

PATHWAYS

A FAIL-PROOF PLAN FOR HOW TO GROW SPIRITUALLY

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

HEBREWS 10:19-25 // DRAW NEAR, HOLD FAST, & STIR UP SOMETHING GOOD

1. Was there anything about the message today that you found particularly helpful? Anything you'd like to discuss further?
2. Was there anything from our discussion last week that you'd like to report on? Did you act on any of your "next step" commitments? If so, tell us about it.
3. What is the difference between personal worship & corporate worship?
4. Jesus rebuked the Pharisees for an unholy focus on the "traditions of men." They were worshiping God with their lips but not their hearts. Do we see this today in our corporate worship gathering? How so? How does the church prevent this?
5. Singing is a big part of corporate worship. Pastor Wes encouraged "enthusiastic" singing. Why do you think singing is such an important part of corporate worship?
6. Preaching is another big part of worship. The Holy Spirit is not only involved in the preaching of the Word but also the hearing/responding to the Word. What's the best way to listen to a sermon? How do you benefit most from sermons?
7. Giving is also something we do during our worship gatherings. Your generosity is a good measure of your spiritual health. What hinders generosity in corporate worship? What promotes and elevates it? Why is it so important to the worship gathering?
8. Discuss the role of prayer in corporate worship. What do you think hinders prayer in corporate worship? What promotes and elevates it? How does this text address it?
9. In light of today's discussion, what are some practical next steps that you can take this week to apply God's Word to your life? How can we help you/pray for you so that you're successful in that effort?