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Session 2: The Plight

Small Group Discussion

What is sin?

Where does it come from?

What are five consequences of sin?

Large Group Discussion

Read Romans 1:18

What are some things that stick out to you about this verse?

Write your own definition for what you think the “wrath of God” is.

The wrath of God is his _____ when confronted by _____, _____, & his _____ being _____.

With this definition of wrath in your minds, how do you imagine God’s wrath playing out?

What do you think it means that human’s “suppress the truth by their wickedness?”

Read Romans 1:19-20

According to Paul, what truth are we suppressing?

What are some practical ways humans (ourselves included) are guilty of suppressing this truth?

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Read Romans 1:21-25

According to this passage, what is the root of all sin?

_____ is _____ the glory of God for something _____.

What is the consequence of this root sin? How does this relate to God's wrath being revealed?

In the simplest sense, God reveals his wrath in the here and now by _____.

Read Romans 1:26-27

Why do you think Paul uses the example of same-sex intercourse here?

"When we go against the way God created us to worship, it's only a matter of time before we go against the created order of everything else."

Read Romans 1:28-32

Does anything stick out to you in Paul's list of sins here?

Read Romans 2:1-24

How might Paul's words here be particularly damning to those like "us," who consider themselves to be in the right with God?

Application

Why do you think it is important to know and believe the things Paul wrote about today?



The more we understand our _____, the more we'll appreciate _____.

Ephesians 2:4-5 "4 But God, being rich in mercy, because of the great love with which he loved us, 5 even when we were dead in our trespasses, made us alive together with Christ —by grace you have been saved..."