ChristChurch London Life Group Discussion Outline – 12/08/07
Foundations of Intercession
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Genesis 18

As God calls Abraham and chooses to reveal His purposes to him and involve him in His plans so God has chosen to do the same with us. God reveals his character and purposes to us and increases our faith every step of the way. As we get to know God's nature and plans we should be increasingly drawn into prayer that God's "will be done".

1. God chooses Abraham and gives him many promises. What are those promises?

2. What do we know of God's plans? What is God's "Big Picture"? What are his promises and how will they be fulfilled?

3. On initially reading the whole of Genesis 18 what impression do you get of God's character? How does this fit we what we know of God in the rest of the story of Abraham and the rest of the Bible?

4. How do you think we should approach God in prayer?

5. Can you define what intercession is? How does it differ from other types of prayer?

6. What things do you find helpful in bringing you to prayer? In what contexts do you find it most easy to pray? What practical things can you do to help you grow in prayer?

7. Who are you interceding for? Review the names on your connections card, who is God putting on your heart to pray for?