

HOMECELL NOTES

WE HAVE THIS TREASURE

13 JUNE 2022

WELCOME

Welcome all members who are joining the Homecell whether online or physical.
If HC is on Zoom only - do an Icebreaker on WhatsApp ± 15 minutes before Zoom cell.
If HC is physical – do an Icebreaker for approx. 10 minutes at start of HC.

WORSHIP

If HC is physical - 1 Praise & 2 Worship. This will create the right atmosphere for your time together. End Worship 2 in prayer.

If ZOOM only - Challenge cell members to spend a few minutes in Worship before your ZOOM/Online Homecell starts.

WORD

2 Corinthians 4:7 NKJV But we have this treasure in earthen vessels, that the excellence of the power may be of God and not of us.

Q: According to 2 Cor. 4:8-9 (NLT) what does it mean to you to know that you carry a treasure inside of you that money cannot buy?

A:

- It is important to remind ourselves that no matter how hard pressed, we may be with life's troubles, this treasure we carry will protect us from being crushed.
- No matter how perplexed circumstances may seem, this treasure you carry will save you from despair
- No matter how the attacks of life may come against you, God will never abandon you because He is the Spirit treasure on the inside of you.
- We receive the power to overcome any weapon that the enemy will bring against us

Q: How effectively are we as a homecell using the power and influence of this treasure every day according to Acts 3:1-6?

A:

- The man looked to receive earthly treasure from them
- Peter and John were filled with the Holy Spirit and had this treasure
- We have something of extreme and exceptional value to give to every person we ever come into contact with
- When you give people Jesus, you give them the greatest gift anyone can give.

Ask a homecell member to read Acts 4:33 (NKJV)

Q: When the early church shared their verbal testimony about Jesus to their world what came upon them all?

A:

- Great grace follows the sharing of your treasure
- You give witness by using this power – this is how the church grows.

Ask a homecell member to read 1 Cor. 2:4-5 (NKJV)

Q: How will our treasure be demonstrated to the world?

A:

- Preaching Jesus is demonstrating our treasure
- Our faith is in the Power of the Holy Spirit

Ask some homecell member to read Acts 9:35-37 Acts 17: 18, 22-28, John 1-12-13 (NKJV) and 2 Cor. 4:8-9 (NLT)

Q: What truths does these scriptures teach us as a homecell about using our treasure daily?

A:

- We must believe that Jesus Christ is the Son of God
- When we receive Jesus, He gives us the right to become children of God
- We must open our mouths and preaches Jesus to everyone because we have the treasure inside us to be bold for Jesus
- We serve Jesus Christ so that He can be glorified through us

WORKS

1. **PRAYER** - Take time to pray for (1) lost & prodigals on your prayer or target lists (2) One another (lay hands 1-1 or groups of 2-3)
2. **CARE** - As a HC, identify urgent needs (among people in your immediate world) - food needs, people who are staying alone, marriage challenges, financial needs, business, career, employment needs, emotional needs etc.). How can we meet those needs?
3. **DISCIPLESHIP** - Equip HC in Basic Doctrine (Water Baptism, Tongues, Serving, Giving, Honour, Vision)
4. **EVANGELISM** - Equip HC in reaching their world (Build relationship with Oikos, Identify Man of Peace, Share Your Verbal Witness, Invite to Church & HC)

NB* When there are First Time Visitors - ALTARCALL - The main reason for having homecell is to get people saved! #WinTheLostAtAnyCost