Baby Steps

" How to Apply a Jesus Approach to Evangelism - Part 2"

Remember to Focus on the Forgiveness of God

2. Emphasize a Personal Relationship with The Lord

Grow Group Discussion Questions

A grow group is 8-16 people who get together weekly to study God's word and the previous Sunday's message. There is a time of discussion, support, encouragement, and learning how the message applies to daily life. **PCC uses the ESV (English Standard Version).**

HOW DO I JOIN A GROUP?

To learn more or join a group, visit pacificcoastchurch.org/gg/ or sign up at the patio Info Kiosk.

Point #1

- a) Read John 4:15-18. How did the woman respond to the offer of living water? How did Jesus respond? Why?
- b) How does Point #1 relate? Why is this a critically important issue to understand when sharing your faith?
- c) In what way can the issues of sin and forgiveness be replaced? How can Point #1 help prevent this mistake?

Point #2

- a) Read John 4:19-26. Why did the woman raise the topic of where to worship? What does this reveal about her?
- b) What did Jesus highlight about location? Why is this a very important truth for non-Christians to understand?
- c) How does Point #2 relate? How can a church-oriented focus confuse the Gospel? How does Point #2 help you?

Daily Devotions

These are provided for mid-week personal spiritual growth. Prayerfully writing out your answers will help you experience real life transformation as you dig deeper into the spiritual truths of God's word and today's message.

A downloadable PDF of this document is also available each week at pacificcoastchurch.org/sermons.

MONDAY // Read John 4:15-16, Mark 7:31-8:10

- Describe why the crowds were gathering and following Jesus in Mark 7. (i.e., the benefit)
- In what way was the woman at the well falling into the same trap? Be specific. How did Jesus respond?
- How do you see this happening today? Why is this important to pay attention to? What is the answer?

TUESDAY // Read John 4:15-18, John 3:16, Mark 10:45, 2 Corinthians 5:21, Galatians 3:13

- Given the woman's positive response to the offer of living water, why did Jesus tell her to get her husband?
- What was the woman's response? How was she dodging the question? What did Jesus say? Why?
- In what way was Jesus clarifying the Gospel and what is required to become a Christian? How does this help you?

WEDNESDAY // Read John 4:19-20, Deuteronomy 11:29-32, 12:5-7, 2 Chronicles 6:1-6

- Why do you think the Samaritan woman raised the debate about where to worship when she did?
- What does this reveal about her perspective on spiritual matters? What does it also reveal about self-reflection?
- In what way can people today have the same confusion about Jesus? How can this be prevented?

THURSDAY // Read John 4:21-22, Matthew 1:1-17, Romans 3:1-2, 9:3-5

- What did Jesus mean when he told the woman, "Samaritans worship what they don't know"?
- What was also being highlighted when Jesus said, "salvation is from the Jews"? How was He adjusting her?
- Why did she need adjusting? (i.e., prior comments) What does this teach about being a good listener with others?

FRIDAY // Read John 4:23-24, 10:27-28, Matthew 15:1-9

- In what way was Jesus being countercultural to the woman at the well? (i.e., challenging her worldview)
- What does it mean to worship in "spirit and truth"? How does it relate to a personal relationship with Jesus? Explain.
- Explain how this prevents institutional Christianity. Why is this important to highlight when sharing your faith?

SATURDAY // Read John 4:1-26

- As you reread the story of the woman at the well, what specifically stands out to you regarding Jesus?
- How did He start the conversation? How did He make spiritual connections? How did He address sin? Why?
- What about this story encourages you to be more intentional about sharing your faith more? Be specific.