



LIFE GROUP PLANNING

Aim of session:

To explore the meaning of El-Gibor—Mighty God



Key Scriptures

If you have access to a commentary read some background to get context.

Isaiah 9: 1-7

Warm Up

How would you explain the Trinity to a person completely unaware of Christian ideas?

Thinking it through: Main discussion/activity

What are the surprising things in the passage? What is new? What don't you really understand? This could be a time to discuss and share reflections and ideas on the passage or watch a Bible project type video that helps explain things.

Read the passage Isaiah 9:1-7

1. How does the doctrine of the Trinity better help us understand what God is like and what humans need?
2. An irresistible force is something that cannot be stopped. How do the Christmas and Easter stories reveal Jesus as an irresistible force?
3. Jesus IS coming back. What are you most looking forward to about His kingdom being fully established?
4. Read 2 Timothy 4:1. How should we live in the light of Jesus' irresistible nature?
5. Read Ephesians 3:20 Paul truly believes this statement. What was his experience of Jesus' extravagant nature?
6. How can examples of Jesus' extravagant power encourage us in times of trouble and disappointment?

Growing in discipleship: Practical application

7. In what way is Jesus irresistible (or an irresistible force) for you?
8. Have you any personal examples of Jesus' extravagance towards you?
9. How should Jesus' irresistible and extravagant nature as Mighty God give us hope and change our life perspective?



Try to leave 15-20 mins to talk about prayer needs of the group and to pray.

We want to encourage the development of prayer, to help everyone grow in confidence in praying. There are many creative ways of praying together: writing prayers, using candles as a focus, reading prayers or praying for each other in pairs.