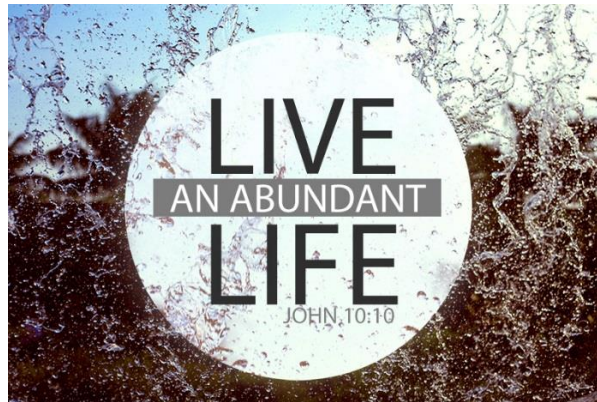


Group Leader Notes 2.26.17

Sermon Title: “**Abundance:** Serving Situated” – Dr. David Speicher

Ice Breaker: If you could live at any time in history when would it be?



Song Suggestions: “Be Enthroned” by *Bethel Music*, “Beautiful Jesus” by *Kristian Stanfill*, “Let it Echo” by *Jesus Culture*, “Lead me to the Cross” by *Hillsong United*, “We Fall Down” by *Chris Tomlin*

Read Scripture: *John 10:10, Ephesians 1:3, Matthew 20:25-28, Philippians 2:3-11*

Q 1: “What worldly philosophy often keeps us from living in the abundance that God has for us? (The “get” principle) What lie does this philosophy ascribe to? (*abundance comes from what I collect, or what I have vs. abundance coming from serving*)

Q 2: What was the ultimate downfall of the King of Tyre and Satan in *Ezekiel 28:1-10*? (*Pride in position and possession*) What application does this have for us today?

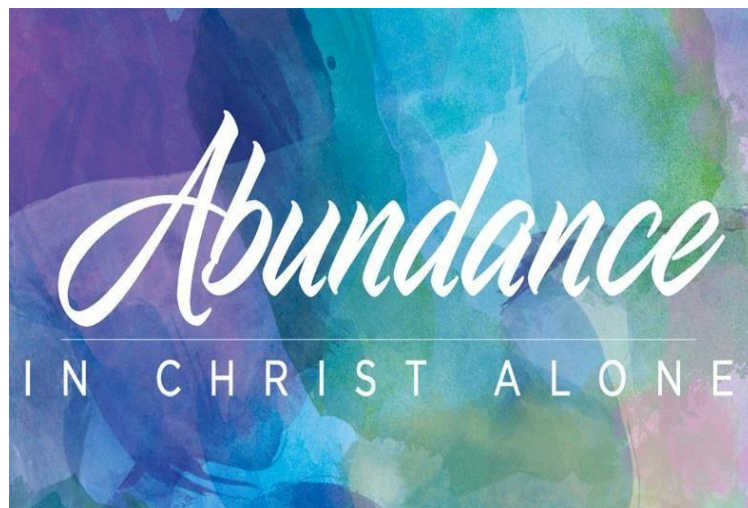


“The more you serve, the more abundance you will know.” – Dr. David Speicher

Q 3: What prerequisite of greatness do we see in Jesus for us to model our lives after in *Matthew 20:25-28*? (We see further evidence of Christ’ attitude for our emulation in *Philippians 2:3-11*)

Q 4: What do you hear God saying you need to do with what you have heard about the abundance Jesus promised in *John 10:10* coming from being “serving situated”?

Q 5: If abundance comes from serving, and serving is best experienced in community; where or how can you as a group begin regularly serving together?



Group Leader:

Spend some time dwelling and asking our heavenly Father how we can take action to meet the felt needs of the world and show our love. Listen to His answers! Make a SAM goal. (*Specific, Attainable, Measureable*) and share it with 1-2 people. Ask them to lovingly check in on your progress on that goal during the week. As a group, pray over those “neighbors” that have been laid on your heart. Now go do it!

Also, don’t forget about the Send Challenge. Although the official time period for the competition is done, keep going! Some challenges can be done individually, some as a Group, so keep living a lifestyle of Send as we all seek to impact the world for the Kingdom of God! Remember, we at South Bay believe that the Christian living the abundant life that Christ has for them is living a life of Caring, Equipping, and Sending!