

COMMUNITY Week 6 March 19



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TRY A LIFE GROUP

JOIN A 3 WEEK MINI LIFE GROUP AND SEE WHAT IT'S ALL ABOUT!

APRIL 16, APRIL 23, AND APRIL 30, DURING THE 11:00 SERVICE

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OTHER RESOURCES

Additional Bible Verses

- Acts 2
- Hebrews 10
- Romans 12

Book Recommendations

- 'Everybody Always' - Bob Goff
- 'Uncommon Ground' - John Inazu
- 'A Fellowship of Differents' - Scott McKnight
- 'The Cost of Discipleship' - Dietrich Bonhoeffer



"I am of the opinion that my life belongs to the whole community and as long as I live, it is my privilege to do for it whatever I can. I want to be thoroughly used up when I die, for the harder I work the more I live."

—George Bernard Shaw

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

1. Read I Thessalonians 5:16-18. What are the three commands you read in those verse and what do they mean to you
2. Is it possible to fulfill those commands? Why or why not?
3. Now read I Thessalonians 5:12-18. When you add verses 12-15 does it change anything about how you read those three commands? If you read vs 16-18 as a command to you as an individual did vs 12-15 shift it to commands for community? Discuss any phrases that you feel make that clear.
4. In Acts 5:40-41 we see the apostles in a life threatening encounter. How is it possible for the three commands from question one to be followed in this situation? What are some situations in your life where the three commands seem impossible to follow as an individual? How does it change when you have a community to gather around you?
5. Read Romans 8:37-39. Read it first individually to yourself... the read it out loud together... Say it together as a declaration. What does it say to you? What are ways that we together can remind one another of this truth?
6. How can we be praying for you today?

MAIN VERSES

1 Thessalonians 5:12-18, Acts 5:40-41