

STAND IN THE GAP (PART 1)

We Need to Stand in the Gap for Those Who Do Not Know Jesus

I. Pray for _____ to be _____ (2 Cor. 4:3-6).

1. The enemy _____ the _____.

2. The Lord _____ the _____.

II. Pray for _____ to be _____ (John 16:7-11).

1. The Spirit _____ with _____.

2. A _____ now is better than a _____.

Group Discussion Questions

(Read the passage together as a group before discussing the questions)

1. Given what we learn from 2 Corinthians 4:3-6 why is it so important that we “stand in the gap” for those who do not know Jesus?
2. Conviction is the only work of the Holy Spirit to the world mentioned in the Bible. Why do you think that is the case? How important is this work in effective evangelism?
3. Read Psalm 32:1-5. Was there ever a time when you could identify with David’s feelings of conviction? Would you be willing to share this part of your story with your group?
4. How can we make sure that our sharing Christ with another person does not become a project we have to accomplish, but rather a person we desire to love for Jesus sake?
5. What stood out to you from the text or message that you would like to explore further? What will you do to apply this message this week?