New Hampton Community Church

Message Notes ~ Sunday March 16, 2025

"Know God : "Revealing God's Love"

'Understanding the Gospel of John' ~ Week 2

"But these are written that you may believe that Jesus is the Messiah, the Son of God, and that by believing you may have <u>life</u> in his name." John 20:31

"For God so loved the world that he gave his one and only Son, that whoever believes in him shall not perish but have eternal life. ¹⁷ For God did not send his Son into the world to condemn the world, but to save the world through him." John 3:16 -17

Discover the magnitude of ______

"....whoever believes in him shall not perish but have eternal life."
John 10:10 Jesus says... "I have come that they may have life, and have it to the full"
Abundant - Lavish - LIFE !

Discover the necessity of ______

"Now there was a man of the Pharisees named Nicodemus, a member of the Jewish ruling council.² He came to Jesus at night and said, "Rabbi, we know you are a teacher who has come from God. For no one could perform the miraculous signs you are doing if God were not with him." ³ In reply Jesus declared, "I tell you the truth, no one can see the kingdom of God unless he is born again."

⁴ "How can a man be born when he is old?" Nicodemus asked. "Surely he cannot enter a second time into his mother's womb to be born!"
⁵ Jesus answered, "I tell you the truth, no one can enter the kingdom of God unless he is born of water and the Spirit. ⁶ Flesh gives birth to flesh, but the Spirit gives birth to spirit. ⁷ You should not be surprised at my saying, 'You must be born again.'

John 3:1-7

Discover _____ with _____

"that everyone who believes in him may have eternal life." John 3:15

¹⁶ "For God so loved the world that he gave his one and only Son, that whoever believes in him shall not perish but have eternal life.

¹⁷ For God did not send his Son into the world to condemn the world, but to save the world through him. ¹⁸ Whoever believes in him is not condemned, but whoever does not believe stands condemned already because he has not believed in the name of God's one and only Son." John 3:16-18

Questions to consider and talk about....

- 1. In your own words, explain the magnitude of God's love?
- 2. Why is John 3:16 important?
- 3. What does it mean to be 'born again'?
- 4. How has following Jesus given life meaning, fullness and purpose?
- 5. If you have yet to decide to follow Jesus, what is preventing you?