4Ws for Week 37 (9-15 Sep'2024)

WELCOME (15 minutes)

(If there are first-time guests, begin with a round of introduction and warmly welcome the new visitors.)

Suggested icebreakers:

1. My Favorite/Comfort Food

Share your favorite or comfort food in our multi-racial nation, where specialty dishes from various racial and language groups can be found in our hawker centres, cafes, and restaurants. Have a happy chomp-chomp time!

2. My Daily Need and Sustenance

If you could have an unlimited supply of one thing for the rest of your life, what would it be and why?

WORSHIP (20 minutes)

(Encourage members to allow the Holy Spirit to minister through them by sharing words, visions, tongues and interpretations of tongues.)

Suggested worship songs:

- 1) Only Wanna Sing
- 2) Divine Exchange

WORD (45 minutes)

Preacher: SP Daniel Khong

Scripture Passage: Hebrews 10:19-25

Sermon Title: Gather Together

Introduction

SP Daniel builds on the previous two weekend sermons, "True Worship" and "Stronger Together," to address a longstanding issue within FCBC, one that is similar to what the early church faced. This challenge became particularly pronounced during the COVID-19 pandemic, when the church was unable to gather in person.

As Hebrews 10:19-25 instructs, the Church is commanded not to forsake meeting together, but to encourage and spur one another on, especially as we look forward to Christ's return.

Therefore, it is crucial for the Church to regularly **Gather Together** because:

- 1. It's An Expression of Our Commitment to One Another.
- 2. It's An Expression of Our Commitment to God.

Discovery and Understanding Questions:

Q1. How do we encourage one another by gathering together?

A1: We encourage one another as a community through our genuine faith, unwavering hope, and spurring each other on towards love and good deeds. The crucial thing is to encourage one another not to give up meeting together (Hebrews 10:22-25).

Q2. How do we show our commitment to God by gathering together?

A2. By being in community, we are provoked to love and good deeds (Heb.10:24). We develop longsuffering, kindness, gentleness, and self-control. In addition to these character traits, we also demonstrate the fruit of the Spirit (Gal.5:22-23). As Jesus said, "By this everyone will know that you are my disciples, if you love one another" (Jn.13:35). Gathering together and loving one another is a visible expression of our commitment to God.

Application Questions

Break into smaller groups, share, pray and minister to one another.

Q1. Reflect and share how you can actively demonstrate commitment to your fellow believers in the Cell?

Q2. Share one thing you have committed to God regarding the Church.

WORKS (15 minutes)

Focus on edification, equipping and evangelism.

- 1. **Build on the momentum of all your outreach efforts** continue praying for your pre-believing friends and family, connect with them, and invite them to your Cell and our Weekend Services.
- 2. **Consolidation of new believers** Diligently pray for and reach out to your friends and family who have decided to receive Jesus as their Lord and Saviour, guiding and helping them grow in the faith.

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