

Tuesday Evening Sermon at Brightons Parish Church Digging Deeper with God – Tuesday 31st March 2020

Further reflections on tonight's sermon for personal, group or family devotion. Read the Scriptures again slowly in a quiet space and notice which verse(s) God is especially highlighting to you:

Luke 17:5-19

Write the verse down and invite God in prayer to tell you why this verse is significant to you. Remember God speaks today!

Here are some questions to think through in addition to what might have struck you already:

- What are the mundane tasks for which you cry out, “increase my faith”?
- What is it about the person and promises of God that maintain your faith?
- What areas are you needing your faith to mature? What promises of God might help? Where might God be leading you to know more of His person?
- As we draw closer to Easter, what aspects of loving kindness in Jesus are you seeing and appreciating afresh?
- How do you cultivate a rhythm of thankfulness?
- Spend a little time talking to God in prayer. Here's something to get you started or to round off your time:

My Lord and Saviour, Jesus Christ,
You are good, loving and kind,
and I praise You for Your constancy even in this difficult time.
I give You thank for the many gifts
of Your generosity in my life (*name them...*)
and for neighbours and friends (*name a few that come to mind...*).
Forgive me Lord for when I have been slow to come to You
in thankfulness, or where I develop a mentality of “reward”,
or treat You like a “genie in a bottle” –
help me, by Your grace and love, to change,
to become a person who follows in Your way,
the way of self-giving, radical love.
Heavenly Father, I bring before You the concerns that are most
upon my heart tonight (*name them...*)
Hear my prayer, Lord God Almighty,
for I ask these things in Jesus' name, Amen.