

Life Group Study Guide

Jesus Was Born To Rescue Us

Luke 22:31-34; 54-62; Acts 12:6-19

For the Week of December 9th, 2018

1. What insight, principle, or observation from this weekend's message did you find to be the most helpful, eye-opening, or troubling?
2. When did your parents or friend rescue you from something? What happened? Have you been rescued by emergency personnel? What happened?
3. Have you ever had the response to Jesus that Peter has to Jesus in Luke 22:33? What was that like?
4. How would you feel if Jesus responded to you how he does to Peter in Luke 22:34?
5. Have you ever felt like Peter in Luke 22:60-62? Does it give you hope that when you make a mistake God still receives you?
6. Read Acts 12:6-11. When have you felt like Peter in verse 11, rescued by God? When have you needed to be rescued by God?
7. What is God doing in your life that people might say "You are out of your mind" (Acts 12:15)? How are you seeing him rescue you from yourself?
8. When have you had a break-out moment? When has God opened an iron gate for you?
9. Spend time asking God to rescue you from things, thoughts and relationships that you cannot rescue yourself.

Core Values

Biblical Authority: From God, for us.
Deuteronomy 6:4-9; Matthew 5:17-19; 2 Timothy 3:16-17;
Hebrews 4:12; 2 Peter 1:19-21

Intentional Community: Invited people invite people.
Acts 2:42-47; 1 Corinthians 12:12-31, James 5:13-16; Hebrews
10:23-25; John 15:1-8

Daily Ministry: What we celebrate, we will replicate.
Philippians 4:8; Ephesians 4:11-13

Character Coaching: Coaching leads to heart change.
2 Timothy 2:1-2; Matthew 28:19-20

Authentic Love: Never-ending unconditional care & concern.
John 13:34-35; 15:12-17; Matthew 22:36-40

Passionate Prayer: Big hearts lead to big prayers.
1 Thessalonians 5:16-18; Luke 18:1-8; Nehemiah 1:4-6; Ezra
9:3, 5

Joyful Generosity: Irrational generosity leads to Kingdom
building. 2 Corinthians 8:1-5; 2 Corinthians 9:6-8; 1 Timothy
6:17-19

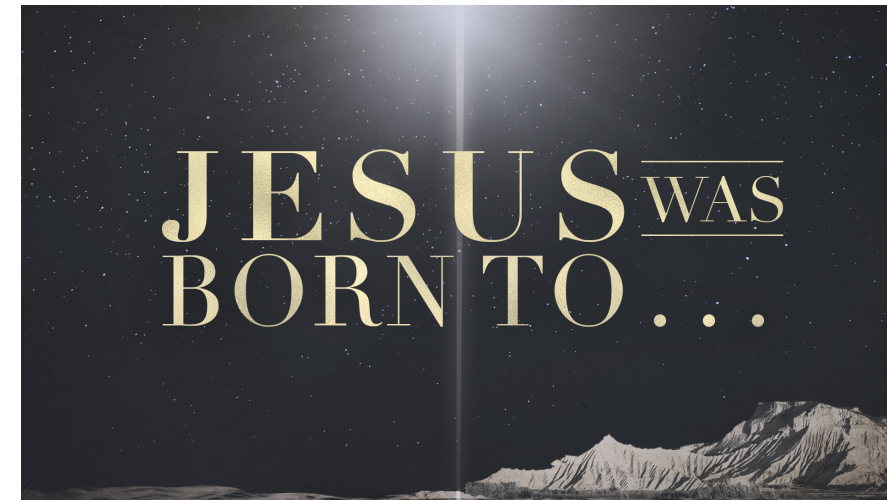
SonLight's Mission: A movement of people following Jesus.

SonLight's Vision: See God move through you.

Meet the SonLight Team

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Upcoming Events

New to SonLight?

Welcome! Thank you for joining us this morning. We would love to get to know you. Please fill out a Connection Card and bring it to the Connection Center; we have a gift for you.

Christmas Eve Eve Service

SonLight will host a "Christmas Eve-Eve" service from 6-7pm Sunday, Dec. 23rd. This family-friendly service will include traditional Christmas carols, Scripture reading and a retelling of the Christmas story geared towards children. Child-care will be available for ages 5 and under.

Adopted Families

If you picked up a tag to help a local family this Christmas, please bring the wrapped gift in no later than Dec. 23rd 10am service, with the tag attached to the outside of the gift.

Birthday for Jesus

Honor Jesus' birthday by making a gift for Scripture to the Gideons International anytime in the month of December! Bible donation envelopes are available next to the Christmas tree in the atrium. Complete the donation envelope & mail in your donation. Then fill out the "ornament" inside of the envelope & hang it on the tree!

Ministry Partners

The 2019 Financial Ministry Action Plan (MAP) information & ballots are available at the Connection Center. We will have a Ministry Partners meeting on December 16th following the morning service.

Women's Ministry

Mom's Prayer Night

Join other women in the church as we pray for our families! The first Monday each month in the Worship Center at 7pm.

Men's Ministry

Men's Bible Study

"Gospel Eldership," by Robert Thune continues Sundays at 8am in the Student Center & is for all men! For more information, contact Jeff Hicks, jeffhicks1018@gmail.com.

Announcements are also available by visiting our website, following us on social media or by filling out a Connection Card to receive a weekly email newsletter.



Upcoming Events

Fuse Youth Group

We want to see God move through us as students! Join us Sunday nights, 6-8pm in the Student Center for fun & time pursuing God.

Life Groups

Connect with a Life Group! Information is available on the wall in the atrium or at sonlightcommunity.com/connect/adult-ministry.

Christmas Office Hours

The SonLight offices will be closed December 24th-January 1st.

Pizza with the Pastors

Have questions? Want to meet the pastors? The pastors will host "Pizza with the Pastors" at the front of the Worship Center on the first Sunday of each month following the service. Children are welcome.

RightNow Media - Study of the Month

To sign up for RightNow Media, please fill out a Connection Card with your email printed clearly or email Megan@SonLightCommunity.com.

Adult Study: *The Book of 1 Peter*, by Kyle Idleman

Kyle Idleman walks through the short letter and unpacks the importance of our witness in this world. The world's not as it should be. Until the day that God rights all wrongs, we have a job to do. Let's be about the business of the kingdom.

Youth Study: *Shaken*, by Tim Tebow

In this powerful series, Heisman Trophy winner Tim Tebow passionately shares glimpses of his journey staying grounded in the face of disappointment, criticism, and intense media scrutiny. Tebow talks about what he's learned along the way, building confidence in his identity in God, not the world.

Children's Study: *What's in the Bible? Volume 2: Let My People Go*

In this installment, we discover: Who Chose the Books of the Bible? and What is Salvation? as we explore the second half of Genesis. Fun for the whole family!

Ways to Give

SonLight values joyful generosity. We give because of God's provision, not to earn prosperity. Some ways that you can give to the ministries of SonLight & the greater community are:

Automatic Bill Pay or Check - Best Way
Online one-time or on a repeating basis:
https://sonlight.ccbchurch.com/w_give_online.php
Credit Card

Study Notes

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Pastor John Mueller

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Weekly & YTD Stats

Last Week:	Dec. 2, 2018	Year To Date
Week Received	\$5,465	• Received: \$332,677
Weekly Budget	\$8,269	
Attendance:	246	12 mo. Fiscal Budget Jan. 2018 - Dec. 2018