



Small Group Notes: Week 1

- Ice-Breaker -

Name something that you fixed up or made new out of something old and worn out.

Everything must be fulfilled that is written about me in the Law of Moses, the Prophets and the Psalms. (Jesus, Luke 24:44)

Easter: when Jesus made an old covenant new...

For this reason Christ is the mediator of a new covenant, that those who are called may receive the promised eternal inheritance – now that He has died as a ransom to set them free from the sins committed under the first covenant. (Heb. 9:15)

Old me: under guilt; new me: under grace (Titus 3:3-7)

How much time do you spend in guilt?

A) All the time? B) Most of the time? C) Some of the time? D) A fraction of the time? Why is that?

Read Titus 3:3-7. In verse 3, does this paint an accurate picture of your past? How?

In verses 4-7, what does this tell us about God's character? How would a true understanding of these verses promote humility? Gratitude? Service? Has this happened to you?

Old me: run from God in fear; new me: run with God in faith (Hebrews 10:19-22)

Do you live your Christian life more under a fear of judgment or more from gratitude of what God has done? What is the difference and what is the result?

Old me: my will; new me: God's will (Hebrews 10:16)

Name one area from your old life that changed from your will to God's will. Identify an area that you still struggle placing under God's will.

Old me: re-cycled; new me: re-made (2 Corinthians 5:17)

Read 2 Corinthians 5:17. What part of you do you feel "is a new creation" as a result of your relationship with Jesus Christ? What part of you still feels "old?"