Sermon Discussion Questions

Fruit of the Spirit: Peace – Kim May

21 April 2024

Sermon Text: Mark 4:35-41

AGENDA

- People arrive, talk, snack, and icebreaker 5 min
- Worship − 5-10 min
- Prayer/Ministry Time 20 min
- Discussion Questions 35-45 min

PRAYER/MINISTRY TIME (20-30 min)

Ask for prayer requests. Ask for specific needs of group members.

MESSAGE INTRODUCTION

This week, Kim May continues our series on the Fruit of the Spirit as he brings us a message on the fruit of Peace. **Icebreakers**

Pick one of the icebreaker questions below and go around in a circle (starting with the leader) and have everyone answer. (If you have new members or guests have each person introduce themselves.)

- 1. What is the worst storm you ever experienced?
- 2. What do your pets think about storms?
- 3. Do you enjoy yardwork?

We live in a world where we will all face situations that threaten to overwhelm us. Let's see what Kim says about the peace available to us in those times.

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS (35-45 min)

- 1. Last week you were asked to see if there were things in your life preventing you from experiencing and living a life of joy. How did that go? Did you identify any areas in your life? Will you share with your group?
- 2. Is there something that resonated with you from Kim's message this week on Peace?
- 3. How might you relate to the disciples encountering a furious storm? More prone to being overwhelmed or under-loved?
- 4. Talk about a time when you felt overwhelmed or under-loved.
- 5. How did you trust God through that experience and find peace?

APPLICATION

Are you living a life of peace? Are you trying to find your own peace? Are you facing trials you don't understand? This week, give the trials and situations you don't understand to Jesus and trust in Him to give you peace. Share with your group if trying this resulted in you receiving peace over that situation.

COMING UP

To join a small group or find out more about what is going on, click on the NWC App, the website https://nwckc.com, or the New Wine Church Community Group Facebook page. Sermon study questions can be found in all three locations.

Selah Women's Retreat, 3-4 May, Heartland Retreat Center, Parkville, MO. Follow the link to register: https://subsplash.com/newwinechurch/lb/ev/+2rvhqw9

Youth Summer Camp, Grades 6-12, 17-22 June. To sign up or for more information go to: https://subsplash.com/newwinechurch/lb/ev/+sywckrv

Kids Camp, 10-12 July from 10:00am to 2:00pm at Power Play. Register here: https://subsplash.com/newwinechurch/lb/ev/+sr5sc4m/register

FINAL THOUGHT

Spiritual trust results in spiritual peace.