November 19, 2017

Giving Thanks - for the Love of God!

Ps. 136

Focus: encouragement to thank God for His love as Maker, Deliverer, and Provider

RESOURCES:

Here is a helpful article on the Psalm 136:

https://bible.org/seriespage/ psalm-136-his-lovingkindnesseverlasting



2017 Annual Priority:

To embrace & exalt Christ as most worthy in our lives, that we might: know Him truly, Love Him supremely, obey Him faithfully, and share Him gladly

Discussion:

- Read the Psalm aloud together. You might want to have one person read the first half of each verse and the whole group read the refrain each time!
- Note the three "buckets" that the love of God pours from: Creator (5-9), Deliverer (10-24) and Provider (25). Spend time talking about how you can better connect those to God's love each day. What makes that hard?
- How can you better remember to thank him for his love in each of these areas? Share ideas about how to recognize God's love and give thanks in each of these 3 "buckets". Have each person share one idea they want to practice in the days ahead.
- Close your time giving thanks for the steadfast love of God that endures forever!
- please encourage your group's participation in JOF. If anyone has not turned in their pledges, they can find key info. on our website:

http://northwake.com/resources/articles/jof-building-campaign/