

Group Notes from Sunday 9th Sept

Next Sunday Stuart will be preaching on 'The Church is a people who know God', To follow this up we shall be meeting together at the Charis Centre for the next two weeks on both Wednesdays and Thursdays (as appropriate to your group)

God's Big Story

The powerpoint notes are below to give you a reminder of the main points from the message. You could look at Genesis 12 v1-3 and Gal 3 v 6-9 for the key verses of being sons of Abraham

Group question

How does the privilege of being part of the chosen people of God affect you? – How do you find yourself wanting to respond to that?

Key Action

Review the progress on inviting people to Alpha. Encourage one another and pray for the individuals who you are looking to invite (if you don't yet have a list of names for the whole group then do put this together as it will help you to go back to it over the next few weeks).

Powerpoint notes

IN THE BEGINNING GOD

He is: one, holy, just, love, all-powerful, all-knowing, unchanging

THE BIGGEST BLUNDER EVER

- Man chose sin
- Sin causes
 - separation
 - sickness
 - death

GOD'S GREAT PLAN

1. He chose a man (Abraham) and a people
 - to bless the world
2. He made himself known: progressively
 - through the law
 - through the prophets
 - through Israel's history
 - through the coming of Jesus

HE CAME IN JESUS

- He dealt with sin
- He dealt with separation
- He dealt with sickness
- He dealt with death
- He dealt with eternity
- He chose a new people
- He commissioned the church
- He will return

THE END OF THE STORY - GOD'S GREAT PLAN OF SALVATION WILL BE FULFILLED