



LEADER GUIDE

PRECHARGE SMALL GROUP STUDY

Week 6

May 13

Title: Recharge again!

Video: Pastor John

Group Check In (10 minutes)

Use prayers from the previous week. Check in with the group and ask how it felt going about their week with a sense of urgency. How did their week feel different with this mindset?

Opening prayer. O Lord, our God, pour out your Holy Spirit once again, that the world may know the gifts and blessing of your power. Take away our confusion and grant us clarity of vision. Open our senses to the mystery and wonder of faith. Open our minds to the signs of hope you seek to share with us. We are indeed your church, called together in one place for praise and thanksgiving. Let your Holy Spirit fill this space and sanctify our lives. Amen. (Abingdon Worship Annual 2014, adapted.)

Centering (5 minutes)

1. Read Romans 15:4-6
2. Reflect on the scripture? What did you hear?
3. Reflect on the sermon from this week. What challenged you? What encouraged you?

Video 1 (2 minutes)

Group Discussion (10 minutes)

1. Read Matthew 11:28-30
2. Reflect on the scripture. What did you hear?
3. How does this scripture speak to you on week 6 of this series versus week 1?
4. What does it mean to acknowledge that even with Jesus – with God's love or the power of the Holy Spirit – that we will get tired or weary?
5. What patterns or habits might help you to seek God at all times and in all things?
6. Read Psalm 31:21-24
7. Reflect on the scripture? What did you hear?

Video 2 (3 minutes)

Group Discussion (10 minutes)

1. What are some outside influences which often drain our power?
 2. How do you call out to God when you need help?
 3. What happens when you don't come to God in your time of need?
 4. Name a time when you felt that God heard your cry.
 5. Read Psalm 31:21-24 again. Where you find hope in this passage?
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