



Sermon Discussion Guide

October 16, 2022

What is our Canaan?

Gather



... with your family

... with friends or your 3G Group on a Phone Conference or video call
(eg. Zoom, Hangouts, House Party, FaceBook Watch Party)

Grow



Processing today's message...

- **Aha!** – What did you learn? What challenged you?
- **Uh-oh!** – What concerns did it raise?
- **Hmmm!** – What do you need to think about some more?

Dig a little deeper...

1. Read Ephesians 2:10 and discuss the following questions:
 - a. What does it mean that we are God's masterpiece?
 - b. Does this verse teach us something about the reason why God saved us?
 - c. What do you think are the "good things he has planned" that God wants us to do?
2. Pastor Perry stated that Living Springs' "Canaan" is, "to be a community center that is at the center of the community." What are your thoughts about? Does that mean that we are to cease seeing and speaking of LSCC as a church?
3. What are some areas of brokenness that we see in our community? **Can** the church help bring healing to any of these areas? **Should** the church be thinking about these things or should it just focus on getting people saved?

Go – How can you BLESS your neighbor this week?



- Begin with Prayer
- Listen
- Eat
- Serve
- Share Your Story

Exodus 6:6-8; Joshua 1:2-5;

What was Canaan?

Canaan was physical location with a divine purpose.

Transformation of a People - Exodus 6:7

Transformation of a Place - Exodus 6:8

God brought us out to bring us in.
Ephesians 2:10

God wants us to live in freedom from sin... But God also wants us to be a force in the community.
We are saved to be agents of change!

What is Living Springs' "Canaan"?

- What is this place?
- Reviewing the 5-year plan

This is our Canaan!

- *To be a community center that is at the center of the community.*
- We want to live out our faith in a way that touches and positively impacts every aspect of our community.
- Jesus came to bring healing and restoration – a return to a state of wholeness.
- Jesus expects us to do the same