



Richfield Community Church
Life Group Discussion Questions
Sunday, November 27, 2011

Romans 11:33-36

What does it mean?

1. How would you summarize Paul's flow of big ideas through the first eleven chapters of Romans?
2. What does Paul mean by the "depth" of God's "riches"? "wisdom"? "knowledge"?
3. What is Paul trying to convey by saying that God's judgments are "unsearchable" and his ways "inscrutable"?
4. Paul asks 3 rhetorical questions in 11:34-35, that are all obviously to be answered with, "No one". No one knows God's mind, can counsel him, or give him anything. What positive idea is Paul conveying with these questions?
5. What does it mean that all things are "from" God? "through" God? "to" God?
6. What's the significance of ending this section with, "To him be glory forever. Amen."?
7. How would you paraphrase Paul's big idea in 11:33-36?

How does it apply?

1. What are you thinking and feeling as we end the 11th chapter of Romans?
2. What ideas in these 11 chapters have most encouraged your faith?
3. What ideas in these 11 chapters have most challenged your faith?
4. What ideas in these 11 chapters would you like to think about and discuss more?
5. When you think about God what ideas give you the most confidence, assurance, peace and joy?
6. When you think about God, what ideas do you find most perplexing?
7. How do you feel when you get to ideas about God that seem impossible to integrate?
8. What do you do when you get to ideas about God that seem impossible to integrate?
9. What do you think would help you grow in your faith the most?