EXODUS

Week 3: The Priests

Memory Verse:

19 Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, 20 teaching them to observe all that I have commanded you. And behold, I am with you always, to the end of the age."

Matthew 28:19-20

1) CATCH UP ON LIFE

This is when we update each other on the day in and day out happenings of our lives. Because God is our Father we are family.

Celebrate the wins - where have you seen Jesus working in the last week (shaping you to be more like Himself or working in the lives of those that He's put around you)?

What (if any) big life updates do you need to catch us up on (positive or negative)? Are there any practical needs you have right now?

Pray: Take every opportunity to pray and thank God for the good He's doing in our lives, and ask for help and healing anywhere there is pain.

2) REVIEW THE MISSION

Through the empowerment of the Holy Spirit we have been sent as missionaries in everyday life to display God's glory and lead others to repentance and faith.

What is your approach currently to sharing the gospel with others? How do you go about it? When was the last time you told someone who didn't know Christ about the gospel?

3) DISCUSS AND ENGAGE

Since we follow Jesus we seek to apply the Gospel continually to all of life. God uses His Word to reveal Himself to us, to equip us to live the good life He's designed for us, to show us our sin, and to strengthen us as we follow Him. We preach the Word on Sundays and apply it as a Group throughout the week. (2 Timothy 3:16-17, Colossians 1:9-12 and James 1:22-25).

Read Exodus 28

What stands out to you about the priestly garments? What do you see that points to Christ's ultimate fulfillment of the priesthood?

Read Exodus 29

What stands out to you about this consecration ceremony for the priests?

Read Hebrews 1:3 & 10:11-25

Take a moment together to consider the three "let us" conclusions that the author of Hebrews makes in connection with Jesus as our High Priest. How might you need to grow in each of these areas?