

07.15.18 - Outside - Christian Lindbeck

Leader Prep Section

- During the summer we will pare down to just a few simple questions to prompt good conversation in your group as you meet at the park, BBQ, etc.
- When possible spend time in prayer for each member of your group.

Goal: Are we listening to the things that God's Creation teaches us about him?

1. What are some things that stood out to you from Sunday's sermon?
2. What are times in your life you've been totally in awe of God's creation?
3. What can we tell about God by looking and what is created? What of his scale or attention to detail? How about his sense of humor or whimsy? Is he cute and cuddly like a kitten or magnificently terrifying like a great white? Each and every bit of creation tells us more and more about him.
4. Read Romans 1:20. What are some qualities we can see in God by what he has created?
5. Read Psalm 148. How do these different created things praise God?
6. How can we use God's Creation to engage with our outdoorsy Bellingham culture? Have you experienced a good spiritual conversation with a friend as a result of spending time outside?

Action:

- (1) Go out in creation and pay attention to it this week.
- (2) Be quiet and LISTEN with all of your sense.
- (3) Take a journal and pen. Write down what you notice and what it tells you about the Creator. Meditate on those and share with your group.