

Life Application Questions

Consider the following sermon-based questions for your individual study or with a group of folks like one of the several Life Groups available at Chilson Hills.

Foundational Scripture:

Luke 5:1-11

Featured Scripture Reflection

“Jesus said to Simon, “There is nothing to fear. From now on you’ll be fishing for men and women.” They pulled their boats up on the beach, left them, nets and all, and followed Jesus. (Luke 5:10-11, The Message)

Opening Icebreaker

What was it like the first time you left home and struck out on your own (going into the military, college, first apartment, etc.)?

Scripture Questions

What is the scripture saying?

- What is actually happening with Simon in this story?
- How did the large catch of fish in the middle of the day affect the people?
- What do the people believe about Jesus at this time?
- What do you think caused the men to leave their homes and small businesses to follow Jesus?

How is your life touched?

- Picture yourself as Simon Peter. What would you be feeling and thinking at this moment of his life?
- Jesus invites you to “fish!” What does that mean for you in your daily life?
- What holds you back from sharing “your faith in Jesus” with others?
- Jesus wants your life to be rich and overflowing with “fish.” That is, Jesus is interested in your business life as well as every other part of life. How have you experienced Jesus’ miracle of overwhelming blessing in your life?

What is God’s invitation to you?

- Jesus challenges you to make a difference each day you are alive on this planet. What can you do this week to be more willing to live with and be like Jesus Christ your Risen Savior?

What can you pray for?

Pray that Chilson Hills will be a joyous Community of God’s incredible love power celebrating Jesus Christ each day.