I. WELCOME, 15 mins.
Prepare a couple simple, fun and delightful icebreakers to help your group warm up. Help your cell group members to put aside their busy and tiresome life to prepare their hearts to come before God.

II. WORSHIP, 20 mins.
Prayerfully choose a few songs to lead the cell group members to worship God. The worship leader would encourage members to come before the throne of God to seek God’s face, and lead them into God’s presence. During this time, the cell group leader will also lead the group to pray aloud for the following prayer items:

A. MISSION ORGANIZATION: ____________________, and their needs are: ________________
(Please contact the church if you don’t know the needs of the mission organization.)

B. CHURCH MINISTRY:
- 06/09 Water Baptism @ 1:30PM
- 06/15 Men’s Breakfast with Pastor Cheng @ 9:00-11:00 AM
- 07/20 BBQ Outreach

C. New comer: ________________ Confirm new comers’ name before cell meeting.
   For sick members, friends or relatives: ________________ Please discuss how you may show your care to them.

III. WORD, 45 mins. By sharing God’s word, the group may discuss how to apply it to their daily life.
   A. Sharing message from last Sunday’s sermon: (It would be helpful if you could listen on-line once again.)
      1. What is the key message from last Sunday sermon? How did God talk to you through the message?
      2. How would you respond to the message? What action will you take after listening to the message?

B. DISCUSSION TOPIC: The Ability to Perform Miracles
   Scriptures: Mark 5: 21-43 (Please read Bible verses in turns)
   Memorizing Verse: He said to her, “Daughter, your faith has healed you. Go in peace and be freed from your suffering.” (Mark 5: 34)

   Foreword:
   Jesus’ ministry to people on earth: healing, deliverance and evangelism. In the Book of Mark chapter 4, Jesus teaches about the secret of the kingdom of God. In chapter 5, Jesus restores the demon-possessed man from Gerasenes, heals a sick woman and raises Jairus’ dead daughter. Jesus not only teaches about the way of life, He also ministers to people through His own life. God ministers to people by dealing with the root of the problem, not just merely physical healing or deliverance, but true freedom from being spiritually set free.

   1. Jesus is able to heal (Mark 5: 25 - 34):
      We witness how Jesus’ power manifest upon a woman who suffers bleeding problem.
      1) The woman’s despair: (5: 25-26)
         The bleeding problem has worsened her health, caused all fortune and dried out her soul. She is in a desperate situation and there is no hope.
      2) The woman’s hope: (5: 27)
         She “heard about Jesus”. Obviously she has done some homework and knew that Jesus is able to heal.
      3) The woman’s healing: (5: 30-34)
         God not only heals her bleeding problem, but also announces that she is cleansed publicly so the invisible barrier that segregates her and the society is being removed. Jesus calls her “daughter” and proclaims she is totally healed. The woman’s body, soul and spirits are all healed and in peace.

   2. Jesus is able to raise the dead (Mark 5 : 21-24 : 35-43)
      1) Jairus’ faith: (5: 25-26)
Jairus believes in Jesus’ healing power. His daughter can be healed when Jesus lays hands on her.

2) Real situation: (5: 35)

Jesus agreed to go to heal his daughter, but the bleeding woman hijacked the healing anointing and caused delay. His daughter was dead. Little did Jarius know that there was greater blessing waiting for him.

3) Jesus’ proclamation: (5: 36-43)

“Don’t be afraid; just believe”. When we believe, we will see the miracles. Jesus put the commotion out and let the daughter, her parents and three of his disciples witness a miracle derived from faith. Jesus is able to raise the dead because the Holy Spirit in him is unlimited (John 3:34).

Discussion:

1. Describe the story of the bleeding women briefly. Is there anyone you know who is going through similar situation? How can you help?

2. Why did Jesus pinpoint this suffering woman in public? Which point touches you the most out of this verse

3. Can you put yourself in Jarius’ shoes when he asks Jesus to heal his daughter? If someone is eagerly in need of your help, what attitude and action will you demonstrate under this circumstance?

4. Have you prayed fervently but God delayed His answer? What revelation you receive by reading Jarius’ daughter’s story?

5. Please share in the group about how can we minister or pray for people in need, especially about how to pray for the sick.

Prayer:

Dear Jesus, we thank you and we praise you! You not only reveal God’s way to us and you know our situation. You know we are weak in body and soul, but when we come to touch your cloak by faith, Father God, please heal us completely. You never delay or defer your plan; your timing is perfect. You will lead us to experience a greater miracle. Please give us the faith like you command to Jarius “don’t be afraid; just believe”. Let us believe in your words and experience countless signs and wonders. We pray in Jesus’ precious name. Amen!

IV. WORK (Pray for each other), 10 mins.

Please break into group of 2 or 3 to pray for each other’s needs.

Next week: Mark 6:1-56 Live by faith but not by sight