

Emmanuel Prayer Needs

Kids Summer Camps : Christian Kids' Activities in Prince Edward County

- Praise for all of the volunteers; Leaders and counselors who donate their time
- Safety for all of the campers and counselors and that they have good fun
- Pray for the campers to learn and know about Jesus and follow Him.
- Wisdom and guidance for all of the leaders and counselors
- Many friendships will be made at the camps.
- Epic Day Camp; grades 1-6 @ Emmanuel, 1 week Art and 1 week Sports.
- Pleasant Bay Camp; Options for Day Camp or overnight Camp
- Wesley Acres; Opportunities for all ages Day or overnight Camp.
- Vacation Bible School - held at EBC for one week. A Christian Theme

Study Continued

8. Read John 9:19-25. This blind man didn't care about the arguments as to who Jesus was, He just knew what He had done in his life. No one can take away from you what God has done for you. If everyone around you was behaving like these people, what would you say that Jesus had done for you? (Remember: He who has a testimony is never at the mercy of he who only has an argument - Charles Stanley)
9. Read John 9:26-34. The former blind man was astonished that these religious leaders couldn't acknowledge that Jesus was a man who had come from God. Why are people so reticent to say that Jesus is the Son of God?
10. Read John 9:35-41. The presence of Jesus brings judgement to us all by whether you accept or reject Him as being the Son of God. Jesus brought this man to a decision point in His life. What was his response?

Read Romans 12:1-2. What should be our response be to the mercy of God that has been shown to us?



MEET LIFE WITH A MIRACLE

"Whether he is a sinner or not, I don't know. One thing I do know. I was blind but now I see!"
John 9:25



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MEET LIFE WITH A MIRACLE - John 9

Matt 4:16 The people living in darkness have seen a _____

No matter how dark our life can get....

THE WORK OF THE FATHER (John 9:1-6)

The question of the disciples:

True faith =

Jn 9:3 This happened so that the _____ of God might be displayed in him.

Jn 9:4 As long as it is day, _____ must do the works of Him who sent me (Jesus)

The works of God:

Col 4:5-6

1 Pet 3:15

THE PROVING OF OUR FAITH

Why is there evil and suffering in the world:

1. How have you seen Jesus 'meet' you in the middle of suffering?

2. Read John 9:1-7. Try to put yourself in the position of this blind man. What was the attitude of the disciples towards this man? How do you think he was viewed in society? What about his parents?

3. Jesus said, "Neither this man nor his parents sinned," said Jesus, "but this happened so that the works of God might be displayed in him." What 'works of God' is Jesus referring to?

4. Read John 9:4-5. Jesus says, 'we', must do the works of Him who sent me. What does Jesus mean? (Also read Colossians 4:5-6 and 1 Peter 3:15)

5. The walk from the Temple (which is probably where Jesus met him), to the Pool of Siloam, is about 600M downhill, quite steep (vertical drop of 115M). It's about a 13 minute walk for most people, but for this blind man it would have taken considerably longer. What is going through his mind as he takes this 'walk of faith'?

Why do you think Jesus used the mud, and required him to go to the pool?

1 Pet 1:6-7 These have come so that your faith, which is of _____, may be proved genuine.

Heb 5:8

THE SUFFICIENCY OF CHRIST

Friends and neighbours (9:8-12):

The Pharisees (9:13-34)

Jesus brings everyone to a place of decision (9:35-41)

Believe (v.35-37):

Job 13:15

Worship (v.38):

Habakkuk 3:17-18

6. The question of suffering in the world is huge for many people, including Christians. If God is a God of love then why do bad things happen to good people? Why is there suffering? Why is there death? Why is there hell? Why do children suffer? How would you answer that kind of a question to someone who asked you?

Is there a question like that you struggle with?

Read 1 Peter 1:6-7 and Hebrews 5:8. What do suffering and trials teach us, and why is it so important?

7. Read John 9:8-18. Many didn't believe that he had been blind. Why is it that people struggle to believe it when God does a miracle in someone's life?