

ST. JOSEPH ISLAND FREE METHODIST CHURCH
SMALL GROUP DISCUSSION QUESTIONS
SUN OCT 14, 2018 PASTOR ADRIAN COLLINS

*A Sermon and Small Group Series on
"GOLIATH MUST FALL"
Based on 1 Samuel 17, with material from Louie Giglio's book*



#1 DEAD BUT STILL DEADLY

Based on the message given by Pastor Adrian Collins on Sunday October 14, 2018. It can be listened to at www.islandfmc.ca

1. Read 1 Samuel 17:1-9. What's happening here? What stands out for you? How easy is it for you to think of yourself as David in the story, going up against Goliath in your life?

Watch the Session 1 video – Dead but Still Deadly.

2. How do you respond to the notion that Jesus, not you, is the giant slayer in your life? What are the implications of this for the way we live our lives? How might that lead us to live FROM victory as opposed to living FOR victory?

3. 1 John 3:8 says that Jesus came to destroy the works of the devil. Mat 28:20 says Jesus has been given all authority in heaven and on earth. Why do you think we are still struggling with giants in our lives? What are some of the things you struggle with? How can God receive glory in our struggles?

4. Read James 4:7-8 and 1 Peter 5:6-9. How do we draw closer to God? How do we resist the devil so that he will flee from us?

5. Read 2 Cor 12:9-10 and Phil 4:13. "Our defense against the enemy is leaning into the sufficiency of Christ." What does His sufficiency mean practically? How can we lean into it?



Ask each person for any prayer requests. Pray for those requests and close in prayer by reading and praying through Psalm 18:1-6.

Prayer Requests

