1 SAMUEL - PART 2

February 26, 2023

KEY SCRIPTURE

1 Samuel 25 1 Corinthians 1:30 Isaiah 32:6

FAMILY MINISTRY

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TALK IT OVER

START TALKING. Find a conversation starter for your group.

 How many characters and names can you recall from 1 Samuel 1-24? Make a list. No cheating.

START THINKING. Ask a question to get your group thinking.

• Have you been in a situation where there was a clear "leadership vacuum?" Church, work, family, and organization. What was the result?

START SHARING. Choose a question to create openness.

- Why are Nabal and Abigail married?
- What power imbalances exist between the sexes right now? What's the the line between unhealthy power imbalance and gender distinctiveness?
- Why is the gospel the best way to deal with power imbalance? How is this different than the world's way of dealing with power imbalance?
- What makes Nabal a fool? Why is he called a "worthless man?"
- Of the list of things that Luke shared about Nabal's worthlessness, do any of those things hit close to home?
- What key words and/or phrases are repeated throughout the chapter? Why might the repetition of those things be important?
- What does the sin of favoritism look like? What forms does it take in our life? What motivates favoritism?
- What gospel parallels do we see in this text?

START PRAYING. Be bold and pray with power.

• Pastoral Note: It seems that God is on the move in our nation and our church. He's always on the move, but as of recent, there seems to be an outpouring of His Spirit on the Church/church in a unique way. In the last couple of weeks, I've heard stories of salvations, restorations, renewal, and revival. There have been a number of baptisms/ salvations at CHC, and a large number of "God moments" in our church. Please take time to pray that we would continue to see God call people to himself, renew his Church, and purify the hearts of his children. Please pray that revival would continue. Maranatha.

