Youth Live Chat Discussion Questions July 5 - Luke 12

Welcome (5 min)

- Say hello to each young person as they come online.
- Ask a few directed questions and try to chat with the kids as much as you're able.

Warm Up Game (10 min)

Use the whiteboard option on Zoom (click share screen then choose whiteboard). Allow kids to one at a time draw something on the whiteboard for the others to guess. The first person to guess will win a point. Leaders could take a turn drawing something as well if they want. (You can let the kids choose an object of their own to draw or you can give them a word by typing it to them in the chat as a private message.)

You can let the kids know that points will add up throughout the chat and the person at the end with the most points will win a sweet that I'll send out to them in the post.

Discussion (20 min)

(Based off of Chrissy's talk from Luke 12 in the Sunday Connection video. Let them know that points can be had for correct answers to questions throughout this section, which can be added to their total for winning.)

- 1. Offer 1 point to anyone (everyone) who can say one thing they remember from Alex's talk. They can't repeat what someone else has already said.
- 2. What do you remember about what Chrissy said about how yeast works? Why might this be a good example of how the Gospel can change us?
- 3. What about when the yeast doesn't work so well? What happens to the bread then? Why is this a good example of what happens when your faith is more for show?
- 4. What are some ways that your faith could be more of a "performance" than something that's really changing you?
- 5. What are some ways that being considered with what other people think could affect your faith?
- 6. Read Luke 12:2-3. Jesus said this right after saying not to be a hypocrite like the Pharisees were. What do you think it means? What was Jesus saying about our faith the actions we take?
- 7. What are some ways that genuine faith will transform you if you allow it to?

Closing Game (10-15min)

Do a home scavenger hunt as this is hugely popular with all the kids. Wherever they are right now is their 'base' - this is where the items in the scavenger hunt have to be brought back to (so those using mobile platforms can't take their camera to the item. They need to leave their camera where it is and bring the item to the screen). Read out the items in turn. First person to bring the item to the screen wins a point.

This scavenger hunt list begins with a riddle for each item. They must solve the riddle and then find the item.

- 1. Although I may have eyes I can't see. At one time they ran out of me in Ireland and people went hungry. Potato
- 2. What invention lets you look right through a wall? Window (will just have to show this one as can't bring it to the camera lol)
- 3. What is higher without the head than with it? Pillow
- 4. I grow shorter as I grow older? Candle
- 5. I have a face that doesn't frown, I have hands that do not wave, I have no mouth just a familiar sound I don't walk but I move around? Clock

After

Message Chrissy to let her know who won the game (if it's a tie I'll send sweets to 2 kids).