

Discipleship Tip

"Nothing organic continues to grow forever. God continues growth by planting new seeds. As leaders we must figure out ways to plant new seeds." - Dan Reiland.

I'd say connect groups are new seeds!

Connect Group Notes

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Ps J.John

The Essence of Christianity

You are so valuable to God

However creased or dirty, whatever we have done, we have never lost our value in God's eyes.

Jesus valued us so much that He willingly allowed Himself to die on the cross to set US free from the past and to assure of us our future in God. He chose to die for all of our sins and to liberate us.

Jesus is Alive

Jesus Christ was resurrected and is alive, as was foretold in both the Old and New Testaments (there are 322 messianic prophecies about Jesus Christ in the Old Testament).

Because He is alive, everything He said and did both prior to and after the resurrection is authenticated. We can believe in Jesus for our past, present and future.

It is only by our choice that Jesus can enter our lives

God gives us free will and it must be our choice to allow Him into our lives. More than anything else we need cleansing. In Jesus Christ, God sent us a saviour to forgive us. He will knock at the door, but only we can invite him in to live the life that God intended for us.

TALK ABOUT

- How does it make you feel to be valued by God?
- How has your relationship with Jesus set you free?
- If you don't know Jesus, or have become distant from Him, are you listening for His knock?

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Dear Leader,

We are always looking for great stories about things happening in your Connect Group. If you have had some exciting breakthroughs, any inspirational stories, or just tell us what you love about your group, please email connect@myc3church.net

Many thanks, The Connect Team