

Lifegroups -Talk It Over Growth Guide

Ekklesia Week Two- The Church's Origin Story

Section	Notes / Content
WELCOME, PRAYER & ANNOUNCEMENTS	Mens Work Night Next Monday Oct 12th, 6-8:30pm Ladies Connect Night OCT 17th, 6-8 @The Maisonvilles House
ICE BREAKER	Have you ever tried to make, bake or build something and it didn't turn out the way you intended?
REMINDER -PURPOSE OF A GROUP	The purpose of Lifegroup is to help people grow in spiritual maturity in relationship. It's where we Connect and Grow together as a Church family!
TODAY'S SCRIPTURE & MAIN IDEA. Matt 16:18, Acts 2:42-47 Ekklesia- The Church Origin Story	Jesus is the builder/owner of the Ekklesia, the Church. He gave a plan for the early church to grow and now, we, the Church are still accountable to Him to follow it.
HEAD QUESTIONS	Read Matt 16:18 It's clear the Church is HIS Church and death cannot stop it. How does this truth inform the local church and its mission(how it operates). Also, how is this truth an encouragement to the believer every day?
HEART QUESTIONS	Read Acts 2:42-47 What are the 4 ingredients in the formula of the Church Where do you see these in our local church? Which ones do you most easily engage in and which is the hardest to practice? Do you have ideas of how we could more regularly engage in all four?
HANDS/FEET QUESTIONS	Below are Tommy's Takeaways from the sermon. Give brief feedback one. 1. The church is a people, not a property. 2. Jesus is the cornerstone on which the church is built. 3. Sunday morning attendance is only part of being in the church
RECAP/PERSONAL TAKEAWAY	What's your one thing to apply/change because of this weeks study?