



## Week 2 Notes

### Through the Eyes of a Lion

*That is why we never give up. Though our bodies are dying, our spirits are being renewed every day. For our present troubles are small and won't last very long. Yet they produce for us a glory that vastly outweighs them and will last forever! So we don't look at the troubles we can see now; rather, we fix our gaze on things that cannot be seen. For the things we see now will soon be gone, but the things we cannot see will last forever.*

2 Corinthians 4:16-18 NLT

**Suffering is not an obstacle to you being used by God, it is an opportunity for you to be used like never before.**

- 1.) Don't rely on the naked eye.
- 2.) Train for the trial you're not yet in.
- 3.) Let God use your pain.

### Talk it Over

Read 2 Corinthians 4:16-18. Do you give more energy and focus to "seen" earthly struggles or "unseen" eternal things?

Where do you think you'd be weakest in a trial? How will you train for a trial you're not yet in?

What God-given insight or opportunity might your eyes be opened to because of pain you've experienced?



## SEPTEMBER 2017

**Sunday, September 24 - Small Group/Dream Team Fair**

## OCTOBER 2017

Fall Clean Up! (TBA)

Sunday, October 29 - Harvest Party, 5PM

## NOVEMBER 2017

Friday, November 10 - Women's Fall Party

**Tuesday, November 21 - Thanksgiving Gathering**

Wednesday, November 29 - Deck The Halls!

## DECEMBER 2017

**Sunday, December 17 - Christmas Service**

**Sunday, December 24 - Christmas Eve Service**

Sunday, December 31 - New Year's Service (AM), New Year's Eve Celebration (PM)