



HOMECCELL NOTES

INVADED BY LOVE PART 4

11 FEBRUARY 2026

WELCOME

Welcome all members who are joining the Homecell!

WORSHIP

Please set up 1 praise song and 1 worship song. End Worship in prayer.

WORD

Start by asking members who would like to share, what stood out for them from this week Sunday's sermon?

Ask a homecell member to read 2 Corinthians 3:6 "He has qualified us as ministers of a new covenant—not of the letter but of the Spirit; for the letter kills, but the Spirit gives life."

Question 1: How does understanding the New Covenant change the way we come into worship?

Answer - tie back:

The New Covenant transforms worship from a performance-based duty into a joyful, Spirit-led response of love — we come boldly and freely because Jesus has already made us accepted.

- After learning about the covenants (Noahic, Abrahamic, Mosaic, Davidic), we see God's heart is relationship, not rules or punishment—so we can worship freely without fear.
- The New Covenant lets us lift our hands and voices with joy because Jesus already fulfilled everything; we're not earning God's presence.
- Worship becomes a powerful moment where God's invading love fills the room through the Spirit, not through perfect performance.

Ask a homecell member to read: PSALM 100:1-2 "Make a joyful shout to the LORD, all you lands! Serve the LORD with gladness; come before His presence with singing."

Question 2: What happens when we truly believe we're living under the New Covenant instead of the old?

Answer - tie back:



Believing we're under the New Covenant replaces fear and striving with gladness and peace — God's presence becomes real and relational because the Spirit gives life, not condemnation.

- We stop striving to "get it right" to please God—we come with gladness because we're already fully accepted through Jesus.
- The shift from law to Spirit means God's love invades our hearts more freely, bringing peace instead of pressure or condemnation.
- This truth makes the presence of God feel tangible in worship, because the Holy Spirit is now leading us into relationship, not fear.

Ask a homecell member to read: ISAIAH 53:5 "But He was wounded for our transgressions... and by His stripes we are healed." (linked with Hebrews 8:13 – the old covenant made obsolete)

Question 3: How does the New Covenant make healing available to us right now?

Answer - tie back:

The New Covenant makes healing available right now because Jesus' finished work removed condemnation and released grace — we receive healing as a promise of the better covenant, not something we earn.

- The old covenant (like Mosaic) exposed sin and brought burden, but couldn't remove it—the New Covenant removes condemnation forever through Jesus' finished work.
- Because Jesus was wounded and striped for us, we can bring physical sickness, mental anxiety, or any challenge boldly to God for supernatural healing.
- Healing flows from grace, not performance—it's part of the better promises of the New Covenant that can't be broken by our shortcomings.

Ask a homecell member to read: PHILIPPIANS 1:6 "Being confident of this very thing, that He who has begun a good work in you will complete it until the day of Jesus Christ."

Question 4: What does everyday life look like when we rest in the unbreakable New Covenant?

Answer - tie back:

Resting in the New Covenant means living securely as sons and daughters — we trust God is faithfully completing His work in us, allowing His invading love to bring peace and freedom into everyday life.

- We live from sonship and security—no longer driven by fear or guilt from the old system, but led by the Spirit who gives life.
- Even when we feel unfinished or fall short, we can trust that God faithfully completes His good work in us.
- This confidence lets God's love invade our daily situations, thoughts, and challenges, bringing peace, direction, and freedom.

Ask a homecell member to read: ROMANS 15:7 "Therefore receive one another, just as Christ also received us, to the glory of God."

Question 5: How does the New Covenant change the way we welcome and care for each other in the house of God?



Answer - tie back:

The New Covenant changes how we welcome others because we receive people the same way Christ received us — fully by grace — so our homecell becomes a practical expression of God's invading love through warm, inclusive relationship.

- Just as Jesus received us fully by grace (not performance), we can warmly greet and make others feel special and wanted—no matter their background.
 - The New Covenant is about relationship over rules, so we reflect God's heart by making people feel seen, loved, and included right here.
 - When we turn to greet someone or invite the empty chairs/online viewers, we're living out the invading love of the New Covenant in practical ways.
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CHALLENGE/REFLECTION

Take a few moments to reflect personally or discuss as a group:

- Where might old covenant thinking (fear, performance, "not good enough") still affect your worship or daily walk?
- In what area do you need God's invading love through the New Covenant most this week (body, mind, relationships)?
- Who is one person you could welcome this week the way Christ has welcomed you?

Practical step:

- Declare daily: "I'm under the New Covenant—Jesus fulfilled it, and God is finishing His work in me."
 - Spend 2-3 minutes in praise, focusing on the Spirit's leading instead of rules.
 - Reach out to someone (text/call/greet) who might feel distant or unworthy, and remind them they're fully loved here.
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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 - **ALTAR CALL** - The main reason for having homecell is to get people saved! #WinTheLostAtAnyCost



ANNOUNCEMENTS

- 1. Baby Dedication 22 February – Please contact Kirby for more information or if you would like to dedicate your child - kirbycrccpt@gmail.com**
- 2. Relationship Enrichment course 17 | 24 February 2026 - For a stronger, healthier, Christ-centred relationship, register now!**
- 3. Business Breakfast Saturday, 14 March 2026 at CRC CT**
- 4. Bible Study Course with Ps Aidan Jeffery starting Tuesdays from 14 April 2026 online!**