

Small Group Discussion Guide June 3, 2018

Sermon Title: "The Next Generation"

Sermon Text: Psalm 78:1-8 Scripture Reading: Deuteronomy 6:1-12

Leader: Please allow a moment for introductions/visiting. Have someone offer a brief prayer inviting God to speak and lead using the group's discussion.

Getting Started: Remember your high school graduation? What were some of the things you did during high school years? What were the fun weekend things to do?

Discussion:

- 1. Have you met our graduates? Please make the effort this week to meet and congratulate Emily DeLong, Abigail Larken, John Lutes, and Kenzie Patberg.
- **2.** As you review **Psalm 78**, where do you see any connection with our responsibility to educate our children in the ways of the LORD?
- **3.** (Reference Vs.5) God established laws in Israel which He then commanded ancestors to teach to their children. Who are the children in your life to whom you are responsible in educating? Is this an on-going situation now, or was that time a time in your past? Perhaps you have another generation of your family?
- **4.** The Pastor stated that we have some hopes for this generation... that they might do better than the previous generation in establishing godly behavior in our land. In doing so, there are some things the next generation are going to have to have settled in their hearts and minds: Here is what the Pastor offered:

*Know who you are..... This may take years to fully understand/

- *Remember who you are..... Once you have established WHO you are, do not forget!
- *Remember WHOSE you are.... (Reference: 1 Corinthians 6:19b, 20a)
- *Let the world feel the full weight of your witness for Jesus. (We need more people who will live lives that are unapologetic for being a Christian. Will you be a bold witness?)

Closing: Close by sharing prayer requests. Pray for each another and for the needs that were shared. **Have a blessed week. GO SHARE JESUS!**

