

## **Nothing is Hidden**

I have good news. Our God sees us. We never have to fear being alone or abandoned. This ought to encourage our hearts, but does this cause discomfort instead? God warned Israel that they could not hide their sin from him. He told them that their sin would find them out, yet they struggled in sin. They were easily swayed by the pagan cultures around them and sinned against God. They didn't take seriously the effects of sin and God's warning of judgment. Like Israel, we are tempted to believe that no one will know about our sin. We are tempted to believe that there will be no consequences for our sin. That simply isn't true. Instead of trying to hide your sin, find hope in knowing you can run to God! Confess and you are forgiven!!

## **Week 11**

### **Bible Reading Plan**

Numbers 26-29; Luke 2

Numbers 30-33; Psalm 35; Luke 3

Numbers 34-36; Luke 4

Deuteronomy 1-3; Psalm 36; Luke 5

Deuteronomy 4-5; Luke 6

### **Weekly Content Questions**

Every week, you'll see the same five content questions. Use them as a guide as you read the scriptures. Pray for consistency in your Bible reading.

1. Who are the main characters in this text and is there anyone you can relate to?
2. Is there anything from this text that we are to do (obey, believe, heed or follow)?
3. What do you learn about God in these chapters and how has that changed what you believe about Him?
4. What do these passages reveal about human nature, sin and our need for God?
5. What's the Good News found in this text?

### **Application Questions**

Every week, you'll see five unique application questions. Use them to help live out what you're learning in scripture. Pray for life transformation.

1. That is your natural response to sin? Do you run away from God or do you run to Him?
2. How does our culture affect your walk with the Lord? Is it shaping you or are you shaping it?
3. When you feel attacked, what verse do you find comfort in? How often do you share it with others? Commit to hiding God's word in your heart.
4. Jesus was sent to preach the good news. When was the last time you shared the good news with someone? Who in your circle needs to hear it?

5. What shapes your decision making more: your comfort or God's will? If it's comfort, why? If not, how does doing God's will comfort you?

### **Final Thought**

God sees us. He knows our sin and loves us still. But he loves us too much to leave us there, so he sent Jesus. In Romans 5:8 we learn "God shows his love for us in that while we were still sinners, Christ died for us." That is good news!