) and share it with 1-2 people. Ask them to lovingly check in on your progress on that goal during the week. As a group, continue to look “outward” to those in your work place and neighborhoods that don’t know Christ. Spend time praying over those “neighbors” that have been laid on your heart. Now go do it what the Holy Spirit says!

Also, don’t forget about the Send Challenge. Although the official time period for the competition is done, keep going! Some challenges can be done individually, some as a Group, so keep living a lifestyle of Send as we all seek to impact the world for the Kingdom of God! Remember, we at South Bay believe that the Christian living the abundant life that Christ has for them is living a life of Caring, Equipping, and Sending!