



Welcome: What is your favorite type of cookie during the Christmas holiday season?

Worship: Listen to Born Again by Third Day.

Word: Read *John 3:1-8*.

What stood out most to you from this week's sermon/scriptures?

Share your stories of how God used crisis, deadly circumstances, guilt, trouble, etc. to bring new life, His life, into your existence.

PBJ illustrated the phrase "born of water and spirit" through the sacrament of baptism. Have you been baptized or thinking about it? (If not, reach out to Pastor Moe to a part of our next celebration).

Have you had a "born again" experience? If not, spend time now or at the end of the discussion closing with a prayer for surrender and ask God to breath into you new life.

Read Matthew 9:9-13.

Do you perceive yourself as well or as ill? Do we ever arrive at a place in our faith where we no longer need to go to God with a sense of dependency?

Answer honestly, do you have a passionate desire to see others blessed as God has blessed you? If yes, what are you doing about it?

Witness: Pray for Monterey Church to have an experience with death that leads to life and overflows in an active passion to lead others as God has led us.