



WESTBOURNE PARK
BAPTIST CHURCH

Fellowship Group Notes

18th October 2020



Welcome

What are the main things do you think divide our society?



What are the divisions that affect you the most? Are some of these good?

Worship

Read the Lord's Prayer in Matthew 6:9-13.

Reflect to each other what it says about forgiveness..

Song suggestions:

- Your blood speaks a better word

www.youtube.com/watch?v=JdVASupYbA0

- We are the free

www.youtube.com/watch?v=s1wh-O0VznQ

- Everyone needs compassion

www.youtube.com/watch?v=taluSSa9vYo



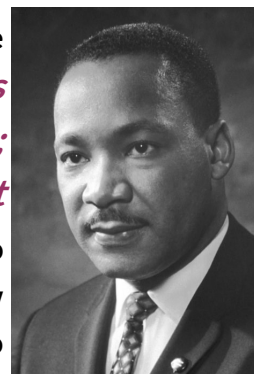
Word

Read Ephesians 2:11-22

The hinge of this passage is in v13 when Paul writes, "But now..."

- Spend a few minutes thinking about the Before and the After of the "But now..."
- In which areas is God bringing peace?
- What images does Paul use, that people still use today to divide human beings?
- What components link God's household together?

- Martin Luther King once said, "*Forgiveness is not an occasional act; it is a constant attitude.*" How true do you find this? And how easy do you remember to forget a grievance? Please share any helpful tips!



- Reflect on Colossians 3:15 and pray for other members of the body.

Witness

How do we model forgiveness to others?

Do you have to win? In the long run is it sometimes better to lose, or at least appear to lose?

Is this what Jesus modelled?