



In God We Trust, Week 2 - October 11 & 14, 2018

Ice Breaker: Would you rather be a quiet person in a room full of loud people or would you rather be a loud person in a room full of quiet people? Explain. Why?

1. What was one thing that spoke to you the most, from this week's message?
2. Read Esther 4:12-16
3. In your opinion what gave Esther the strength and courage to take the risk to enter into the inner court of the palace even when she knew anyone entering without being summoned by the king will be put to death unless the king extends the golden scepter to them and spares their lives? (Some answers: love for God and care for God's people, the fear of the Lord, prayer and fasting )
4. What does this passage mean to you personally in relation to our current culture, society and government Esther 4:14 "For if you **remain silent** at this time, relief and deliverance for the Jews (God's people, the Church) will arise from another place, but you and your father's family will perish. And who knows that you have come to your royal position **for such a time as this**". (hint: God wants to use us to lead more people to the Lord, bring healing, freedom and salvation )
5. What are some practical ways you can do to make a difference in our society and government like Esther? (hint: pray and fast, be a voice-raise and your concerns, vote, pay your taxes, serve )
6. Read Joel 2:12-13; Luke 18:1-12 There is power in prayer and when we trust the name of the Lord Jesus. Close and encourage everyone to pray and maybe during the week to fast if they're able too.
  1. Pray for all our government officials that they be guided by the Spirit and will implement godly laws that pleases the Lord.
  2. Pray that the Church will have a greater influence and engagement in our present culture , society and government to boldly and unapologetically proclaim the gospel and Word of God.
  3. Pray for the coming election that the Lord will raise up into positions of influence / leadership that will help solve difficult problems in our state and nation.
  4. Pray for unity in the Church body, the Bride of Christ to love each other, serve and work together in reaching out and saving the lost in our state and nation.

Coming up Events:

Night Of Worship - Oct 25 at 6:30 | Doors Open at 5:30 PM for fellowship, light dinner

If My People: Night of Prayer and Intercession for NE - Oct 28 | Doors Open at 5:00 PM

At the SNHU Arena