Week 30 - Romans Series

Sermon-based Growth Group Questions

Introductory Discussion:

What was "the takeaway" (the most important point) from Sunday's sermon and/or the sermon text, in your opinion?

What insight from Sunday's sermon did you find most helpful, or eye-opening, or troubling (pick any or all of the above)?

Read Romans 10:5-10:13

Discussion:

- 1. How would the attitude of a person coming to God on the basis of his or her performance (v.5) be different from that of someone coming to Him by faith in Christ (vv.8-9)?
- 2. What does it mean to confess "Jesus is Lord"? How would you illustrate this from earlier chapters in Romans? How does this tie in with belief?
- 3. Look at 3:23-28: How does the phrase "there is no difference," in that context compare with its use here in 10:12? What hope is given here?
- 4. What is one major way your confession of Christ as Lord has influenced your life?
- 5. The central affirmation of the early church was "Jesus is Lord"; everyone else was saying "Caesar is Lord." Who or what are some gods that compete with your allegiance to Christ?

Prayer: Take time to pray together as a group.