

**Discussion Questions for *What Only God Can Do***  
**November 15, 2020**

1. Talk briefly through the connection of James 5:19-20, 2 Samuel 11-12, and Psalm 51.
2. What does David mean in v. 6 when he says, “You desire truth in the innermost being”? What is our “innermost being”? How does truth get there?
3. What is the difference between “head” knowledge of the Scripture and “heart” knowledge of the Scripture?
4. In vv. 7-12 it was noted that David is asking for what God can only do/provide in his life. Which of his requests strikes you as being of great significance?
5. Look at v. 8. David is wanting to experience joy and gladness during a time when he feels very broken. How is this possible? Have you ever personally experienced this from the Lord?
6. Talk through how everything David is asking God to do for him is done for us through faith in Jesus. How/why does Jesus fulfill all of this in our lives?
7. Look at v. 11. What does David mean by what he says here? We know he is not saying his salvation can be lost because of what Jesus says in John 10:27-28. So what is his request in this verse?
8. Why do you think David follows what he says in vv. 7-12 with what he says in v. 13? What is the connection?
9. Would you say the salvation of others is a priority in your life? Is it a priority for your Life Group?
10. What can we do this week to make v. 13 (being mindful of the need of others to hear about Jesus) a priority in our lives?