

Sermon notes for Growth Groups



Title: The Messiah Makes Wine

John 2:1-11

Intro questions:

Share stories of moments or milestones in your life where you have celebrated. What did you celebrate? How did you celebrate? How did you feel?

Key passages:

John 2:1-11
Isaiah 24:5, 7-11
Isaiah 25:6, 8-9

Main points to consider:

- * Jesus is compassionate, powerful, and generous, saving the shame of the hosts.
- * Isaiah describes life with and without God using images of the presence and absence of wine and celebration. God sets a banquet of the finest wines. Jesus reveals his identity as God made flesh, the Saviour, the one who brings hope.

Discussion questions:

- * How do you see the glory of God in Jesus? What do you learn about Jesus' identity?
- * What might it look like for you to respond to Jesus, as he has revealed himself?
- * What might it look like for you to joyfully celebrate because of who Jesus is and as you wait for the hope of redemption?