

LOVE WYCOMBE 2020 ONLINE

Sunday 28 June
11:00am
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Jesus Heals the Leper

IN

Introduction

DISCUSSION:

Love Wycombe 2020 was a chance to recognise and be part of Church, in a bigger way than our own individual churches.

What does the word 'Church' mean to you (think both 'heart' and 'head')

UP

Explore

READ Luke 5:12-15

- The leper's words to Jesus were: 'Lord if you are willing, you can make me clean.' If you saw Jesus walk past you – what are some of the things you would like to say to him?
- John Harbour, in his sermon, referred to the 'Problem of Sin'. How would you describe, 'the problem of sin' to a sceptic?
- The leper went from Unclean to clean (see 2 Cor 5:17), and then Jesus commanded him to go and give sacrifices according to the Old Testament Law. What is the relevance of 'sacrifices' for us in our own faith?
- Jesus asked the leper to 'not tell anyone', but to go to the priest to offer the sacrifices as a testimony. What message would the priest, and others, hear from this testimony?
- What can we learn from this, so that our testimony will be heard by others? (Think as practically as possible).
- John Harbour said that this was a message of Hope. What hope does this story give to you for your own situation?

OUT

Impact

On your own: Have a time of personal prayer reflecting on what you would like Jesus to cleanse you of.

As a group: Spend some time in prayer for each other, and for those who don't know Jesus.