

Sermon Questions for Community Groups

Sermon: This Changes Everything Part #2 - Hope

Date: Dec 10, 2017

Scripture: Matthew 1:18-25

1. How did God speak to you through the sermon on Sunday?
2. What is biblical hope and how is it different than the way our culture understands/defines it?
3. Mary and Joseph were put in a tough spot because of the cultural norms of their time. Gossip, slander, scandal, and struggle. What is a tough spot you found yourself in that God used for His glory and your good?
4. In your doubting, how do you often respond?
5. What are some of the promises God has given us to cling to when doubts or disappointments threaten to overwhelm us?
6. Doubts can be debilitating toward our spiritual growth. What are the ways God calls us in this passage to confront doubt?
7. 1 Peter 3:15 says: "But in your hearts set apart Christ as Lord. Always be prepared to give an answer to everyone who asks you to give the reason for the hope that you have. But do this with gentleness and respect." How would you respond to a non-believing friend/co-worker/family member who asked you for the hope that is in you?
8. How do you need hope in your life today?

Prayer Requests: