November 22, 2020 Small Group Questions

- 1. Read Joshua 23.
- 2. What indicates the depth of quality of Joshua's spiritual leadership in the way that he begins his conversation with Israel's leaders?
- 3. Why was it such an important issue Joshua raised, that God was fighting for them and driving out the nations from Canaan?
- 4. Some of the land had been taken and possessed by Israel, but much was yet to be taken. Why does Joshua speak as if everything has been completed?
- 5. Do you see that God's faithfulness to what is now behind you is an assurance that He will take care of everything before you?
- 6. How would you summarize Joshua's call to Israel in v.6?
- 7. How do the qualities in v.6 & 7 demonstrate what it means in v.8 "to hold fast to the Lord"?
- 8. What is implied in Joshua's reminder of their past success for the future? How does this fit in with the definition of faith provided in Hebrews 11:1?
- 9. What does Joshua state as the ultimate result of obedience and faithfulness in v.11?
- 10. What are the inevitable results of choosing not to "hold fast to the Lord", that is to maintain a loving relationship based on obedience and faithfulness?
- 11. In verses 14-16, how does Joshua see God's will for our life?
- 12. What does Joshua provide as the potential factor preventing the successful execution of God's will in our life?