



"Trust"

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1 Kings 17:10-16

Philippians 4:19 "My God will meet all your needs according to his glorious riches in Christ Jesus."

All includes:

_____ and _____ needs

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Malachi 3:10 "'Bring the whole tithe into the storehouse, that there may be food in my house. Test me in this,' says the Lord Almighty, 'and see if I will not throw open the floodgates of heaven and pour out so much blessing that there will not be room enough to store it.'"

Life Group Discussion Questions

Ice Breaker

Would you describe yourself as a trusting person?

Opening Question

What stood out to you from the weekend message? Was there a scripture, principle, or action step that has stuck with you?

Scripture

Read John 6:6

Just before Jesus fed the 5,000 people, He asked one of his disciples, Phillip "Where should we buy bread for these people to eat?" Jesus was testing Phillip's level of trust.

Read John 6:10-14

1. When has God stretched your limited resources (physically or emotionally) far beyond what you could have imagined?
2. How are you like Phillip, failing to remember something about Jesus when you face a difficult situation?

Read 1 Kings 17:8-16

1. The widow was a single mom; alone and frightened. She was almost out of food and sure she and her son would die. When was the last time you felt like you had reached the end of your rope? What happened?
2. On a scale of 1-10 where do feel your "oil supply" (God's blessing) is at in your life right now?

Read Philippians 4:19

Share a time you have trusted God and seen amazing provision. What need to have right now that you would like God to meet?

Read Malachi 3:9-12

1. How had Malachi's peers robbed God? How does the Lord challenge people to put Him to the test?
2. Malachi was urging the people to open their hearts and let go of fear. They were afraid of losing what they had worked so hard for in life. They misjudged God for he has a way of taking our little bits and multiplying them.

3. What is it God has promised to re-supply? What's the scope of this promise?
4. God promises to meet all of our needs. He invites us to trust him with our material, spiritual, emotional, and relational needs. He challenges us to test Him. Until we take that step, we will never know whether we can truly trust Him.
5. How has the 100 series impacted your thoughts on personal finances? Share any changes or challenges you have faced.

Pray