

Growth Group Questions
For the week of October 27, 2013
When the Going Gets Tough, Make the Good Confession!

Icebreaker: how do you deal with the days getting shorter, darker?

Read Texts: Nehemiah 9:1-8 (confession of sin and of truth about God; II Corinthians 9:13 (obedience accompanies confession of gospel); I Timothy 6:11-16 (of faith to salvation and truth about God).

1. How are you doing on confession of sin? (cf. Nehemiah 9:1-8)

2. Have you confessed salvation in Jesus Christ? If so, how does your life show it by obedience to the Word? (cf. I Timothy 6:1-16; 2 Cor. 9:13).

3. As you think of the words out of your mouth on a daily basis, how do they reflect God's truth? Compare your words to the command of Ephesians 4:29-

Do not let any unwholesome talk come out of your mouths, but only what is helpful for building others up according to their needs, that it may benefit those who listen.

4. If our words do or don't reflect our LORD, is it a speech issue or a heart issue? (Answer found in Luke 6:43-45).