

Genesis 3:1-14 – Bible Study

Opening question:

What has stood out to you so far from our series in Genesis?

Additional opening question:

What qualities cause you to trust someone?

Read:

Genesis 3:1-24

General question:

What stands out to you from this passage?

Further questions:

The lie (v1-5)

1. The serpent throws off the limits, and Eve adds to God's commands. Which of these two ways of responding to temptation are you most prone to?
2. Are there lies that you are tempted to believe (or struggle with) about yourself, others or God?
3. In what ways do you struggle to trust God (and trust that his ways are good)?

The consequences (v6-19)

1. Nat read this quote during his talk - "We only think about our identity when we are rattled". Does this have relevance for your life? Discuss.
2. This is a very personal question, but... What can make you feel ashamed and like you need to hide?
3. How is your relationship with God at the moment? If you feel able to discuss or think about this... Are there things that you are hiding?
4. What do you make of the consequences for the serpent, woman and man in verses 14-19?

The promise (v15b)

1. What do you think verse 15b means?
2. Read Romans 5:17-19 and notice how Paul compares Adam and Jesus. Discuss.
3. Share stories of ways in which God has changed your life, and brought you life, through Jesus.

Spend some time praying for each.