

## *Psalm 51 - Personal Revival*



### *Start Talking. Conversation starter for your group.*

- At what time in your life were you closest to God? What was the evidence in your life that made you realize you were closest to Him? What caused you to drift?

### *Start Thinking.*

- To understand **Psalm 51**, we need to understand why David wrote it. Read **2 Samuel 11:2-5 & 2 Samuel 11:14-17** What sin(s) did David commit?
- David loved God, but committed these sins. Why? How do you think David drifted in his relationship with the Lord?
- Read **2 Samuel 12:1-9**. At the moment Nathan reveals that David is the one in the wrong, how do you think David felt?
- Now read **Psalm 51:1-5**. David is repentant and asked the Lord for what?
- Read **Psalm 51:10-12**. How does God create a clean heart in people? Why is this necessary?

### *Start Sharing.*

- David loved God, but was deep into sin. David got so deep in his sin that he was blind to it. He was playing the part of a Pharisee (Hypocrite, lying, murder, greed, etc). Is there any sin in your life that you may be blind to? Why is it so hard to see your sin, but easy to see others?
- Chance said that God sends revival to people, not places. What does that mean?
- Personal revival starts with personal repentance. Are you experiencing God's revival today? Why or why not?

### *Start Doing.*

- Break off into smaller groups. Confess to one another sins in your life. Then, pray over each person in the group, specifically asking for God to send revival and for the HOLY Spirit to illuminate more of God and His Word!