

### JESUS LIVED IN COMMUNITY

**Ephesians 2:17-22** "And he came and preached peace to you who were far off and peace to those who were near. For through him we both have access in one Spirit to the Father. So then you are no longer strangers and aliens, but you are fellow citizens with the saints and members of the household of God, built on the foundation of the apostles and prophets, Christ Jesus himself being the cornerstone, in whom the whole structure, being joined together, grows into a holy temple in the Lord. In him you also are being built together into a dwelling place for God by the Spirit."

#### TODAY'S VERSES:

1 Peter 5:14 Romans 14:1 Romans 15:7 Ephesians 2:17-22 Acts 2:42-47 1 Corinthians 1:10 John 13:24-25 Hebrews 10:24-25 Romans 15:7 Ephesians 4:15-16 Philippians 2:3-7 1 Peter 2:9-10 John 17:20-23

# JESUS LIVED IN COMMUNITY DISCISSION QUESTIONS

#### **OVERVIEW**

**The Gospel:** We were all separated from relationship with God because of our own actions, but by the grace of Jesus, He has found us, cleaned us up, and adopted us into His family. We now live our lives for the Glory of Christ, boldly sharing this Good News: that Jesus Has Saved and Redeemed us.

#### **DISCUSSION**

Come up with your own definition of "community." Is your Gospel Community just a bible study?

#### **EXPLANATION**

What types of communities do you live in now?
Do these communities interact with each other?
What does it mean to find your Identity in Jesus Christ?
What would a response to that new identity look like?

#### **APPLICATION** Read Acts 2:42-47

How do you support the community you are in?

Are you a par-taker or just a taker?

Are your priorities in serving and giving focused on Jesus and others or yourself?

Share some ways your Identity has changed for the good or bad.

#### **MISSION**

Are there people you have trouble sharing the gospel with? Does living in community and serving others build up or drain you? In your own words, explain the Gospel.

## UPCOMING ACTIVITIES

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#### AGAPE THANKSGIVING DINNERS

TONIGHT & WEDNESDAY
Sign up for a dinner:
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CHRISTMAS FOR KIDS - December 7th
TODAY IS LAST DAY TO RECOMMEND A FAMILY
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