

# **HOMECCELL NOTES**

## PREPARING FOR OVERFLOW PART 2

5 NOVEMBER 2023

### 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

#### **Ephesians 4:6 TPT**

And he is the perfect Father who leads us all, works through us all, and lives in us all!

Our God is a God of the overflow because God is not a God who is able to be contained!

**Ask a homecell member to read Ephesians 3:20**

**Q: On Sunday Ps Aidan said our prayer container can also be in overflow. What does that statement mean to you?**

- God can exceed even the expectations and requests we bring to him in prayer.
- God gives us spiritual eyes to see, spiritual ears to hear and a mind to dream beyond what the world can conceive.

**Ask a few cell members to read Psalm 78:41, Matthew 13:58 and Mark 6:5-6.**

**Q: What do these scriptures tell us is the greatest limitation to advancement in life?**

- It's unbelief that limits us, not sin!
- Oftentimes, like the Israelites, we tend to want to go back to the container of the familiar when God takes us to a place where we are uncomfortable and not in control.
- Not believing that God is able to exceed the containers of our human thoughts and requests limits God from manifesting the overflow.

**Unbelief becomes a container for fear and fear robs you of faith!** Ps Aidan Jeffery

**Ask a few homecell members to read 2 Timothy 1:7 and 2 Corinthians 10:4-5**

**Q: What should our response be to thoughts of unbelief?**

- We should take every thought of fear/unbelief captive by countering it with the truth of God's Word.
- Our circumstances and feelings should never determine our level of faith.

- A mind filled with fear neutralises God's ability to overflow - we've been given the mind of Christ.
- We shouldn't go into 2024 with the same expectations we had in 2023.

**Ask a homecell member to read Luke 5:1-10.**

**Q: What would you say were the key ingredients to the disciples experiencing overflow in this situation?**

- The disciples invited Jesus into their boat (their situation, their lives, their business etc).
- They obeyed Jesus's unusual request, even though they had toiled all night and caught nothing.

**Q: What is your one key takeaway from this passage?**

- Listen for and heed the voice of the Holy Spirit ("Shama" means to hear the voice of the Holy Spirit).
- Do whatever the Holy Spirit instructs, no matter how unusual ("nevertheless at Your word").
- Acknowledge that God will fill to overflow whatever we bring Him.
- Understand that God's overflow is never meant for me alone.

**What area of your thoughts and prayers have you been limiting God through unbelief?**

**What areas of your life do you need to have "nevertheless at Your word I will" conversations with God?**

## 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**

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