CLARITY discussion guide

Sunday, March 8, 2020

Lent: His Sorrow Luke 19:41-48



BELONG

When was the last time you had a good cry? What was it about that moment that caused you to weep? How did you feel afterward? Is crying something you do frequently or is it rare for you to shed tears?

What place do you feel the most at peace?

How does this passage help you to see Jesus more clearly?

GROW

Read Luke 19:41-44.

Recap last week's study of Luke 19:28-40. What were the people expecting? How do you think their expectations led to Jesus' words and emotions in verses 41-44? What was Jesus anticipating that caused Him to weep? Why do you think He was so moved in this way?

Read Luke 19:45-48.

What was going on at the temple that had Jesus so upset? What would be a modern equivalent of what Jesus does in this passage? How would people respond today?

Contrast the response of the religious leaders to that of the people in verses 47-49. Why were their reactions to Jesus so different? What was motivating each group?

Has Jesus "turned over tables" in your life recently? Where has He been at work cleansing you? Ask the Lord to reveal a specific area of blindness in your life. In what areas are you not accurately seeing Jesus or yourself? What patterns in your life reflect a desire for selfish gain rather than humble submission?

How are you serving weekly to help create a healthy environment for others to engage in worship and pray together? Where do you see God working in and through the ministry of the local church? If you are not currently serving in the church, who can you talk to about making that kind of investment?

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Sunday	Luke 19:41-48
Monday	Luke 20:1-26; Psalm 45:8-17; Proverbs 7:18-21
Tuesday	Luke 20:27-21:4; Psalm 46:1-4; Proverbs 7:22-24
Wednesday	Luke 21:5-38; Psalm 46:5-11; Proverbs 7:25-27
Thursday	Luke 22:1-13; Psalm 47:1-9; Proverbs 8:1-3
Friday	Matthew 26:14-20; Psalm 48:1-5; Proverbs 8:4-7
Saturday	Mark 14:1-17;

Psalm 48:6-14; Proverbs 8:8-10

serve

Community Kid's Closet Sunday, March 8 - Sunday, April 5

NEW CLOTHES & SHOES to NWA KIDS in NEED Community Kids' Closet serves over 500 underprivileged children in Northwest Arkansas schools each semester with the gift of new clothes and shoes.

CHOOSE A KID TO SHOP FOR

Participating children receive two shirts, two pairs of pants, five pairs of socks, five pairs of underwear, and tennis shoes. These new clothing items are generously donated by friends like you. Each fall and spring we post the kids' clothing needs in The Foyer, so you can choose a kid to shop for.

Follow us on Facebook to see when and where we will be posting the kids' needs notes for you to choose from.

HELP US SERVE MORE KIDS!

If you are interested in volunteering as a liaison with a local school, we'd love your help! Our liaisons partner with school counselors to get the right size clothes and shoes to the kids we serve. Contact Ray Wagoner if you would like to volunteer.

pray

Pray for global workers, Logan and Emily, that they will not be discouraged in their language learning as the content is becoming more difficult.