



Fall Small Groups

7th week of Fall Faith Groups: Nov 17-23

Welcome & Prayer (5 mins)

Prayer

Almighty ever-living God, whose will is to restore all things in your beloved Son, the King of the Universe, grant, we pray, that the whole creation set free from slavery, may render your majesty service and ceaselessly proclaim your praise. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God forever and ever.

Open the eyes of our mind that we may understand the teachings of the Gospel.

Our Father

Icebreaker (10mins)

Categories

One person makes up a category and everyone has to work together to try name as many items in that category as possible in one minute.

Examples: Name the keys on a keyboard other than letters or numbers, different chocolate candy bars, different types of trees, etc

Check-In

How did we do on last week's commitment? Did we accomplish it?

Proclaim Gospel: Luke 23:35-43

Christ the King Sunday

The rulers sneered at Jesus and said, "He saved others, let him save himself if he is the chosen one, the Christ of God." Even the soldiers jeered at him. As they approached to offer him wine they called out, "If you are King of the Jews, save yourself." Above him there was an inscription that read, "This is the King of the Jews."

Now one of the criminals hanging there reviled Jesus, saying, "Are you not the Christ? Save yourself and us." The other, however, rebuking him, said in reply, "Have you no fear of God, for you are subject to the same condemnation? And indeed, we have been condemned justly, for the sentence we received corresponds to our crimes, but this man has done nothing criminal." Then he said, "Jesus, remember me when you come into your kingdom." He replied to him, "Amen, I say to you, today you will be with me in Paradise."



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Silence

Video

Proclaim the Gospel & followed by Silence

Questions (20-25 mins)

1. What does this passage/reading say to you? Or what struck you?
2. What does it inspire/motivate you to do?
3. Of the two criminals, which one would you react like?
4. What does Christ the King mean to you?
5. What is a practical application of this passage in your life?

Commitment (5-10 mins)

Make a commitment that the group will do this week or individually.

Example: Get your advent wreath out, Take an envelope from the giving tree, Go to the Thanksgiving Service together on Sunday, Nov 24 as a group.

Closing Prayer

Lord, thank you that we are a family in Christ. Help us to share his love and legacy with everyone that we encounter this week. May we lavish Christ's abounding goodness upon our families, friends and colleagues. Holy Spirit, come and equip us in our workplace, and inspire us in our neighborhoods. May we be your hands and feet to the needy, your words of affirmation to the oppressed and your arms of comfort to the lonely. Thank you for choosing to use us to bring your kingdom here on earth.

MARY, Mother of Jesus, our Mother, Intercede for all our needs.
Intercessions

Hail Mary... Glory Be...

Announcements

This is the last week, sign up for the Lent Small Groups

Go to Night of Worship on Wed, Nov 20 as a group

Thanksgiving Service on Sunday, Nov 24

Take the survey and return it

