



Questions for Further Study

28th January 2024

1 Peter 2:11-25

Honourable Living

1. Do you feel part of an amazing family when you come to church, or left out and alone? How can we encourage people on the fringes of our church life to enjoy fellowship with us? Share examples of how the wider Christian family has been there for you.
2. What does it feel like to be blamed for something that was not your fault, or accused of something you didn't do? Do Peter's commands to obey and submit rankle with you? Why? How can we help each other to be light and salt when facing adversity?
3. We are encouraged to keep short accounts with God when dealing with sin in our lives. Why is this important? How can we be accountable to each other when pursuing holiness? What safeguards can we put in place to protect ourselves?
4. Read Daniel 1:3-20, Daniel 3:4-7 and 13-29, and Daniel 6:1-10. What do these examples show us about dealing with people in authority over us? Currently, we do not face a sentence of death for defying our government, although many Christians around the world do. How can we stand with them?
5. Have any of you experienced challenges in the workplace because of your faith? How did you deal with it? Looking back, would you do anything different? Spend time praying through any issues facing your group either in paid work or unpaid work. Ask God for wisdom, discernment and strength every day.