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OUTFLOW

outward-focused living in a self-focused world

When we turn on a faucet or yield a hose, we aren't the source of the water nor are we the water. But we are the means by which the water flows out and we determine if or where it goes. We are the conduit of God's love to the world. We aren't the source of God's love and we aren't God's love ourselves but the way God's love FLOWS OUT to the world is through his people. That'd be you. Over the next several weeks we will look at what we can do to allow God's love to OUTFLOW through us as we learn how to live in an out-focused way in a self-focused world.

o **Monday 8.8.11**

Matthew 9.35-10.42

o **Tuesday 8.9.11**

Matthew 5.14-16

o **Wednesday 8.10.11**

Proverbs 11.10-11

o **Thursday 8.11.11**

Isaiah 1.21-26

o **Friday 8.12.11**

Jeremiah 29.7

o **Saturday 8.13.11**

Jonah 3

As you read each day's passage, think about/discuss/journal:

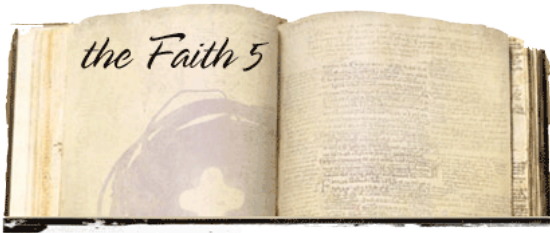
.What does this passage teach me about God? What do I notice? What does it teach me about myself?

.How does my practice of my faith and my view of the world need to change, according to what I've learned from this passage?

.One specific next step I'm going to take this week is:

Discussion Questions

- .What comes to mind when you think of ways you can personally have Jesus' love outflow into our community?
- .We are challenged with listening to our communities. Where can you do to listen to people in and around Anderson Township and the Cincinnati area? Once there, how will you listen to the people around you?
- .What places in this area do you already go to on a regular basis? How can you connect with the people in those places?
- .We are to serve everyone- even those who frighten us or make us uncomfortable. What can you change about your own life and your patterns in order to share Christ's love with those who are on the fringes of society?
- .What do you think God's vision for Cincinnati is? What makes the Cincinnati area special? How could those special aspects of Cincinnati translate into God's vision for Cincinnati?



Share your highs & lows of the day

Read the Scripture in the Bible

Talk about how the verse relates to your highs & lows

Pray about your highs & lows, family, world

Bless one another

Making disciples every night in every home!

Sunday _____ Matthew 9.31

Monday _____ Luke 10.2

Tuesday _____ Acts 14.21

Wednesday _____ Romans 10.15

Thursday _____ Matthew 5.16

Friday _____ Hebrews 6.10

Saturday _____ Matthew 25-35-36

Blessing: May you be a light in the community for Jesus.

