

THE GOOD LIFE

Sunday, April 28, 2024

Begin: Take this time to hear how everyone is doing, and get settled.

- What is something to celebrate from this past week?
- IceBreaker: Who is the most positive influence you have had around you? How have they positively influenced you?

Listen: Reflections on Sunday's Sermon and thoughts from the message

- What stood out to you about this week's message?
- Is there anything you still are thinking about or have questions about?

Discover: Take time to dig deeper into the passage/topic for this week.

- Read: Matthew 5:13-16
- Salt was used as a flavor enhancer, as a preservative, and in covenant-making settings to symbolize the permanence of an agreement. All are used in positive ways influencing the world. What are a few ways that Christians can act as salt in their neighborhoods, workplaces and communities?
- How can Christians lose their "saltiness" and become ineffective witnesses for Christ in their society?
- Read Isaiah 9:2 — How does this verse align with this passage?
- What specifically does Jesus say we are to do in order to shine as light?

Apply: Take time to apply these Biblical Truths to your own life

- How do Christians continue Jesus' light shining ministry in the world today?
- How have you seen a Christian "shining" well in their world?
- What is the ultimate reason Jesus gives us for why we should produce good works? How does good works, paired with sharing the good news about Jesus, ultimately lead people to glorify God?
- How do the Beatitudes help us understand what it looks like to live as salt and light? How is this needed more in your life?

My One Thing — What is your 1 takeaway from this study and how will it impact your upcoming week?

Pray: Feel free to pray in a way that best fits your group. Take time each week to pray with and for each other.

Notes: Space for your notes from your time together. Added Memory verse at the bottom to keep these truths in your mind.

*In the same way, let your light shine before others,
so that they may see your good works
and give glory to your Father who is in heaven.*

Matthew 5:16



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