

MIDWEEK

“Lost and Found”

Lesson 1: It Begins with Prayer

ICE BREAKER:

What do you see as your biggest challenge or greatest fear when you consider sharing your faith?

QUESTION 1:

What were some interesting takeaways from John’s own personal story of faith that he shared?

QUESTION 2:

John introduced 4 principles that are essential to Evangelism: Prayer, Awareness, Urgency, and Love. Why do you think these 4 principles are so important?

QUESTION 3:

What is your own personal story of faith? Take a moment and have a couple of people at your table briefly share their own personal story.

QUESTION 4:

In the teaching, John not only emphasized the importance of prayer, but gave a few prayer directives to begin with each day with to help us on the journey of sharing our faith. Take some time at your table in prayer using these directives.

1. Come Holy Spirit
2. Pray for other people
3. Set alarm for 11:02 a.m. as a reminder - Luke 11:02 “Your Kingdom Come.”

CLOSING CHALLENGE:

We are currently in a weekend series entitled “Love Thy Neighbor.” Taking what we have learned in this teaching about the importance of prayer, let’s put it into practice this week. Here is a great way to do that!

Go to www.blesseveryhome.com and sign up for a list of neighbors to pray for.

Blesseveryhome.com gives you the tools to become a light for Christ in your neighborhood. It will give you names of people in your community to pray for by name. This is a great tool to use as you take your morning or evening neighborhood walk, to pray for the people around you.

