



Community Group Leader Guide Week 8

This week, we wrap up the Love Where You Live series! We started the series talking about the stories we make up in our heads about other people, and are ending it by learning to tell our story to others. We have important stories that God is writing in us and through us that need to be told to our friends, family, and neighbors. Let's talk about how to talk about it!

Schedule

1. Gather & Eat (30 mins)
2. Welcome & Icebreaker (5-10 mins)
3. Discussion (30-40 mins)
4. Closing & Prayer (5-10 mins)

Ice Breaker

What is something unexpected that has changed about you in the last few years?

Questions

1. When has hearing someone else's faith story really impacted you?
2. Have you ever shared your faith story with someone else? What was that like?
3. What prevents you from sharing "how much God has done for you" with others?
4. The demoniac and his problems (Luke 8) were infamous to his townspeople. How did that make his story more impactful? How is your story more (potentially) impactful because of your past?
5. What causes you to be "ashamed" to share your faith with others?
6. Are you able to trust in the Spirit to speak through you when you share your story?
7. Who is a good model for sharing their faith story? A bad model? What's the difference?
8. Who are you called to share your faith story with now?
9. Look through pages 165-7. Talk about a few ideas you/your Group can act on.

Notes

- Review this guide and the Facilitator Guide/Questions (pgs. 161-3) before your night.
- Use the prayer prompt from the Facilitator Guide for your prayer time at the end.

Announcements

- If this is your last Group meeting of the Winter season, thank your Group, recap what you've talked through and been challenged by over the course of the series, etc.
- Easter is an easy Sunday to invite people to church who you've been looking to invite. Do it.
- The new Group season will start the week of May 5th. This spring, we'll be exploring what we "Need to Know" to have a faith that survives and thrives in a challenging world - all based on Paul's Letter to the Philippians.