Favorite Psalms

GROWING
CLOSER
TO GOD

Psalm 67 (p. 481)

Does God <u>bless</u> his people so that they might have or give?

The ultimate purpose of God is that God and His Son Jesus would be <u>praised</u> among all <u>peoples</u> on earth.

The People's Invocation of God's Blessing for God's Purpose

The People's Passion aligned with God's Purpose

Let the nations be glad

The People's Passion aligned with God's Purpose

The People's Expectation of Gods Blessing for God's Purpose

"...God <u>blesses</u> his people for the sake of the nations…"

When we have a united <u>passion</u> that is aligned with God's ultimate <u>purpose</u>, we can invoke & expect God's blessing.

Sermon Study Guide

(Reminder: The purpose of the questions is to explore the text and themes of the sermon. **Do not feel a need to go through all of the questions, but try to discuss/study some in each category.** The goal is to stimulate discussion/reflection and transformation related to the sermon text and themes.)

1. What evidences of grace have you seen since we last met?

2. What is the connection between a church longing and praying and planning to bless the nations and being blessed by God?

3. Is missions or worship the ultimate goal of the church? How do these two relate to each other?

4. What stuck out to you from the sermon Sunday?

5. What themes do you find helpful or interesting?

6. What sin did the Holy Spirit convict you of in this sermon?

7. How were you encouraged by this passage?

8. How does this passage connect to or inform our understanding of the gospel?