**2.10.19 - Isaiah: Light to the Nations - Tim**

Leader Prep Section

* Prepare by reading through the questions and scripture passage so that you can select a few questions that are best suited to your group.
* Try to work through at least one question from each of the sections - Hook, Book, Look, Took in order to move from observation to application.
* When possible spend time in prayer for each member of your group.

**Goal: Isaiah’s Performance Art: The Power of Symbolic Actions. Your whole life speaks**

Remember to choose just a few questions from each section, as needed for your group.

**Hook** - Ice breaker type questions to help make the transition into the study time.

* What are some things that stood out to you from Sunday’s sermon?
* When people look at your life, what can they see you're excited about?

Background / Reading

**Read: Isaiah 20:1-6**

* Does anyone have any questions about this passage? Or observations that stand out to you immediately? (Remind those who share that we’ll likely return to their ideas in our discussion!)

**Book** - These questions are designed to get you into the text itself.

* What is the message God is sending to his people?
* What do you think the purpose was of Isaiah wearing no clothes for three years? How would that communicate God’s message to Israel?

**Look** - These questions will take you on a deeper look at what the passage means for us today.

* How was Isaiah like an artist? (Putting the beauty of God on display/his whole life speaks)
* Whose life of beauty drew you toward Jesus? How did the way that person lived give you a living picture of the character of God?

**Took** - These questions are focused on applying the big idea from the text to our lives.

* If someone watched a day of your life “on mute”, what message would it speak?
* How is your vision of a “beautiful life” shaped by Jesus? In what ways are you consciously or passively shaped by a cultural view of beauty?
* Where do you feel inspired to put the life of Jesus on display? Are there situations or relationships in your life right now where you can become a living picture of God’s character? What would it look like for you try something like that this week?
* Read 2 Corinthians 3:18 and pray that over each other