

NOW WORD COVENANT CHURCH



**Message:** *Battlefield of the mind: Renew your mind part 2 (03-27-22)*

***Use the message and the message notes and message help guide your answers and discussion for group.***

**Helpful Hints:**

The primary goal of Small Groups has always been to help Christ Followers grow stronger in their walk by having fellowship with one another. We want each member to hear the word of God, retain it, internalize it, and most importantly apply it. One of the ways we grow as Christ Followers is to make sure we strive each day to align ourselves with the word of God. Here are some tips to help us all make sure we are continuing to strive to align ourselves with the word of God, and His instructions for His followers.

**(Exodus 24:7, John 14:23, Deuteronomy 5:33)**

- Before you meet watch the message again on our YouTube page (Now Word Covenant Church)
  - It is important to watch it again because there are things you miss the first time that you can get when you watch again.
- Use scripture to back up your answers during discussion. Try not to give your opinion as it pertains to the word of God. If everyone in the group gives a different answer, then it is probably opinion and not Bible.
- Try not to start your answer with "I think...". Instead ask "What does God's word say about this?" Always refer to the word of God, which is the answer to every question.
- If no one knows the answer, it is okay to say, "I don't know". Do some studying before the next meeting and be ready to share your answers.

**Pre-Discussion Questions:**

1. What did the Holy Spirit reveal to you in this week's message?
2. How did your mind transform after receiving Christ?

**Discussion Questions:**

1. PK used a Snicker's bar to demonstrate how sin and conviction work. Discuss the demonstration and how it explains conviction. Do you currently have Snicker bars in your life?
2. Explain the following and its relationship to the Snickers demonstration. PK quote: "A man convinced against his will is of the same opinion still"
3. Why do we struggle to renew our mind about our sins? Does struggling with our sin mean we want the sin more than having our relationship with God?
4. How do we convict ourselves about the horrible consequences of our habits?
5. Discuss the following quote: "If conviction does not come, belief can not start because there is no repentance."
6. Read and discuss 2 Corinthians 10:4-5.
7. What is the knowledge of God? Who possesses the knowledge of God?
8. What is the responsibility of those who possess the knowledge of God?
9. What was your takeaway from Sunday's message, and how will you apply it?