The Living Stone
1 Peter 2:4-12

If we build our lives on the unshakable foundation of Jesus Christ…

- We receive the _____ of Jesus.

- We participate in the _____ of Jesus.

- We follow in the _____ of Jesus.

QUESTIONS FOR FURTHER REFLECTION:

1. Begin by reading 1 Peter 2:4-12.

2. Where do you tend to look for self worth? Why would receiving your worth from Jesus be important in light of that?

3. Would you describe your spirituality more in terms of observation or participation?

4. Chris talked about the work of Jesus; a) What does it mean that Jesus is the true Temple, our Great High Priest, and the once-for-all sacrifice? b) What does it mean that we are God's temple, priests, and living sacrifices? c) How would your life change if that were truly your reality?

5. What desires in you are waging war against your soul (vs. 11)?

6. Chris said that since Jesus was rejected by the world, we as His followers should expect to be rejected as well. In what ways have you felt "rejected" by others because of your faith? How should you respond to that in light of the way of Jesus?