



Bread of Life - Living Water | February 25

Opening Up:

- If you were stranded in the desert what three things would you bring?
- Do you ever get hangry? When was the last time?
- When was the thirstiest you have ever been?

Reference: John 7:37-39

Discuss:

1. Jesus says that we should go to him if we are spiritually thirsty. (7:37) How would you describe what spiritual thirst feels like?
2. Has Jesus ever helped you with your spiritual thirst?
3. How have you experience his life in you? (7:38)
4. How has hearing the word of God (7:38; Romans 10:17) ever quenched your spiritual thirst?
5. Why is submitting to the word of God critical to truly receiving the word of God? (John 7:17)
6. Examine the following process. What are some of your adjusted score cards? (i.e. Are you a self-righteous driver, organizer, worker, etc. with a score-card that makes you feel good about you?)
 1. How self-righteousness poisons our hearts:
 - i. We have a need to be right.
 - ii. We adjust the score-card.
 - iii. We enjoy self-righteous justification.
 - iv. We act out in self-righteous outrage.
 - v. We eliminate the need for grace.
 - vi. We eliminate the giving of grace.
7. How do you need the grace of God in your life right now?
8. Who needs the grace of God through you in your life right now?
9. Pray