



LIFE WITHOUT *Lack*

The Role of Faith

- What stood out to you from last Sunday's teaching?
- Everyone answer: Based on your own life experiences, define the word, "faith"
 - Besides God, what are some things or people that you have faith in?
 - What are the qualities about those things or people that inspire faith in you?
 - Does faith need to be proved? Why or why not?
 - How has God proved your faith in Him during your lifetime?
- In his teaching, Pastor Dave told us that faith plays a major role in understanding Psalm 23. As you read, make note of "faith statements".
- Read Psalm 23
 - As a group list out the faith statements you saw in the passage.
 - Which of these faith statements do you feel most aligned with? Why?
 - Which of these faith statements do you feel challenged by? Why?
- Read Hebrews 11:1
 - How are faith and hope similar?
 - How are faith and hope different?
 - In your own words describe the relationship between faith and hope.
 - What do you hope for in your life?
 - What are you doing to achieve your hopes?
 - How have you invited God to be a part of your hopes?
 - How has that helped you?
- Read Matthew 6:33
 - Where are we most tempted to put our hope and faith other than Jesus? Why?
 - Share with the group how you "practice" putting your faith in Jesus.
- Pray for the areas in each others lives that is difficult to put faith in Jesus.