Study Guide - 19 July, 2020

Series: Evangelism Text: Romans 10:9-17



This guide will help you facilitate a clear understanding of the Bible passage with a focus on applying God's truth to our lives together. You should spend at least half your time discussing questions that are application focused. Look at the Big Idea and What your CG Must Take Away sections at the beginning of the guide to keep the discussion focused.

Overview

Summary of Series

This series takes place across 5 weeks, focusing mostly on trying to develop a culture of evangelism, with a divide of 3+2 weeks. The first three specifically targeted at RHCers, and the last two examples of evangelistic sermons that we can invite friends to. The last two sermons can serve as different examples of how to evangelise - one from the text, and the other from a topic/curiosity people have.

Big Idea

We must evangelize because God offers everyone the gospel and they won't be saved unless they hear the gospel.

CG Takeaway

To own evangelism, and take small steps such as beginning to pray for someone you know to join the livestream event in week 4 or 5, and also for opportunities to share the gospel.

- 1. According to Paul, who is the gospel for (v9-13)?
- 2. What are the consequences if nobody preaches the gospel (v14-15)?
- 3. Whenever we preach the gospel, whose words are we really speaking (v14-17)?
- 4. From your answers so far, why is it necessary for us to preach the gospel?
- 5. How do you find evangelism difficult or intimidating?
- 6. How does our fear and worries about evangelism reveal about our misunderstandings about evangelism (i.e. trust in self instead of God, fear of rejection, lack of capabilities)?
- 7. How does this passage address some of our worries and misunderstandings?
- 8. How do this passage and Kei's experience encourage you to be faithful in evangelism?
- 9. What are some ways we can be directly involved in preaching the gospel?

Apply Practically

The last 2 weeks of the evangelism series will be evangelistic sermons addressing common questions that are barriers to faith for many people. Who would you like to invite to watch this podcast? Pray for this person, and for your evangelism opportunities.