New Life Small Group Questions - Sunday, Sept 6, 2020

Learning to Pray #2 Gahanna campus

Pick any 4 of these questions to discuss:

- 1. Read aloud Mathew 6:9. What does it mean for something to be "hallowed?" Why do you think Jesus began praying by telling God to make His name holy? How is God being holy a good thing for us?
- 2. The Lord's Prayer begins with addressing God as our Father, which conveys the idea of intimacy. What is the relationship between knowing God intimately as our Father and asking Him to be "hallowed?"
- 3. Read Isa 6:1-4. How does your understanding of God's holiness compare to Isaiah's experience? In what ways has God set Himself apart as holy in your life?
- 4. Does sin disqualify us from approaching and serving God? Why or why not? Why does confessing our sinfulness honor the Lord? How has another person's confession of sin had an impact you?
- 5. How does knowing that God is holy impact your prayer life? How does experiencing God's holiness lead you to repentance and serving?

Meeting on Zoom, in a parking lot, on a deck, or in a room - Use this format:

- 1. Welcome everyone Check-in! How's everyone doing?
- 2. Make plans for any ministry or fun activities you'll be doing soon as a group!
- 3. Discuss the Small Group Discussion Questions.
- 4. Share prayer requests and then pray for each other.

If launching or starting a NEW online small group:

- 1. Pick a couple of friends.
- 2. Pick a platform to use (Zoom or any number of options!)
- 3. Pick a time to meet on-line each week. Then just follow the format above.