



## ENTERTAINING ANGELS

Welcome

Week beginning  
7th March 2010

What is the most embarrassing 'spillage' or 'food dropping' disaster you have ever had?

### Worship

1 John 4v11-12 says *'Dear friends, since God so loved us, we also ought to love one another. No one has ever seen God; but if we love one another, God lives in us and his love is made complete in us.'*

As an act of worship to God that shows that you love him, share with one another issues for prayer and then pray for each others challenges, joys and needs. As you do, remember that as we love one another, God's love is made complete in us!

### Time together

Today's session is thinking practically about hospitality.

- Reflect on Philippians 2v1-11 (famous verses). As we think about being hospitable towards others, what implications might these verses have on the way we think about being hospitable?

**Time alone** (put some music on and allow people about 15 mins to work through these questions)

- On a scale of 1 to 10, how hospitable are you with your home (remember, our home and life circumstances are all different. Some of us still live in other people's homes)?
- What is the most enjoyable and satisfying part of being hospitable towards others?
- What barriers or issues make you reluctant to be hospitable towards others?
- Think hard—who do you find it easy to be hospitable towards and who do you find it hard?
- Who at Bethany City Church would most appreciate and benefit from being invited for a coffee or a meal?

### Time together

- How can you as a cell group use 'food' as a means to bring people into the circle of influence of the gospel and the church? Why not work towards and plan a cell event (or number of smaller meals in peoples homes) over Easter you could invite people too. What are you going to do?
- Please pray that City Church would become known for being a church that has the gift of hospitality!

Word  
Witness