

“The Adoption Gospel “  
2 Samuel 9:1-13  
January 17, 2016

**Connect: (25)**

- 1) For this connect time, share about a time that someone took you under their wing. What was it like?

**Discuss: (40)**

Read Samuel 9:1-13

- 1) Pastor Bryan shared that to survive a Cultural War we must be able to show that the grass is greener on this side of the fence- in the pastures of God’s provision. What is one of the cultural battles you’ve observed and how do you think you should respond, showing God’s provision?
- 2) What does it mean to be an orphan? How could David relate to Mephibosheth in regard to this? (Dead Dog Identity v8 & 1 Sam 24:14)
- 3) How does an orphan’s physical state relate to our spiritual state prior to Christ’s claim on us?
- 4) As you reflect on your own adoption in Christ, what is your heart moved to do in response? How might you proclaim God’s grace to the orphan ( the lonely, the broken or the desperate)

**Partner**

1. Let’s pray for the heart beat ministry and for those that are adopting or have adopted.