



Holy Friendship

- What is something that stuck out to you from last Sunday's teaching?
- Everyone Answer: With the picture above in mind, who is on your couch?
 - Is there anyone on your couch that shouldn't be there? Why?
 - Is there anyone who you would like to have on your couch but they aren't there? Why?
 - Is there anyone that should be on your couch that you haven't allowed to be there? Why?
 - What are there characteristics of someone who should be on your couch with you?
- Read 1 Kings 19
 - This chapter starts out with Elijah's trouble. Have you ever felt this troubled? What is the most troubled you've been in your life?
 - Where did Elijah have to go to hear God? After all of the noise how loud was the voice of God?
 - How do you quiet the noise around you to hear God's voice?
 - What was God's answer to Elijah troubles? *You're not alone!*
 - Where else in scripture can you think of where God's answer to someone is that he will bring others around them?
 - How does this scripture portray the type of friend Elisha is?
 - How have you responded like this to friends that you have?
 - Has anyone ever responded like this to you?
- In his teaching, Pastor Dave taught us that Holy friends encourage each other.
 - In this passage how do Elijah and Elisha encourage each other?
 - What can you each do as a group to encourage each other throughout the week?
- He also taught that Holy friends share their knowledge with each other.
 - What needs to happen in a relationship to get to the point that pure honesty can be shared?
 - What is hard about hearing pure honesty?
 - What is good about hearing pure honesty?
- Pray for wisdom to recognize who should and shouldn't be on your couch. Also pray for each other's burdens.