



## Small Group/ Reflection Notes

05-11-2023		What does the Lord require?	
 Start	<input type="checkbox"/> What was your experience of 'bonfire night'/ fireworks? This year? Childhood?		
 Discuss	<input type="checkbox"/> What is the KISS principle? (Keep It Simple, Stupid!) How/ when do you see it applied (or not) in your workplace or network? <input type="checkbox"/> Why/ how do we sometimes over-complicate faith?		
 Read	<a href="#">Micah 6:6-8</a>	 Listen again	ChesterRoadBaptist.org.uk/Watch
 Explore	<input type="checkbox"/> <a href="#">v.6</a> : What do you think God wants from us? How is religion often asking the wrong question? Why do we often assume it's for <i>us</i> to provide God with the sacrifice? Why do we sometimes wish we could? <input type="checkbox"/> <a href="#">v.7</a> : What would 1,000 ram (male sheep) cost today? Can you put a sum on 'rivers of olive oil'? Why are even substantial gifts/ legacies, though much-needed for mission & ministry, still not able to 'buy favour' with God? Is it the gift that's wrong, or the purpose/ attitude? Even if people use different language, what is the 'sin of my soul'? How might very religious/ committed parent(s) inadvertently sacrifice the well-being of their children? <input type="checkbox"/> <a href="#">v.8</a> : How has God <i>shown</i> (not just 'told') us what He requires? See <a href="#">John 5:19-23</a> . Why does God require <i>nothing</i> from us? And yet require <i>everything</i> ? What does God require from us? Why?		
 Go further	<input type="checkbox"/> Watch the 'Bible Project' short summary of the book of Micah. <a href="https://bibleproject.com/explore/video/micah/">https://bibleproject.com/explore/video/micah/</a>		
 Reflect	<input type="checkbox"/> Which one verse stands out to you? Why do you think it grabs your attention? <input type="checkbox"/> Which verse(s) will you need to think more about? Why?		
 Do	<input type="checkbox"/> Go on a justice walk. Instead of escaping into the beauty of nature/ creation, choose instead a more urban/ 'built environment' walk. What are your senses of sight, sound, smell, touch & taste, revealing to you about the presence of justice or injustice on these streets? Walk and talk with God – who is Just and Mercy-full.		
 Pray	Dear God, I thank you that _____. Show me more of Your _____. Teach me to be more _____.		



My questions:

*If you're not yet in a small group, why not join one! Check out: [ChesterRoadBaptist.org.uk/SmallGroups](https://ChesterRoadBaptist.org.uk/SmallGroups)  
Can't see a group to suit your availability/interest? Start one! [SmallGroups@ChesterRoadBaptist.org.uk](mailto:SmallGroups@ChesterRoadBaptist.org.uk).*

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