



Week #6 // God Meets Our Needs

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Coming Together

- What is the typical response and emotion when people see someone begging for a handout?
- How have you handled situations like this in the past?

Growing in Our Understanding

- Read Acts 3:1-5. Where were Peter and John heading that day and for what purpose?
- What details does Luke give us about the man at the Gate called Beautiful?
- How did Peter and John respond to the Beggar's request? (Acts 3:4-6)
- How did the Beggar respond to his healing? How does the Beggar's response compare to the people who witnessed it? (Acts 3:7-11)
- Read Peter's Sermon in Acts 3:12-26. Circle, highlight, underline anything that stands out. What to you was striking or surprising in Peter's sermon to explain the Beggar's healing?

Unwrapping God's Principles

- What did Peter tell the audience to do in order to receive forgiveness of sin? What does "repentance" mean? (Acts 3:19).
- According to Peter in Acts 3 (vv. 6, 16), who has the power to do miracles and bring about healing?
- What does this passage do to shape how we react and treat those with obvious needs? What more can we do to help meet the needs of people?
- What would need to change for God to work through you and our church for God to use us to meet the real needs of people in our Valley?

Deepening Our Hearts for God

After reading and studying Acts 3. What does the text teach us about God? How do you think people today would respond to Peter's challenge in Acts 3:19-20?

Looking Ahead

Next Sunday is Easter Sunday. Read Jeremiah 29:11 and pray that people would discover God's plan for their lives this Easter!

