Sermon Discussion Questions: Back to the Altar | Isaiah 6 Nate Elarton, Compelled Church January 30,30 2017

SOAP Scripture-Observation-Application-Prayer

Scripture: Isaiah chapter 6

Icebreaker: Have you heard the way of Bible Reading and Study called S.O.A.P. before? Do you use another way?

- 1. Read Isaiah 6.1-5
- 2. Isaiah loved the King and was greatly disappointed at the kings death. Has God ever met you and revealed Himself to you in some of your lowest times? Would you share?
- 3. What is God doing during this time?
- 4. Have you ever experienced God's presence so intense that you reacted, responded, were changed and He just showed up?
- 5. The application Pastor Nate drew from this Scripture are as follows
 - 1. We can see the Lord in the toughest moments.
 - 2. Don't underestimate God's greatness or God's power!
 - 3. Humility brings transformation- James 4.6-10
 - 4.Do I <u>not</u> have an awareness of myself or where I live because I do not slow down to be in God's presence?
 - 5. God's goodness meets our greatest need.

Which one of these really speaks to where you are at right now. Why?

6. What is this verse saying to us. James 4:6 (NASB95)

James 4.6 But He gives a greater grace. Therefore it says, "GOD IS OPPOSED TO THE PROUD, BUT GIVES GRACE TO THE HUMBLE."

But He answered them, "My Father is working until now, and I Myself am working" John 5.17

- 7. Pastor Nate said this "Conviction + Confession=Cleansing". How was this shown in Isaiah, and how is this true in our lives?
- 8. Read Isaiah 6.6-9. What did the Lord say?
- 9. What did Isaiah say? Why do you think he was so willing?

Sometimes the Lord needs to minister to us and then we will be ready to minister to others. Close in prayer as the Holy Spirit leads you for yourself and others.