

ONE BOOK, ONE PARISH BOOK STUDY

Chronicles of Narnia: The Lion, The Witch, and The Wardrobe



ADULT FAITH QUESTIONS: (Week 4 – Chapters 13-18)

Group Discussion:

- 1) Discuss the reconciliation between Edmund and Aslan (“Here is your brother,” he said, “and—there is no need to talk to him about what is past.”)
- 2) Compare the way the crowd feels in the presence of Aslan vs the presence of the Witch (page 154).
- 3) Aslan clearly could take the Queen by force. Why doesn’t he use it?
- 4) Compare Aslan’s sacrifice to that of Christ.
- 5) What does it mean that death is now working backwards? Describe the resurrection in this book. How is it similar to what Christ does for us through the resurrection?
- 6) Discuss the children’s names as kings and queens of Narnia. How have their past experiences and Narnia experiences shaped them into those leaders?
- 7) What do you make of the statement “if he’d been the other sort she would have never turned him to stone,” when referencing Rufflebuffin? (meaning, the queen turned him to stone because he was a good giant)
- 8) Why do you think you cannot return to Narnia the way you came before?

Reflection Questions:

- 1) How do you understand Christ’s sacrifice for you? Do you feel it on a personal level as Aslan gave his life specifically to save Edmund or does it feel less personal? Why do you think that is?
- 2) What is one transformation in your life that has happened through Christ or one transformation that needs to happen but can only happen through Christ?

Quotes:

But he said to me, “My grace is sufficient for you, for my power is made perfect in weakness.” Therefore I will boast all the more gladly about my weaknesses, so that Christ’s power may rest on me. That is why, for Christ’s sake, I delight in weaknesses, in insults, in hardships, in persecutions, in difficulties. For when I am weak, then I am strong. 2 Cor 12:9-10

“Once a King in Narnia, always a King in Narnia.” C. S. Lewis