



WEEK 1

CONTENT:

If you could pick one room in your house to renovate which would it be and what would you want to do it?

Read Ezekiel 37:1-14

What is it that the prophet Ezekiel sees (v.1-3)?

What happens to the bones (v.4-10)?

Who is this passage talking about?

LEADERS NOTE: This passage is talking about Israel (v.11)

Does anyone know what was going on when Ezekiel wrote this to them?

LEADERS NOTE: This was written while they were in Babylon under captivity (v.11-14)

Why were they in captivity?

LEADERS NOTE: They had disobeyed God as a nation for so long that God judged their sin by allowing their enemies to conquer over them.

What was the purpose of God telling Ezekiel to write all of this to them?

LEADERS NOTE: verse 11 basically tells us that they had lost hope. Verses 13-14 shows the Lord's promise to restore their hope.

Now most likely none of us are Israeli by birth and we are not living in Babylon, but it is possible that our homes have or maybe currently feel like a Babylon, where all hope seems lost.

Have you ever felt like your home was a babylon? Explain.

What might cause a person to doubt that God can raise a dead marriage to life, or restore a fractured relationship between a child and their parent?

If you currently feel like your home is full of dry bones, do you believe God can resurrect the joy, peace, and love within your household?

For those who have felt this way what lead to the dry/deadness in your relationships?

What did you do to overcome the deadness in your relationships? Or if you are currently feeling this way what do you think would help start to bring about some positive change?

APPLICATION:

Believe again that God can resurrect broken relationships. Our actions flow from our beliefs. If we have hope that begins to grow our actions will begin to follow that. Be present for each week as we learn just how God can fix up our homes.