Group Discussion Guide



Romans 1:15-17

SHARING

Hymns (What we're praising God for):

Lessons (What God is teaching us):

Requests (What we're asking God to do):

REFLECTION QUESTIONS

Read the passage (Romans 1:15-17) and answer the following questions:

- 1. What stands out most and why?
- 2. What does the passage reveal to us about God?
- 3. What does the passage reveal to us about ourselves?
- 4. What are the immediate application points?

DEEPER DISCUSSION

- 1. What is the message of the gospel?
- 2. What is it about the message of the gospel (admittedly very good news) that tempts us to be ashamed of it? Have you ever had a situation where you were too embarrassed or ashamed to speak about the gospel?
- 3. What is it about the gospel that is so powerful? How does the message of the gospel differ from modern self-help theories and strategies?
- 4. On Sunday Pastor Kevin made the statement "If you put really big faith in really big lies, you'll be let down in really big ways." What are some of those lies that we have foolishly trusted in?
- 5. "We are not saved by the strength of our faith, but by the strength of the object of our faith." How does that statement encourage you or strengthen you? Why is that such an important message for us to remember?
- 6. The just shall live by faith. Why is that Biblical theme so important to us? What does it mean?