



Week beginning
14th March 2010

Welcome

Is there a particular piece of advice (funny or otherwise) that you distinctly remember your parents (or others) giving you as a child?



Worship

Choose 2 or 3 songs of worship from a cd and use them to reflect on the love God has for us, and our response to that love. Encourage people, as they listen to jot down words, phrases or thoughts that particularly strike them, and then use these things as prompts to praise God together in prayer

Proverbs 2 is a chapter all about wisdom that is handed down from parent (or Father) to child. In fact, Proverbs 1v8 says

'Listen, my child, to what your father teaches you. Don't neglect your mother's teaching.'

This is important because wisdom is intimately linked with fearing God and walking with him (see 1v1-7)

Read Proverbs 2 together.

- Make a list together of the advice the writer gives.

- What reasons does the writer give for listening to his advice (what are the benefits)?

- What will be avoided by acting on his advice?

- What aspect of Proverbs 2 seems most attractive to you at the moment? Why?

- Give thanks for those who have taught you wisdom. Pray that God would produce wisdom and a right

On the 16th and 23rd March we have the 2 launch events for Sunderland Street Pastors. The 16th is in the Civic centre with many councillors, police representatives and other interested parties. The 23rd is aimed primarily at Sunderland churches. Please pray for good, and favourable attendance, that people would be interested to become street pastors. And pray that the initiative has a real effect on the streets of Sunderland

Word

Witness