Week 1 BRBC Groups November 27, 2022

Scripture

Isaiah 9:1-7, John 8:2-12

Ice Breaker

- 1. What is the best advice someone has ever given you?
- 2. What is your favourite Christmas memory?

Going Deeper

- 1. Is there anything that stood out to you from Sunday's message, or do you have any questions?
- 2. If someone were to ask you why you celebrate Christmas, how would you explain it to them?
- 3. Read Isaiah 9:1-7
- 4. What do you think Isaiah meant by the darkness people walked in? (See chapter 8:19-22 if you aren't sure)
- 5. What is the light that is in the darkness?
- 6. How do the authors of the New Testament understand this section of scripture?
- 7. Of the four titles given in verse 6, which aspect of Jesus do you most resonate with right now?
- 8. In the message this week, Rob shared that the word for wonderful in verse 6 is the closest Hebrew word to supernatural, and counsellor was understood in the sense of a judge or king offering wise instruction. With that in mind how is Jesus a wonderful counsellor?
- 9. Read John 8:2-12
- 10. What was Jesus busy doing in this story?
- 11. Why do you think people were gathered around Jesus?
- 12. Why do you think the woman was brought before Jesus at that moment?
- 13. What does this story show us about Jesus being a wonderful counselor?
- 14. When you read the words of scripture, how likely are you to follow what it says?
- 15. Why is it a good idea to trust Jesus as a wonderful counsellor?

