

PSALMS

TALKING POINTS Christ in the Psalms

"The meat of the Word isn't knowledge. It isn't information. It's application. I would rather know 4 or 5 basic Truths of the Bible and really live those out than to know 1000s of things and apply nothing." -Pastor Dan

Leaning In and Living It Out

Read Luke 24:44, Psalms 16:10, 22, 45:6-7, 110:1-21, 18:22-24

You can learn a lot from a song! The Psalms are a collection of songs which Israel sang. Many of those Psalms point to the messiah - Jesus.
How do these "songs" strengthen your faith? Discuss.

Psalm 110 declares the kingdom of God was brought to earth by Jesus and is here now.
How does this reality affect your life? Discuss.

Psalm 118:22-24 talks about the world's rejection of Jesus.
How do you deal with the rejection of Jesus from those around you? Discuss.

Psalm 22 is a stunning account of the suffering of Jesus on the cross.
How many different kinds of suffering did Jesus experience on the cross? Discuss.

Psalm 16:10 speaks about the miracle of Jesus' resurrection - the reason for our hope.
Why is the resurrection so central to our faith? Discuss.

Psalm 2 talks about the second coming of Jesus - this time in power and glory.
When you think of Jesus, do you think of Him in power and glory? Discuss.

Dig Deeper (Optional)

In Luke 24:44 Jesus says, "These are my words that I spoke to you while I was still with you, that everything written about me in the Law of Moses and the Prophets and the Psalms must be fulfilled." Then, in Luke 24:45 it says "then he opened their minds to understand the Scriptures".
What are some biblical examples of someone's mind being opened to understand the scriptures? Discuss.