

LOVE

A new commandment I give to you, that you love *one another*... (John 13:34)

- *Internal*: How was your week? Any new life updates? How was your walk with the Lord this week?
- *External*: Practically, is there any individual or family that needs encouragement from us as a group?

TRUTH

Let the word of God dwell in you richly, teaching and admonishing *one another*... (Col. 3:16)

1. When you reflect on the message from Sunday, what most resonated with you?
[Dialogue]
2. Let's read our primary text. Verse 5 says that God remembers. Why is this a significant theme in the context of this whole Psalm?
God "remembers his covenant forever." In a psalm built around celebrating God's works, this is the anchor: his faithfulness is not accidental but rooted in his covenant commitments. We are a covenantal people because we serve a faithful covenantal God.
3. What other biblical texts come to mind when you read this Psalm? Does it remind you of any other passages?
[Dialogue - examples, Psalm 1, Proverbs 1]
4. How does verse 9, "He sent redemption to his people; he has commanded his covenant forever," serve as a climactic statement in the psalm?
After cataloging God's works (provision, power, faithfulness), verse 9 names the ultimate work: redemption. The covenant is not just remembered, it is commanded...meaning God himself guarantees it.
5. What is the relationship between "the fear of the LORD" and wisdom in verse 10. Why is this a fitting conclusion to this Psalm?
The psalm celebrates God's works and concludes that right response to those works, that reverent, covenant trust, is the very beginning of wisdom. Wisdom is not intellectual achievement; it is rightly ordered relationship and alignment with the will of God.
6. The psalmist says he will give thanks with his "whole heart" (v. 1). What does wholehearted worship look like in practice, and what tends to make it partial or divided?
Wholehearted worship means no compartmentalization — bringing full attention, affection, and will into God's presence. It becomes divided when the cares of this world (worry, distraction, guilt, or self-reliance) compete for the heart's allegiance. Reflection on God's actual works (as the psalm does) is way to re-orient your perspective on God.

7. As a community, how can we practically imitate the psalmist's habit of publicly recounting God's works (v. 1b), and why does communal praise matter to Christian formation?

Testimonies expressed in discipleship circles, Life Group sharing, and keeping a record of God's faithfulness are all practical avenues. Communal praise matters because it reinforces truth together, builds faith in those who are struggling, and shapes a congregation's collective memory of who God is and what he has done.

8. Any other thoughts you would like to share before we wrap up this text?

[Dialogue]

GREAT COMMISSION

Go therefore and make disciples of all nations... (Matt. 28:19-20)

- Did you disciple your family well this week? Is it apparent to others that Jesus the reason for your hope in your daily activity? Would anyone like to practice sharing the gospel with the group?

CONFESSION/PRAYER/REPENTANCE

But exhort *one another* every day, as long as it is called "today," ... (Heb. 3:12-14)

- Confession is agreeing with God about our sin according to the Scriptures. Is there anything you want to confess before the group? [*apathy, idolatry, selfishness, jealousy, anger, envy*]
- Let's pray, asking God to help us apply His word to our lives.

Sources:

- ESV Study Bible Commentary
- Multiple AI Resources