



CELEBRATING THE PAST
SEEING THE FUTURE

Celebrate Today – Message 2

Warm-up

From birth until now, what do you consider some of your greatest accomplishments? Do you ever celebrate your achievements? If so, how?

Overview

We're celebrating 20 years of *reaching people and building lives* at Church of the King! In this series, we are going to celebrate all God has done, is doing today, and will continue to do through us. In the second of three messages, we focus on what God is doing through us *today* to reach people for Him.

Word & Application

Reminding ourselves what God is doing for us today allows us to remember how big He is. We serve a God of abundance. His goals and dreams are bigger than we could ever imagine.

Read 1 Corinthians 2:9 and Ephesians 3:20. You can imagine some astronomical things. Take a few moments and picture in your mind your most imaginable dreams and “impossible” goals. Don't hold back; close your eyes if you need to. Guess what? God can do even more and greater than that!

Why do we sometimes miss God's vision for our lives? What role does the Holy Spirit play in God's vision for us? Share with the group a dream of yours that only God can bring about.

What to do when you receive a vision from God.

Reminding ourselves what God is doing for us *today* allows us to move toward the future with a clear vision for our lives and purpose. Proverbs demonstrates how meaningful having a vision is.

Read Proverbs 29:18. We must have a vision.

1. Write it down. Not only is it important for us to have a vision, but it is imperative that we write the vision plainly, as **Habakkuk 2:2-3** instructs us to do. How does recording your vision help?
2. Read it. Does reading your vision aloud make a difference? Why?
3. Meditate on it.

Life Challenge

1. Write down a vision that God has given you. Keep it in a place where you will see it daily.
2. Read and meditate on this vision every day this week.
3. Ask God for any action steps He wants you to take or how you can best position yourself best to receive from Him.

Prayer

Father, thank you for all that You have done and are doing in my life. I know that You have more in store for me than I could ever imagine. Show me Your vision for my life.

Pray for the specific needs of the group.