Home Small Group Lesson The House of God Isaiah 2

Start It Up

• Opening Icebreaker:

*In your opinion, what is the "most important place" you have ever visited? What made it so important? Who was there? What was it like?

Talk it Over

• Sermon in a Sentence:

Our Lord will be back, (v.1-3a)
...and the fighting will stop, (v.3b-4)
- let's walk His direction! (v.5)

- Which part of the sermon impacted you, gave insight, challenged you, encouraged you or helped give direction to life?
- In the latter days, the Kingdom of God will be the "highest" of all mountains. The NLT translates it: "The most important place on earth." As you think of that day, describe what will be so special about that place.
- Notice the eagerness (v.3) with which people travel and invite others to join them in the presence of God. How do people typically gather at church? What is missing? Why does there seem to be a lack of eagerness? What is wrong at the heart of God's people?
- Perhaps we can't even comprehend v.4...a world without war or conflict. As you look at the conflict, hostility, fighting, disagreement, and divisions in your life, what one relationship are you most longing for peace?
- Describe a relationship with neighbor, family member or coworker where you need to "turn your sword to a plowshare" and pursue peace. Have people pray for this.
- We are told in v.5 to "walk in the light." Without getting complicated, what is one simple way you could walk in the light of the Lord this week?

Prav it Over:

- Give God thanks for His church! The Household of God! In your prayer, get specific with things you are thankful for.
- Pray for the "members of the household of faith." Pray for an eagerness and desire to prioritize the house of God.
- Pray for those who need to "come" and join you on the road of faith.
- Pray for peace in relationships, and for God to give you courage to be a peacemaker.
- Surrender your heart to the unfolding plan of God and the coming of His Kingdom.