

## Life Group Notes 13<sup>th</sup> June 2021

### God is Love

***What did God speak to you about on Sunday? What can you remember from Si's message?***

***Read 1 Cor 13 through but ask everyone to listen really carefully following along in their bibles as it is being read.***

***Then in two's (or if not possible as a group) get one to retell what was just read in their own words and the other (or the group) add in anything that they missed.***

***Read 1 Cor 13 again and discuss what this passage teaches you about God, Jesus and God's plan?***

***Looking at the passage again discuss what does it teach you/challenge you about the human race?***

***According to this passage discuss what you are doing well in and what areas do you need to change/grow in?***

***Read 1 Cor 13 one last time and discuss who around you could do with hearing this passage and some of the truths you have just discussed (be specific – i.e. not everyone, but John Smith?? etc).***

***Discuss how you could/intend to talk to them about this? Then pray with each other that God gives you an opportunity to share this with that person(s).***

Congratulations if you have not done the above approach to a bible study before, then you have just gone through the Discovery Bible Study (DBS) model. This is the fastest growing method of studying the bible in the world today. It is particularly used in most places where revival/massive church growth is taking place. As people intentionally apply what they have learned and then go and share what they have learned from the bible with other non-believers. The power of God's word is then undoing hearts and leading many more to Jesus. So can I encourage you to take seriously the challenge of sharing this with a neighbour, family member, work colleague or friend this week and let's see what God does amongst us!

***Finally, please pray for Alpha starting Thursday 17<sup>th</sup> June 2021 at 7:30pm, pray God blesses it, he brings many guests along to it, and that he gives you someone to invite to it? (It is not too late to invite someone.)***

***Recommended book to read – Tom Wright, "Paul for everyone 1 Corinthians"***