

Connect Group Notes - Unequaled week 2

Getting started

What's something you believed for a long time that turned out not to be true? (Make sure to keep it light!) eg. Santa, if you swallow chewing gum it wraps around your heart, if you press your belly button your legs fall off etc.

Getting stuck in

Read John 8:12 together.

Why do you think so many people misunderstand what Jesus is saying here?

If our world is dark, how does this verse help us:

"Even though I walk through the darkest valley, I will fear no evil, for you are with me; your rod and your staff, they comfort me."

Psalms 23:4 NIVUK

In your own experiences, choose one of the below headings that Andy gave to share what Jesus has done for you:

Reveals

Guides

Brings Life

Safety

Getting personal (Don't skip this bit!!!)

"You are the light of the world. A town built on a hill cannot be hidden. Neither do people light a lamp and put it under a bowl. Instead they put it on its stand, and it gives light to everyone in the house. In the same way, let your light shine before others, that they may see your good deeds and glorify your Father in heaven."

Matthew 5:14-16 NIVUK

Andy dared us to disrupt the darkness in our world - where do you think you can share the light of Jesus with others in your world?

Practical pointers:

- Have you been baptised? Sign up for baptism on 2nd April
- Who are you going to invite to the Easter Weekend?

More Prayer

Looking at the headings below with the questions Andy gave, is there anyone in your group who'd like you to pray with them on a specific one:

Reveals - Jesus would you show me that you're real?

Guides - Jesus would you help me know the way?

Brings Life - Jesus would you heal?

Safety - Jesus would you help me know you're here?