

CENTERGROVE CHURCH

Lessons from the Life of Gideon

Judges 6:11-27

SCRIPTURE FOR FURTHER STUDY:

Romans 12:6-8 | John 20:19, 21

DISCUSSION GUIDE:

1. This week we saw in Judges that God works in the midst of everyday life. In fact He worked in a desolate time during Gideon's life. Why is it so easy for us to lose focus and not see Him working? What disciplines and practices help you most to see Him working? Are there specific verses or passages that help you in this area? If so, what are they?
2. If the angel of the Lord "knocked on your door" with an assignment what would your first reaction be? Read Romans 12:6-8. What gifts do you think that God has given you? What are some things that you are passionate about? What experiences in life help shape how God may want to use you in His work in the world?
3. What do you see as the key to living with God's promise of power and peace on a routine basis?
4. How have you seen small steps of obedience be used in your own life or in the life of someone you know to "grow something" in ministry? Is there a step that you need to take? Is He tapping you on the shoulder?
5. Take some extended time to pray:
 - Thank God for the ways that He has used other's obedience to help you come to faith and grow to be like Him.
 - Pray for our church. Pray that all over our region, the people of our church would be sensitive to His direction and call to do ministry in a variety of ways.
 - Pray for ministries in our area which are ministering to others in difficult circumstances.
 - Ask God to show you any next steps you need to take

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