

Emmanuel Prayer List - January

Awana Kids' Ministry

- Continued growth in kids attending.
- Move others to volunteer to help in this program each Wednesday.
- As kids memorise Scripture each week may the truth of God's Word become real to their tender hearts.

Study Continued

8. We have been given the greatest gift anyone could receive, the gift of salvation. How can we prepare ourselves to share this gift with others?

How can we be 'ready' to share this gift with others?

9. You might not think you have much of a story, but you do. God uses our life, our circumstances etc. to bring hope to others. Read 2 Cor 1:3-4. God has probably brought people into your life that were able to help you. Can you think of people that you might be able to help, because of being through similar circumstances?

9. In verse 7, Peter took the man by the hand. This is a picture of how God works together with us to bring hope, healing and life to others. The Bible tells us that everyone who is a Christian has the Holy Spirit within them. In addition, we have all been gifted by the Holy Spirit so that we can do the work of Christ in the world (Read Romans 12:6-8). How do you think God might use you to reach others, or help others, for Christ?

WHAT'S ON?

Tonight: Bible Study - 6.30pm - Book of Galatians.

Wednesday

Bible study - 1.30pm Continuing our study in the Gospel of Mark.

Children (Awana) - 6.30pm

Jr High (Fusion) **and Senior High** (Surge) - 6.30pm

Jan 22nd. Pizza Party for Sunday School children, families & volunteers

After the service - downstairs. No charge.

Jan 29th. Hospitality Sunday. Invite someone to your home for lunch.

Feb 5th. Newcomers Lunch - After the service, in the library.

Go to the website for details. www.emmanuelife.com

disciples making DISCIPLES



"Therefore go and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, and teaching them to obey everything I have commanded you. And surely I am with you always, to the very end of the age."

Matthew 28:19-20

1. Go in the Presence and Power of God - Acts 1-2
2. Give what you have - Acts 3
3. Share what you know - Acts 4
4. Be led by the Spirit - Acts 8
5. The harvest is plentiful - Acts 10
6. Don't leave them alone - Acts 11
7. Live your calling - Acts 13
8. Your circumstances are God's megaphone - Acts 28

Give what you have - Acts 3

Matt 10:8 Freely you have received, freely _____

PREPARE YOUR HEARTS

v.1 One day:

The disciples daily routine (2:42)

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____

BE LED BY THE SPIRIT

v.2 Where was the paralysed man put to beg, and why?

v.3-4 Peter and John will have seen this man regularly, what was different about this day?

Peter said _____

3 greatest needs of mankind

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v.5 So the man gave them his attention _____

GIVE WHAT YOU HAVE

v.6 Silver and gold I do not have, but _____

What do we have to give?

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REACH OUT A HAND

v.7 Taking him by the right hand, he _____

2 Cor 5:20 We are _____ for Christ, as though God is make His appeal through _____.

1. Read Acts 3:1-10. It is only a few weeks removed from the time when Peter denied even knowing Jesus. What has brought such a radical change in his life?

2. Read Acts 2:42-47. What was the regular routine of the early church. God through each one. What can we learn from this? What does it mean that they "devoted" themselves to these things?

What was the response of the community to their new lives?

3. Verse one begins, "One day..." This day was like every other day. There was no special service taking place, no program etc. Just like in our lives, opportunities come to make a difference in someone else's life. What needs to happen so that we don't miss those opportunities? (Also read John 4:35)

4. This paralysed man was put every day to beg from the people going into the Temple. Why the Temple? What do you think people expect from believers?

5. In verse 6 Peter and John looked at the man and said, "look at us." On this day, they saw the man that they saw every day with different eyes. In what way should we see people who don't know Christ? (Also read 2 Cor 5:16)

6. Peter and John were being led by the Holy Spirit. It wasn't Peter and John who healed this man (Peter knew that, see verse 12). If we are going to make a difference in people's lives we also need to be led by the Holy Spirit. How does being led by the Spirit and what you answered in Question 2, work together?

7. Peter and John couldn't give this man what he wanted. In your notes opposite, are listed 3 of the greatest needs of mankind. What are they, and why are they so important compared to what people think they need?

8. Do you think that you have much to offer the world? From your notes opposite, what do you have to give?