## CTK Community Group Sermon Discussion Questions & Announcements Week of 9/27/20

Please take a few moments to share these announcements with members of your community group and take some time to pray for the life of the church. Thank you!

## Sermon Discussion Questions |1 Samuel 22

- 1. What do you suppose is it about David that gathers "everyone who is in distress, and everyone who was in debt, and everyone who was bitter in soul" to him?
- 2. Contrast this with Saul's character as he engages in self-pity and paranoia (vv. 7-8). What accounts for the difference?
- 3. Where do you see 1 Samuel 22 pointing beyond David to Jesus?
- 4. Read Psalm 57:4-7. How can David bounce back and forth so quickly between dire circumstances and wholehearted praise?
- 5. What is lament? How is lament a form of praise? Are there aspects of your life, or ours, where we can re-direct our tendency to complain or accuse toward lament?
- 6. Pray for the church and yourselves, that Jesus would be your rock and refuge in the wilderness.

## Important Announcement:

For more information regarding **CTK's pastoral transition**, please visit <u>ctkcambridge.org/transition</u>. Please feel free to reach out to elders (transition@ctkcambridge.org) and other leadership with any questions you may have.

The members of Christ the King Presbyterian Church are called to a **Congregational Meeting on Sunday**, **October 18, 2020 at 7:00 PM** to be held virtually.

## **Other Announcements:**

An annual highlight at CTK is the Winter Getaway. However, due to COVID-19, we are not going to be able to get "away" like we have in the past. However, that doesn't mean that we can't still partake in some of the best parts of the Getaway: rich times of learning and fellowship and outdoor activities. The staff have already started to brainstorm ways in which we can adapt, but **we are looking to form a Get** "Away" Brainstorming Team to help us think outside the box. If you'd be interested in helping out, please email <u>laura@ctkcambridge.org</u>.

Are you at all familiar with mixing live sound? Or, at the very least, does technology not terrify you? If either of those apply, **please consider helping out on Sunday mornings with running the sound board**. We can train you on how to use the board, and in many ways, running the board is simpler these days than it was pre-COVID, but it doesn't quite run itself, so we're looking for some help. If you'd like to learn more, please email <u>amanda@ctkcambridge.org</u>.