Small Group Questions

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Series: Games We Play

Message: “Sorry”

This six week series will take popular games, some older and some newer, and take the theme of that game and connect it to a biblical principle or teaching. The themes will be pretty diverse, so each week will be able to stand alone, making it a great time for new people to jump into the series at any point.

We seek to have a rhythm and a purpose to our series. After the Christmas season and after Easter, we try to develop series that guests during those two big holidays would want to be a part of. During these unusual days of social distancing and not being able to meet all together at the church, online has provided a new opportunity. Know that new people are connecting with the church and during this season we are seeking to connect new folks to a group, mostly those meeting via Zoom. God is working in some exciting ways and that includes our groups!

Thank you once again for you service to God by loving the people in your group, even if that’s through a device!

(Questions to get everyone to participate)

1. (If you’re comfortable sharing) What is one of your most embarrassing moments? Does it haunt you still?
2. What is one character trait of yours that you pride yourself on the most (in a good way)?

(Questions based on the primary texts)

Read 2 Peter 1:3-11.

1. From verses 3-4, what is “everything we need” or “all things” for life, as described by Peter?
2. In verse 5 Peter writes we must supplement our faith, or add to our faith. Why do you suppose this? For what purpose?
3. What 7 qualities are listed are we to “make every effort” to add to our faith?
4. Do you suppose there is a purpose in the way Peter orders this?
5. What are the results of not embracing the grace given by Jesus (vs 9)? How do we avoid such results?
6. What does Peter say about our effectiveness for God (vs 8)?
7. As a group, how can you help each other remove the burden of shame, and embrace the gift of God’s grace, resulting in more effectiveness for God? Are there practical ways to help each other throughout the week?