



P.A.S.S. Questions for Sunridge Home Group Leaders

For the week of May 11-17, 2014 – #truecourage (1 Sam 17)

P - participation (get everyone involved in the dialog) 1. Share about a time where you witnessed true courage in action.

A - application (makes it personal) 2. Question from the sermon: a. What are some of the more typical fears common in our culture and world today?
b. How do we manage fear and live authentically with inevitable fears? (Like the fear of failure, rejection, exposure, loss of control, our need for approval, or recognition, fear of alienation, or irrelevance)
c. Do you have some who knows you well that you could ask the questions: i. "Where am I courageous?"
ii. "Where am I a coward?"

S - scripture (thinking biblically is a learned behavior! :-)) 3. How was this sermon different from others you've heard about David and Goliath?
4. When fear comes are you more like Saul, who maximizes fear through giving up, or are you more like Goliath, who minimizes fear through verbal pressure?
5. Or, do you see yourself as being more like David, who faced his fear, assessed the situation, and trusted God for the outcome?

S - sharing -6. Are you beginning to see that the Bible is really only one story – about God's plan to redeem and reconcile a people? How might this be different from your upbringing?
7. Consider the phrase: We don't fight FOR victory in the Christian life we fight FROM victory. What does that statement mean to you?