

Home Group study: week beginning 5th September 2021

ROLLERCOASTER LIVES

PASSAGE John 21 vs 1-19

LAUNCH

Name a famous character from history, film or fiction who came back from being 'rock bottom'. What was the cause of their fall and what were the key factors in their return to success

DISCOVERY & UNDERSTANDING

The disciples were disappointed with Jesus for abandoning them at the cross and they were disappointed with their failure as fishermen.

In what areas might you be tempted to be disappointed with God?

In what areas might you be tempted to be disappointed with yourself?

Jesus solved both disappointments in an instant. Can you remember a time when he did that for you?

This was a second time that Jesus did the nets bursting with fish miracle (the first time was when he called the disciples). What was the point of repeating this miracle? What lessons needed to be learnt?

Having breakfast with someone is one of the best ways to demonstrate friendship (as opposed to lunch & dinner which are usually more formal). Peter was so desperate to renew that friendship he climbed out of the boat & waded to shore. What are some of the ways the Spirit may be calling you to develop your friendship with Christ?

Verses 15 - 17 are the famous section in which Jesus restores Peter. What are the key elements of the restoration? How would Peter go on to feed Jesus's sheep. How is he calling you to feed his sheep?

APPLICATION

Pray over any disappointments that members of the group are facing that Jesus would step in and resolve them

Pray for opportunities to be restored & continue serving God's family aka the church