

Blessed Assurance - How We Know Light From Darkness - 1 John 1:5-10

Discussion Questions:

- 1. What is light a metaphor for in the Bible? What about darkness? What is the contrast between the two? How can we straddle the line between the two?
- 2. Read 1 John 1:5-6. What standard of God's character does John set here? What does 1 Peter 2:9 say in regards to the light? What can we learn from Nick's illustration about his bathroom?
- 3. How could tolerance of darkness be an indicator of a lack light? Do we all slip up? How do these slip ups differ from a lack of salvation?
- 4. Read 1 John 1:7. How does light desire fellowship with God and the church? What does Jesus describe the church as? Where should fellowship begin? How does it not end there? How could aversion to community raise concern? Why do we offer the message live or on the app/website?
- 5. Read 1 John 1:8-10. What do we do if we claim to be without sin? What is the powerful result of confession? Why do we have to confess to God if He already knows?

Reflection Questions:

- 1. Are there any sins you need to confess and need accountability for? Remember group is a safe place to share and what is said in group stays in group.
- 2. Who are you bringing with you for our Easter service next week? How can you be sure to invite them this week?