



Christ Our Hope Bible Church

Small Group Questions for the week of: November 22nd, 2009

James 5:13-15

1. Why is prayer so appropriate when suffering? (5:13) Why is praise appropriate when “cheerful”?
2. What kind of sickness is James talking about here? (5:14) What role do the elders have in this passage?
3. What is the relationship between prayer and healing? (5:15) What is the relationship between sin and sickness?

James 5:16-18

4. What kind of “confession” is James talking about here? (5:16) Why is transparent confession of our sin to fellow believers important?
5. Why is prayer so vital for the believer according to this verse? (5:17) To what degree are you engaged in “effective prayer”? What should change in your life?
6. What can we learn about prayer from the example that James gives?

Application:

What would God have you apply from these Scriptures?