



Life Group Study Questions

Romans 4:13-25

1. Read Romans 4:13-25 together. As you think about this weekend's sermon, what stood out to you? What questions come to mind based on the passage? Was there anything unclear or confusing?
2. When was a time you had to trust someone's promise even though everything around you suggested it might not come true? How did that feel? Was it difficult or easy to trust?
3. According to Paul, why can't the promise come through the law? Why does faith make the promise a guarantee?
4. Walk through verses 19-22 and talk about what Abraham's faith looked like. How did his faith in God translate into his everyday life? How would you define biblical faith based on the example of Abraham?
5. What are the specific truths about Jesus we are called to believe for our own justification? (Vs. 24-25)
6. The first point Pastor Andrew made was that "Justification by faith gives us a new identity". Did you experience this when you repented and trusted in Christ? What changed? Read Ephesians 2:1-3 and then 2 Corinthians 5:17-21 and talk about the old person vs. the new person in Christ.
7. The second point Pastor Andrew made was that "Justification by faith gives us complete assurance". Did you or do you wrestle with truly believing you are saved? Why or why not? Why is it important to remember that a follower of Jesus is simultaneously righteous and sinful?
8. The third point Pastor Andrew made was that "Justification by faith gives us hope". How is our hope of eternal life dependent on our view of justification?