

Home Group Study Guide

Take some time to have everyone introduce themselves and share a little about themselves!

ICE BREAKER:



Tonight we are going to spend some time talking about being called out of darkness into God's light. Darkness can be scary. Lots of people are afraid of the dark. What's something that you're afraid of and why?

Sunday's sermon title was "You are called out!"

READ:



Let's read 1 Peter 2:9 together.

We are going to focus on Peter telling each of us that we called out of darkness into his wonderful light. What does it mean to be called out by God from darkness to light? (Rescue, Salvation, Purpose & Identity)

Let's dive into the Bible stories from Sunday's message.

Have someone read John 20:19-23:

Why were the disciples afraid, huddling together with the doors locked?
(They were Seeking Security in something other than God)

Where are you seeking security in something other than God?
(Locks/Alarms, Dog, Others, Self)

Have someone read John 20:24-29:

Thomas is forever referred to as “Doubting Thomas” because of this story. Thomas doubted because he didn’t see Jesus the first time He appeared. But remember that the other disciples were still behind locked doors even though they had already seen the risen Jesus. Why do we doubt God even after believing in Him?

Have someone read John 21:1-14:

What happened in this story that finally changed Peter’s life for good?

What do you need to do to break out of a safe, mediocre life and start living for God even more?

Pastor Zach told us that God has rescued each of us from darkness but still calls us to go into darkness to help rescue others. Who is someone in your life that needs rescue from darkness? Tell us about someone in your life that needs Jesus.

Prayer:



(Take prayer requests and spend time praying for each of the requests. Write them down and send them to your Home Group later in the week)