

## **SUMMER OF FRUIT—JOY Community Group Questions**

### **Psalm 16:7-11**

1—How have you experienced the Lord this past week? What is a kingdom moment you've experienced?

2—What is the difference between happiness and joy? Why do you think the Bible speaks more about joy rather than happiness? When was the last time you experienced joy?

3—Read **Psalm 16:7-11**. Where does David say that the fullness of joy exists? How does that differ from how we tend to think about joy? What needs to change in your life in your pursuit of joy?

4—Read **1 Peter 1:5-8**. Why do you think Peter connects suffering and joy? What is the joy that he speaks of rooted in? How can we experience suffering and joy at the same time?

5—Which of Sunday's main points best resonate with you?

- True joy is only found in the presence of God
- Joy is available any moment we make space for God
- Jesus gave you access, but he won't force your attention
- Suffering can fuel joy...if you allow it

6—Which of Sunday's action points best resonate with you?

- Remind yourself the tomb is empty whether you feel it or not
- Build rhythms that keep you connected to the source
- Worship before you feel it
- Embrace hardship

7—What are you hearing from the Lord in these verses?