

Connect Group Notes 13 October 2025

Chris completed our series on Sunday titled 'Heartsong'

Read Psalm 27

Even with God in our lives, we will experience trouble and things are not always easy - the Bible does not shy away from this.

However, we can have confidence in who God is .

See v 4 in particular - we are encouraged to fix our gaze on Jesus...

"We see more when we look at less"

Discussion Questions

- Is confidence in God the absence of fear or doubt?
What does humility based confidence in God look like?
How do we obtain this confidence?
How does fixing our eyes on God in difficult times help change our perspective and strengthen us?

- David's sole focus was on seeking the Lord - to 'gaze', 'dwell' and 'seek'...
How can we carve out time in our full days to just sit/dwell with the Lord?
What does this look like for us as individual personalities? Do we have to all do this in the same way? (Ask if anyone wants to share how they do this?)
Is the idea that prayer can just be sitting in silence with the Lord, a new concept to us?
What is the difference between seeking God's hand and seeking his face?

- Chris used an example from the book "Good to Great" about how companies actually become great. What they had in common was slow purposeful movement towards one big goal, rather than short bursts toward many different goals.
How does having too many things on the go often distract us from the main thing (seeking God)?