

A SMALL GROUP
CURRICULUM



MULTIPLIER

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REDEMPTION
CITY CHURCH

ONE MAN.
A FAITHFUL JOURNEY.
A WORLD CHANGED.

Top 3 Disciplemaking Essentials for Fall Groups 2026

1.) Connecting The Unconnected: Connecting the unconnected is not just about connecting people to the body of Christ and a healthy Godly community but connecting them to their purpose as well. If we are going to make disciples who make disciples it starts with connecting them to authentic Godly community, but also helping connect them to the purpose God has for them.

- **Action Step:** Make time in the next few days to actively meditate on Christ's words in John 15:5-6

2.) Abiding In Christ: My abiding in Christ is the anchor of my relationship with Him, and two things are born out of that abiding: confidence in my identity as a son or daughter, along with the power and freedom that comes with it, and my call to be and make disciples. If we as leaders are not first abiding in Christ, we stop making disciples of Jesus and begin making disciples of ourselves, and when we become disconnected from Christ, we stop growing, begin to die spiritually, and ultimately our centers of influence begin to die with us.

- **Action Step:** Take some time and come up with creative ways to help your people either get or stay connected to your group and community.

3.) Shepherding Towards Spiritual Maturity: The why behind this is that we are not called to simply make decisions or converts, but to make disciples of all nations by intentionally doing life with the people God has placed within our circle of influence, helping them grow both rationally and relationally by not only experiencing the Word but applying it to their lives. This requires commitment, patience, and intentionality, but it is also incredibly rewarding as we begin to see people take steps of faith, feed themselves spiritually, and ultimately own their faith.

- **Action Step:** Identify one individual whom you can begin to intentionally shepherd and disciple.

GROUPS VISION: Groups @ RCC seek to be a safe relational environment, where we all strive to become like Jesus together.

THIS IS A SAFE GROUP

Confidentiality is key-at is said in the group stays in the group. Be aware how you are affecting the environment with your words, actions, and non-verbal communication. This needs to be a place where people feel comfortable opening up and sharing.

NO CROSSTALK

Be considerate of others as they are sharing. No side conversations, checking phones, responding to texts or emails, etc.

LISTEN

Let's value one another by listening to what is being shared. Allow a pause after someone shares to allow them to finish and others to consider what was said. Eye contact and body posture play key roles in creating a positive or negative group environment.

NO RESCUING OR FIXING

We are not here to fix each other; Jesus does that part. Avoid the tendency to rescue when someone is struggling to get the words out or shares a struggle or conviction.

USE "I" STATEMENTS

It's easy to talk about the issues of other or respond with "we," "us," or "the church," but for us to grow as disciples and build relationships, we want to use "I" statements.

DON'T OVER-TALK

We want to create time for all members of the group to participate in the discussion. Be careful not to always be the first responder or regularly give long responses.

FIGHT FOR RELATIONSHIP

It's not if conflict or hurt feelings will happen, but when. We commit to fight for relationship with each other. Go to the person and share your struggle or seek wise advice if you are not sure how to handle the conflict.

BASIC BIBLE STUDY METHOD

1. Pray
2. Read the passage 2-3 times (use different translations).
3. Write out simple outline of the passage.

THE MULTIPLIER: Week 1 - The Call to Multiply

Open in Prayer

Welcome/Introductions/Cast Vision

Remind the small group of the ground rules

Ice Breaker: What is something you had to leave behind or step away from in order to grow?

Share context/summary of the story*[Provide context by sharing the information below.]*

In Genesis 11, the story of Abram (Abraham) unfolds. In this passage, God begins the transformation of Abram from an idol-worshipping follower into the great "Father of Faith." God calls Abram to go to the land that He will show him. Abram, as he often did, responded in faith to the Lord's command. God used Abram's obedience to multiply His blessing—not only to Abram and his family but also to the entire world.

Tell the story: Genesis 11:27 -12:9, Hebrews 11:8-10*[Have someone tell the story.]*

Rebuild the story*[Group members tell the story together based on what they remember.]*

Read the story out loud*[Read the scripture passage to see if anything was added or omitted.]*

Discuss these questions:

1. What do we learn about God from this passage?
2. What do we learn about Man/Us from this passage?
3. What is God saying to you specifically through this passage as it pertains to your life, marriage, family, and work?
4. In light of what you've learned today, what do you need to do to obey God?

Other questions specific to this passage:

1. A godly life must always be lived out in the middle of misunderstanding, temptation, and trials. In which one of these three areas are you currently struggling?
2. Share a "step of faith" that the Lord is calling you to take. Are you wrestling with it?

Assign next week's passage: Genesis 15:1-21 *[Ask someone to tell the story.]*

Close in Prayer

THE MULTIPLIER: Week 2 - The Covenant to Multiply

Open in Prayer

Welcome/Introductions/Cast Vision

Remind the small group of the ground rules

Ice Breaker: What is something you're currently waiting on that requires you to trust God?

Share context/summary of the story *[Provide context by sharing the information below.]*

Genesis 15 begins with God speaking to Abram in a vision. God promises to be a shield of protection and also provide a great reward. Yet Abram is still quite concerned because he and Sarai remain childless. God takes Abram outside and asks him to gaze into the night sky. God promises that Abram's descendants will be as numerous as the stars in the sky above him. Abram responded in faith, and it was credited to him as righteousness.

Tell the story: Genesis 15:1-21 *[Have someone tell the story.]*

Rebuild the story *[Group members tell the story together based on what they remember.]*

Read the story out loud *[Read the scripture passage to see if anything was added or omitted.]*

Discuss these questions:

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4. In light of what you've learned today, what do you need to do to obey God?

Other questions specific to this passage:

1. Is your faith real enough that it has changed your life? If so, how has your life changed? In what areas does it still need to change?
2. How would you respond to someone that says they're trying their best to get to heaven?

Assign next week's passage: Genesis 18:16-33 *[Ask someone to tell the story.]*

Close in Prayer

THE MULTIPLIER: Week 3 - Righteous and Just

Open in Prayer

Welcome/Introductions/Cast Vision

Remind the small group of the ground rules

Ice Breaker: Who is someone in your life that you would go to great lengths to help, protect, or fight for and why?

Share context/summary of the story *[Provide context by sharing the information below.]*

After enjoying a meal together, Abraham and the Lord looked down toward the city of Sodom. The Lord stated that the outcry against Sodom and Gomorrah had become great and that their sin was horrific. Abraham, burdened for Lot and Lot's family, challenged God repeatedly not to destroy the righteous with the wicked. Later we learn in Genesis 19:29 that "God remembered Abraham, and sent Lot out of the midst of the overthrow."

Tell the story: Genesis 18:16-33 *[Have someone tell the story.]*

Rebuild the story *[Group members tell the story together based on what they remember.]*

Read the story out loud *[Read the scripture passage to see if anything was added or omitted.]*

Discuss these questions:

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4. In light of what you've learned today, what do you need to do to obey God?

Other questions specific to this passage:

1. Even if unbelievers won't listen to you, they cannot prevent you from praying for them. Who are you praying for because the lines of communication are now broken?
2. Do you struggle more with boldness, persistence, or humility in prayer?

Assign next week's passage: Genesis 22:1-19 *[Ask someone to tell the story.]*

Close in Prayer

THE MULTIPLIER: Week 4 - The Covenant Keeper

Open in Prayer

Welcome/Introductions/Cast Vision

Remind the small group of the ground rules

Ice Breaker: What's something you have a hard time letting go of, even when you know you can trust God with it?

Share context/summary of the story *[Provide context by sharing the information below.]*

When God called Abraham, He promised to make him a great nation and that through him all the families of the earth would be blessed. Twenty-five years after that promise, Abraham's son, Isaac, was born. Abraham's journey between those two key moments was filled with family quarrels, manipulation, deception, and infertility. Genesis 22 records the greatest test that Abraham ever faced. It also presents a beautiful picture of Jesus' sacrifice for us.

Tell the story: Genesis 22:1-19 *[Have someone tell the story.]*

Rebuild the story *[Group members tell the story together based on what they remember.]*

Read the story out loud *[Read the scripture passage to see if anything was added or omitted.]*

Discuss these questions:

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3. What is God saying to you specifically through this passage as it pertains to your life, marriage, family, and work?
4. In light of what you've learned today, what do you need to do to obey God?

Other questions specific to this passage:

1. Has your faith been strengthened by watching someone remain faithful to God while going through a very difficult circumstance? Who was it? What did they experience?
2. What did God teach you through a recent trial you experienced?

Assign next week's passage: Genesis 24:1-27 *[Ask someone to tell the story.]*

Close in Prayer

THE MULTIPLIER: Week 5 - A Father's Heart

Open in Prayer

Welcome/Introductions/Cast Vision

Remind the small group of the ground rules

Ice Breaker: Have you ever prayed for God to guide you in a decision and then had something happen that made you think, That could only have been God?

Share context/summary of the story *[Provide context by sharing the information below.]*

Abraham was now 140 years old and had just buried his wife, Sarah. His greatest concern now was that, before he passed away, he would see His son Isaac married. God had been faithful to Abraham for 65 years and would not forsake him now. Abraham tasked an anonymous servant with the great assignment of finding Isaac's bride. The servant acted by faith and trusted in the Lord to direct his path.

Tell the story: Genesis 24:1-27 *[Have someone tell the story.]*

Rebuild the story *[Group members tell the story together based on what they remember.]*

Read the story out loud *[Read the scripture passage to see if anything was added or omitted.]*

Discuss these questions:

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2. What do we learn about Man/Us from this passage?
3. What is God saying to you specifically through this passage as it pertains to your life, marriage, family, and work?
4. In light of what you've learned today, what do you need to do to obey God?

Other questions specific to this passage:

1. In seeking guidance from God, have you ever asked for a miraculous sign or experience to confirm a direction He was leading? What was the situation? For what did you ask?
2. Rebekah was such a humble servant. Why might serving others be difficult for you?

Assign next week's passage: Genesis 25:19-34 *[Ask someone to tell the story.]*

Close in Prayer

THE MULTIPLIER: Week 6 - The Victory Giver

Open in Prayer

Welcome/Introductions/Cast Vision

Remind the small group of the ground rules

Ice Breaker: What's something people are often tempted to trade their future for because they want something immediately?

Share context/summary of the story *[Provide context by sharing the information below.]*

In this passage, we discover that Isaac is approaching 60 years of age and Rebekah is still barren. Thankfully, Isaac did not resort to a surrogate wife as Abraham had done with Hagar. Instead, Isaac engaged in passionate prayer and believed wholeheartedly that God's promise would be fulfilled. Isaac and Rebekah learned that the promised blessing would not be accomplished by mere human effort but by the direct intervention of almighty God.

Tell the story: Genesis 25:19-34 *[Have someone tell the story.]*

Rebuild the story *[Group members tell the story together based on what they remember.]*

Read the story out loud *[Read the scripture passage to see if anything was added or omitted.]*

Discuss these questions:

What do we learn about God from this passage?

What do we learn about Man/Us from this passage?

What is God saying to you specifically through this passage as it pertains to your life, marriage, family, and work?

In light of what you've learned today, what do you need to do to obey God?

Other questions specific to this passage:

1. In our fast-paced society, we often feel pressured to make quick decisions. In your haste, have you made a poor decision recently? What was it? What were the consequences?
2. What burdens your heart? What are you praying for with passion and zeal?

Assign next week's passage: Genesis 27:1-45 *[Ask someone to tell the story.]*

Close in Prayer

THE MULTIPLIER: Week 7 - The Grand Author

Open in Prayer

Welcome/Introductions/Cast Vision

Remind the small group of the ground rules

Ice Breaker: Why do you think we sometimes feel the need to take matters into our own hands instead of waiting and trusting God?

Share context/summary of the story *[Provide context by sharing the information below.]*

God had told both Isaac and Rebekah that Jacob, their younger son, was to receive the covenant blessing (Genesis 25:23). Unfortunately, this family self-destructed. They wrongly thought they could substitute “scheming” for “believing” in order for each of them to get their way. However, God fulfilled His promise in spite of Isaac’s opposition, the manipulation of Rebekah and Jacob, and the indifference of Esau.

Tell the story: Genesis 27:1-45 *[Have someone tell the story.]*

Rebuild the story *[Group members tell the story together based on what they remember.]*

Read the story out loud *[Read the scripture passage to see if anything was added or omitted.]*

Discuss these questions:

1. What do we learn about God from this passage?
2. What do we learn about Man/Us from this passage?
3. What is God saying to you specifically through this passage as it pertains to your life, marriage, family, and work?
4. In light of what you’ve learned today, what do you need to do to obey God?

Other questions specific to this passage:

1. James 3:16 states that jealousy and selfish ambition lead to disorder and chaos. Have you seen this happen firsthand within a family? What was the ultimate outcome?
2. In what ways is scheming the opposite of living by faith?

Assign next week’s passage: Genesis 28:10-22 *[Ask someone to tell the story.]*

Close in Prayer

THE MULTIPLIER: Week 8 - The Inescapable Comforter

Open in Prayer

Welcome/Introductions/Cast Vision

Remind the small group of the ground rules

Ice Breaker: Where is the most unexpected place you've ever experienced God or felt especially close to Him?

Share context/summary of the story *[Provide context by sharing the information below.]*

Jacob and Rebekah's plot to secure Jacob's blessing from Isaac had gone as they had planned. Unfortunately, Jacob had to flee an angry Esau who wanted to take his life. Jacob knew of God's promise to bless his family with land and people, but Jacob finds himself alone with no wife or children. Jacob had traveled a great distance to avoid the consequences of his sinful actions, but he would soon learn that He could not escape the presence of God.

Tell the story: Genesis 28:10-22 *[Have someone tell the story.]*

Rebuild the story *[Group members tell the story together based on what they remember.]*

Read the story out loud *[Read the scripture passage to see if anything was added or omitted.]*

Discuss these questions:

1. What do we learn about God from this passage?
2. What do we learn about Man/Us from this passage?
3. What is God saying to you specifically through this passage as it pertains to your life, marriage, family, and work?
4. In light of what you've learned today, what do you need to do to obey God?

Other questions specific to this passage:

1. Jacob made a memorial to God at Bethel to honor Him. If you could go back to one specific location and leave your own memorial to God, where would you place it, and why?
2. Have you ever tried to flee the consequences of God? What did it look like?

Assign next week's passage: Genesis 32:22-32 *[Ask someone to tell the story.]*

Close in Prayer

THE MULTIPLIER: Week 9 - The Heart Breaker

Open in Prayer

Welcome/Introductions/Cast Vision

Remind the small group of the ground rules

Ice Breaker: What is something you've had to wrestle with in your relationship with God—something you struggled to understand, surrender, or trust Him with?

Share context/summary of the story *[Provide context by sharing the information below.]*

Jacob's life had been characterized by struggle and conflict with others. Even before his birth, Jacob had wrestled with his brother, Esau (Genesis 25:22). In Genesis 27, Jacob wrestled with his father, deceiving Isaac in order to steal Esau's blessing. Jacob then struggled with his father-in-law, serving a deceptive Laban for fourteen years to earn the right to marry Rachel (Genesis 29-31). Now in Genesis 32, Jacob would wrestle with almighty God.

Tell the story: Genesis 32:22-32 *[Have someone tell the story.]*

Rebuild the story *[Group members tell the story together based on what they remember.]*

Read the story out loud *[Read the scripture passage to see if anything was added or omitted.]*

Discuss these questions:

1. What do we learn about God from this passage?
2. What do we learn about Man/Us from this passage?
3. What is God saying to you specifically through this passage as it pertains to your life, marriage, family, and work?
4. In light of what you've learned today, what do you need to do to obey God?

Other questions specific to this passage:

1. Have you ever wrestled with a decision that the Lord wanted you to make? What did you eventually do? What was the result of your decision?
2. God changes us. What characteristic would you give to describe your old life? New life?

Close in Prayer

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4 KEYS TO BEING WITH JESUS

John 15

ABIDE: Week 1 - Abiding In Prayer

Open in Prayer

Welcome/Introductions/Cast Vision

Remind the small group of the ground rules

Ice Breaker: If you could ask Jesus one question about prayer, what would you ask Him?

Share context/summary of the story *[Provide context by sharing the information below.]*

In this writing of Matthew we won't just be looking at what Jesus says prayer is but a starting point to what abiding in prayer is all about, how to pray and talk to your Heavenly Father.

Tell the story: Matthew 6:5-14 *[Have someone tell the story.]*

Rebuild the story *[Group members tell the story together based on what they remember.]*

Read the story out loud *[Read the scripture passage to see if anything was added or omitted.]*

Discuss these questions:

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2. What do we learn about Man/Us from this passage?
3. What is God saying to you specifically through this passage as it pertains to your life, marriage, family, and work?
4. In light of what you've learned today, what do you need to do to obey God?

Other questions specific to this passage:

- 1.) What do you think Jesus means by Praying and asking the Father to give us our daily bread?
- 2.) How does The Father knowing what you need before you ask change your heart towards Prayer?

Assign next week's passage: John 4:1-25

[Ask someone to tell the story.] **Close in Prayer**

ABIDE: Week 2 - Abiding In Worship

Open in Prayer

Welcome/Introductions/Cast Vision

Remind the small group of the ground rules

Ice Breaker: What is something in your life you thought would satisfy you but didn't?

Share context/summary of the story *[Provide context by sharing the information below.]*

In this Scripture We see Jesus Walking Up to a well where a samaritan woman was and as he sits and talks with her he begins to open her eyes so the reality that is coming through him that there is coming a day where True worshipers will begin to worship The Father in Spirit and in truth.

Tell the story: John 4:1-25 *[Have someone tell the story.]*

Rebuild the story *[Group members tell the story together based on what they remember.]*

Read the story out loud *[Read the scripture passage to see if anything was added or omitted.]*

Discuss these questions:

1. What do we learn about God from this passage?
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3. What is God saying to you specifically through this passage as it pertains to your life, marriage, family, and work?
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Other questions specific to this passage:

1. What does it mean to you That the Father is "Seeking Such people To Worship Him"
2. How different would your worship be if there were no expectations but just being with the Spirit and The Father?

Assign next week's passage: John 15:1-17

[Ask someone to tell the story.] **Close in Prayer**

ABIDE: Week 3 - Abiding In Love

Open in Prayer

Welcome/Introductions/Cast Vision

Remind the small group of the ground rules

Ice Breaker: What is something in your life that you've learned you can't do without the support of someone else?

Share context/summary of the story *[Provide context by sharing the information below.]*

We See in this Scripture Jesus teaching us the importance of not just abiding in him but in his Love, that he is the vine and we are the branches and that without him we wither away.

Tell the story: John 15:1-17 *[Have someone tell the story.]*

Rebuild the story *[Group members tell the story together based on what they remember.]*

Read the story out loud *[Read the scripture passage to see if anything was added or omitted.]*

Discuss these questions:

1. What do we learn about God from this passage?
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4. In light of what you've learned today, what do you need to do to obey God?

Other questions specific to this passage:

1. Do You feel a difference in your love for others when you havent been abiding?

Assign next week's passage: John 8:31-38

[Ask someone to tell the story.] Close in Prayer

ABIDE: Week 4 - Abiding In Truth

Open in Prayer

Welcome/Introductions/Cast Vision

Remind the small group of the ground rules

Ice Breaker: When you hear the word ‘freedom,’ what does freedom mean to you?

Share context/summary of the story*Provide context by sharing the information below.]*

Whe In this Scripture Jesus is making a point not just to the Jews had believed in him bu to us today that it is in abiding in his word that we begin to abide and live a life filled with his Word and Truth.

Tell the story: John 8:31-38*[Have someone tell the story.]*

Rebuild the story*Group members tell the story together based on what they remember.]*

Read the story out loud*[Read the scripture passage to see if anything was added or omitted.]* **Discuss**
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3. What is God saying to you specifically through this passage as it pertains to your life, marriage, family, and work?
4. In light of what you’ve learned today, what do you need to do to obey God?

Other questions specific to this passage:

1. What do you think it looks like to begin to abide in Gods word?

Close in Prayer