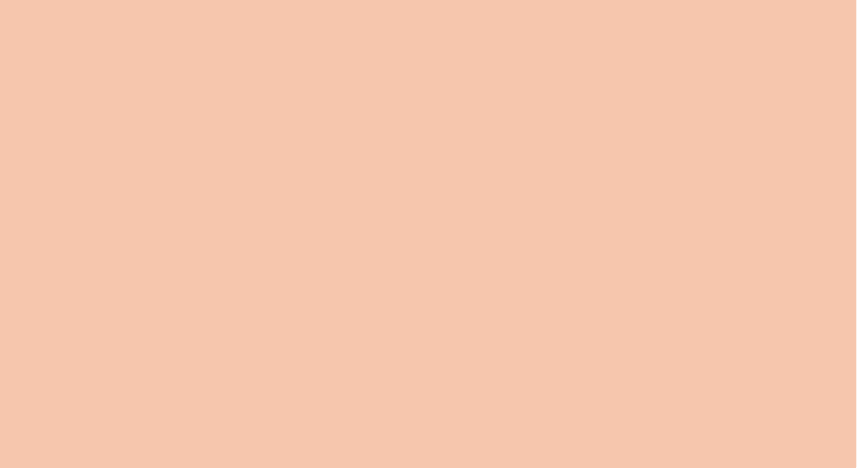




Being content with our place in God's plan

Sunday 4 February 2024



## **Discussion for growth and discipleship groups**

1. Read 2 Samuel 7:1-17
2. Why are rest periods important? (verse one). Compare Psalm 23:2
3. What role and importance does planning have in our lives and in church life? What attitude should we hold on to in our planning?
4. What were David's plans and desires? (v2). How does this show his heart? How do our desires and plans reveal our heart towards God?
5. Describe Nathan's role in David's life? (v 3-5). Why is a prayer partner who listens to God, keeps us accountable and guides us, good?
6. How can we find God's plan for us and for our church going forward?
7. What difference does 'house' have in David and God's plans? (v 2/16)
8. Why could David be content with his place in God's different plan to his? (v 12-14). How can we be content in God's plan for our lives?
9. Should we ever seek promotion or just leave it all to God? (v 8-9)
10. How could David's house and Kingdom last forever? (v16) With history and Israel/Gaza today, do verses 10 – 11 make any sense?
11. Read David's prayer in v 18-29. What elements of his prayer can we use in our prayer time right now? Enjoy praying together now!!