

ICEBREAKER: If you could change one thing about yourself, what would that be?

WHEN YOU PRAY – ENRICH THE EARTH

ISAIAH 9:6 *For to us a child is born...and the government will be on his shoulders... NIV*

Jesus is the head of the church and we are the body of Christ. The government and authority of God rests upon the body of Christ, rather than the head. God is always looking for men and women to commission to his work in the earth.

EXODUS 3:8-10 *I have come down to rescue (the Israelites)...their cry has reached me... So now, go. I am sending you...*

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS:

1. Share a time when God has called you to provide for someone.
2. What are some specific ways God calls us to enrich the lives of others?

God enriches us with authority to enrich the lives of others naturally and supernaturally! Notice our call in Isaiah is to strengthen and encourage:

ISAIAH 35:3-4 *Strengthen the feeble hands, steady the knees that give way; say to those with fearful hearts, "Be strong, do not fear; your God will come...to save you."*

After we do what we are called to do then God will do what only God can do.

ISAIAH 35:5-6 *Then will the eyes of the blind be opened and the ears of the deaf unstopped. 6 Then will the lame leap like a deer, and the mute tongue shout for joy. Water will gush forth in the wilderness and streams in the desert. NIV*

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS:

1. Share how you have experienced God's transformation in a specific area of your life.
2. What are the differences between merely existing and truly living?

GP4RL PRAYER STRATEGY:

1. Pray daily, asking the Holy Spirit for awareness to his promptings.
2. Select your favorite worship song to wake up to in this season.
3. Play the song as soon as you wake with your prayer list in hand.
4. Obey the promptings of the Lord throughout your day – practice!
5. Consider fasting and prayer weekly.