David – A Brave Heart

Life Group Notes (David Easton – 2nd June 2019)

Word

Read 1 Samuel 17:23-54 (or the whole chapter)

Use these questions as a starting point to help apply this passage of scripture to our lives.

- Why were Saul and the Israelites afraid?
- What does story tell us about David's bravery?
- What was different about David compared to all the other Israelites?
 - David had a different perspective
 - David trusted God's promises
 - David trusted God's power

"Courage is: standing when everyone else wants to run, speaking when everyone else is afraid to speak, acting when everyone else is paralyzed by fear, taking action in the face of danger, holding one's character and moral uprightness when everyone else is tempted to compromise theirs"

What in your life requires you to be brave?

"God is bigger than everything"

Is there anything you are facing right now that feels too big?

"God who rescued me in the past will rescue me in the future"

What do you look back on that reminds you that God will rescue you in the future?

"God will keep His promises"

• Which of God's promises encourage you to be courageous?

Pray for each other. Ask God to open your eyes to see that He is bigger than what you are facing. Pray that He will help you boldly proclaim the gospel. Pray for bravery and courage.