

NOW WORD COVENANT CHURCH



Message: Series: (Hearing the Voice of God)

Unchanging Requirement to know God's Voice (06-26-23)

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

Reference Scripture: *John 10:1-5, 16, 27*

Objective: to teach Christ followers to know God's voice, so God can be their God, which matures them into being more Christlike._

Helpful Hints:

- 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 it 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 Sunday's message?

2. Have you ever experienced God speaking to you? Please share the experience with your group.

Discussion Questions:

1. "The primary relationship between the Shepherd and sheep is the sheep know the Shepherd's voice and trust in Him." How can we relate the relationship of shepherd and sheep to the relationship between Jesus and His children?
2. Why does Christ refer to himself as the Sheppard and his followers as sheep?
3. If Christ Followers are considered sheep, what should our posture and behavior be towards our Savior?
4. How does a Christ Follower strengthen their ear to hear the voice of God? (John 10:4-5)
5. Read and discuss the following message quote. "You study to know God's word, but you listen to know God's voice." How do we study to listen?
6. Hearing the voice of God is for all Christ Followers. Have you ever felt like you were not qualified to hear the voice of God? As a result of not feeling qualified did you find yourself dependent on other Christians to hear His voice for you? (Matthew 4:4)
7. Jesus speaks in different ways to us. What does God speaking to you look like in your life?
8. What did you learn from Sunday's message that you will immediately apply to your life?