



Lyona bible church

LIFE GROUP QUESTIONS – July 25, 2010

Announcements – Please read these to your group!

Please check your bulletin and the website (www.lyona.org) each week for additional information.

- **THEOS:** Two courses are being offered: *Forgotten God* (Holy Spirit study) and *Heart Revolution* (Parables). We encourage those who will be sporadic during the summer to attend *Heart Revolution*.
- **Life Groups:** Our Life Groups are open to new couples and singles. So invite away!

Changed! One encounter will change you

Recap:

Questions:

1. What was the most interesting idea or principle about this Sunday's message?
2. What comes to mind when you think of the presence of God? Why
3. God was silent for 400 years before he spoke and moved to answer His people's prayers and fulfill His plan. How do you respond when God is silent? How often do we think of God's plan and timing in our prayers?
4. How hard is it for people to accept that there is a God who exists independently and unchangeably? Why?
5. God back through the list of Moses' excuses again: Inability/Identity, Inadequacy, inferiority, Infirmary, Indifference. How often have you used this same reasons for not doing what God has called you to do?
6. If we serve the same God today as Moses did, why is it that we are so apathetic toward spiritual issues and matters of faith?
7. Do you, after hearing the sermon this Sunday, need to confess anything or repent of anything? What in your life needs to change?

Prayer Requests

A place to write out your groups' prayer requests

SERMON NOTES

Each header with sub-points is a slide used in Sunday morning's PowerPoint presentation.

Text: Exodus 3 and 4

Speaker: Michael Fraser

Message: Changed!

One encounter with one of the following will change you!

- the **Presence** of God
- the **Power** of God
- the **Word** of God
- the **Spirit** of God
- the **Grace** of God
- the **Forgiveness** of God
- the **Mercy** of God

This morning we will look at the **Presence** of God through the story of Moses and the Burning Bush

- God's **Presence** reveals He is:
 - Holy
 - Compassionate
 - Imminent
 - God's **Presence** reveals He is the God who **commissions** people to participate in His purposes.
- God's **Presence** answers the statements of:
 - Who am I?
 - Who are you?
 - What If?
 - But
- God's **Presence** answers the questions about:
 - Academics or Action?
 - Method or Message?
- "I AM"
 - The God who exists;
 - The God who exists independently;
 - The God who exists independently and unchangeably!
- God's **Presence** is the answer for:
 - Inability (Identity)
 - Inadequacy
 - Inferiority
 - Infirmary
 - Indifference
- God's **Presence** reveals that it is not a problem of fear of failure but a failure of faith.
- God's **Presence** changed an ordinary person into an extraordinary one!
- He still does that today!