

Psalm 51 (All Campus discussion guide)

Sermon Summary

Psalm 51 is a chapter that unpacks the heart of David's response toward his sin. Although David was king, he made some pretty bad decisions, and his decisions led to bad consequences. However, Psalm 51 shows us that in the wreckage of his sin, God continued to forgive. When we repent, God forgives. Repentance and forgiveness are a part of God's grace working in us. Let's lean in to see what genuine repentance really looks like.

Key Passage: Psalm 51

Questions for Reflection and discussion

Same as usual for the Know section

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Sin's consequences never fall solely on the sinner. Almost always, others are hurt in the wreckage. Have you experienced this truth in your life? Discuss what you've experienced/learned regarding this.

What does David do when confronted with his sin? How should we, as believers, react to our sin? (v. 1-2)

How do you know if repentance is real? What is the result of genuine repentance?

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Satan loves to accuse Christians of things that Jesus has already paid for on the cross. Give an example of how remembering Christ' death and resurrection on our behalf can change our perspective when we feel shame.

When confronted by your sin, what things do you tend to do?

How can we begin implementing this model of confession and repentance in our community group?