

Relate Group Questions

March 10, 2019

Ice Breaker Question:

What room of yours is the cleanest? Dirtiest?

Relate Group Value: Evangelism – as a group, being committed to expanding the community of believers through such things as sharing your faith, encouraging people to come to the group, and other types of outreach.

Sermon Series: Compelling Reasons to Believe

Sermon Title: Jesus Cleanses The Temple

Sermon Text: John 2:13-22

Other Relevant Scriptures: John 10:17-18; 11:25

1. When did Passover originate and what did it commemorate (see Exodus 12:1-13)?
2. Why did Jesus go up to Jerusalem for Passover?
3. Why was Jesus displeased by the selling of animals and the exchanging of money in the temple area?
4. What does this text teach us about the authority of Jesus?
5. Do you live in a way that demonstrates Jesus has authority over you?
6. How do you interpret Jesus' answer to the Jews, "Destroy this temple, and in three days I will raise it up? In what way is this the ultimate sign revealing the identity of Jesus (John 20:30-31)?
7. Why is the death, burial and resurrection of Jesus central to the gospel conversations you are having with your friends and neighbors?

Weekly Check-up:

How is your daily Bible reading going?

How has your prayer life been this past week?

Are you struggling in your obedience to God?

Have you shared Jesus with anyone this past week?

Have you invited anyone to worship or small group?

What do you need prayer and encouragement for today?