

CONNECT WITH THE MESSAGE

'Everybody Loves Food' – Acts 2:42 and Acts 11:26

1) a) What is your best ever food experience?

b) If you could only eat the food of one nation, which would it be?

2) On Sunday, Jeff preached on **Acts 2:42** and **Acts 11:26** (also including **Matthew 4:4**)

a) Did anything come up in the message which you would like to discuss or which you found helpful?

b) In response to the message; when it comes to being fed on God's Word, are you someone who is spiritually:

i) **Starving:** You know you're not yet a Christian and you're not yet feeding on all God's word;

ii) **Surviving:** You're taking in just enough of God's Word to keep going but you know it's not enough. Perhaps you're getting an unbalanced diet which doesn't include the whole of the Bible;

ii) **Stuffed:** You are regularly fed on God's Word and you are spiritually nutritious.

c) What do you think the implications of your own self-assessment may be and what action might you need to consider?

3) Read **Psalm 1:1-2** and **Joshua 1:8**.

a) What do these passages teach us about being devoted to and fed on the Word of God?

b) How do you think 'meditating' on the Word of God may work in your life?

c) Write three practical ways you could ensure that you are getting more stuffed on the Word of God?

d) Consider how can we get stuffed on the Bible together as a small group and as a church?

e) What practical ways could we encourage and help each other with our Bible devotion? (consider what resources/reading plans/routines may work for you)

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Praise response:

- a) Read and meditate over **Ephesians 1:3-10** and use the truth in God's Word to thank Him for what he has done in your life.
- b) Also spend time thanking God that he has given us His words in the Bible and that we can hear from Him.

Prayer response:

Ask God for help as you read the bible and for Him to speak to you personally.

CONNECT IN PRAYER

Rich and Lally are going to **Berlin** on the **6th - 9th December** to spend time with Nigel and Clare Dutton. Please pray for their time away as they strengthen our connections with the Newfrontiers team in Berlin.

There are now only two weeks left of the **Alpha Course**. Please keep praying for those on the course in these final weeks.

Christmas Events: Please pray about who you can invite along to our Christmas events. The Traditional Carol Service is on **Sunday 23rd December** at **7.30pm** and the Christmas Day service is at **10:30am**. These are great guest-friendly events so invite your friends and family along.

CONNECT WITH CHURCH LIFE

Late Night Shopping is on **Thursday 6th December** at **6pm**. Please speak to Francis for more info and if you would like to be involved.

The **King's Church Christmas Party** is on **Saturday 8th December** at **7pm**. This promises to be a great event with games, party snacks, prizes to be won (including a prize for the best Christmas outfit) and a bar. If you haven't got your ticket you will be able to buy one on the door. They cost £5 for adults and £1 for kids. All are welcome so invite your friends! Speak to Jeff for more info.

Church Members Evening (advertised on the Diary Dates card as 'Church Together') is on **Thursday 10th January** at **7.45pm**, starting promptly at **8pm**. Please put this date in your diary and really make it a priority to be there.

Prayer week 2013 is on **Sunday 13th - Saturday 19th January 2013**. Please put the date in your diaries and more details on the individual events during the week will be available soon.