Lynn Valley Full Gospel Church February 17th, 2013 Speaker: Owen Scott

Series: "What Works When Life Doesn't"

Topic: "When You Need A lot of Forgiveness"

Text: Psalm 51:1-19

- 1. David's downward spiral of sin
 - 2 Samuel 11:2-5
 - 2 Samuel 11:27
 - 2 Samuel 12:7-15
- 2. We are all *"outraged"* at the <u>behavior</u> of our God.
 - Romans 3:25-26
- 3. How could God be <u>righteous</u> as well as the One who <u>justifies</u> murderers, liars and rapists?
- 4. Daily appropriating forgiveness
 - What David *felt* and *thought* as he laid hold of God's mercy
 - Matthew 6:11-12

- 5. David's response to his sin (Psalm 51)
 - a) He turns helplessly to God (v.1) (Exodus 34:6-7)
 - b) He prays for cleansing from sin (v.2,7) (1 John 1:9)
 - c) He confesses the seriousness of his sin (Psalm 51:3-4) (2 Samuel 11:27)
 - d) David pleads for renewal (Psalm 51:10-12) (Psalm 51:17)