

RIVERSIDE ANGLICAN CHURCHES
QUESTIONS FOR DISCUSSION OR REFLECTION

The King's Banquet

(1) For starters What outside of God are you tempted to make your life goal(s)?

(2) Read Isaiah 55:1

- Who is invited?
- What are they invited to do? What will they get?
- How are they to pay?

(3) Read Isaiah 55:2-3

- Have you ever struggled to get something that was valueless?
- Have you ever tried to pay for something that you shouldn't pay for?

(4) Read Isaiah 55:4-5

- What are they to 'behold' - i) from the past? ii) in the future? (Why?)
- What similarities are there between the two? What differences?

(5) Read Isaiah 55:6-7

- When should one seek the LORD?
- What has to happen before God's pardon is received?

(6) Read Isaiah 55:8-9

- Describe a time when you've become aware that your thinking or your ways were not God's.

(7) Read Isaiah 55:10-11

- When have you doubted the power of God's word? Why?

(8) Read Isaiah 55:12-13

- What will make a name for the LORD? What will the everlasting sign be?
- When will this happen?

(9) Finally 'God is most glorified in us when we are most satisfied in him' (John Piper).
Discuss.

