

# Christ Community Church

Community Group Discussion Guide for Week of April 19, 2026

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## Announcements

1. **Community Group:** Any specific announcements or things to discuss pertaining to your community group?
2. **Upcoming Christ Community Gatherings:** Women's Meetup at Nove Candle Co. in Montgomery on 4/30 from 6:30 to 8:30 PM (Please Register Online) – MAC Sunday on 5/10 (Lunch After Church at Mac's Pizza Pub in Blue Ash) – Men's Meetup at The Acres in Evendale on 4/16 from 7:30 to 9:00 PM
3. **Splash Into Summer Cookout:** Join us after church on Sunday May 31st to kick off summer! We will be grilling and kids can play at the splash pad at the Blue Ash YMCA! If you desire, show off your baking skills and enter the bake off! Otherwise please bring a side to share. Hot dogs, Burgers, Buns, and drinks provided.
4. **The Gospel Coalition's 2026 Women's Conference:** Join the women of Christ Community Church for TCG's Women's Conference in Indy from June 11 to 13 for a time of worship, teaching, and connection. For registration and more information, visit [www.christcincy.org/events](http://www.christcincy.org/events).

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### Opening Question

*What's something you're looking forward to right now?*

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## Titus 1:1-4

*Leader's Note: Open with a brief prayer, asking God to make the group receptive to His Word. Then invite someone to read the passage aloud. (For longer sections, consider dividing the reading among several people.)*

*[1] Paul, a servant of God and an apostle of Jesus Christ, for the sake of the faith of God's elect and their knowledge of the truth, which accords with godliness, [2] in hope of eternal life, which God, who never lies, promised before the ages began [3] and at the proper time manifested in his word through the preaching with which I have been entrusted by the command of God our Savior;*

*[4] To Titus, my true child in a common faith:*

*Grace and peace from God the Father and Christ Jesus our Savior.*

## Discussion Questions

1. In the first part of verse one, Paul introduces himself as “a servant of God and an apostle of Jesus Christ,” understanding himself as someone who belongs to God and is therefore sent by God. What do you think it means—and what might it look like—for someone to live as a person who belongs to God and is sent by Him?  
⇒ *Potential Follow-Up Question(s): What are some ways you currently define your identity (roles, responsibilities, achievements, relationships, etc.)? How might your daily life look different if you fully saw yourself as belonging to God first as you live out those roles?*
2. In the second part of verse 1 through verse 3, Paul roots everything in “the hope of eternal life... promised... before the ages began.” What about this description of our foundation in God’s promise speaks most to you personally? Why?  
⇒ *Potential Follow-Up Question(s): What are some “shaky foundations” people commonly build their lives on today? What does it practically look like to build your life on the foundation of God’s promises instead?*
3. In verses 1–3, Paul connects grace with godliness. In big ways or small, how have you seen the power of God’s grace transform your life or the lives of others?  
⇒ *Potential Follow-Up Question(s): How might God be inviting you to let His grace shape a specific area of your life right now?*
4. In verse 4, Paul blesses Titus with “grace and peace.” What tends to rob you of peace in your daily life?  
⇒ *Potential Follow-Up Question(s): What would it look like for you to practically rest in God’s grace this week?*
5. In the passage as a whole, Paul the Apostle emphasizes the importance of putting God’s story of grace at the center of our lives. If grace is truly at the center, it will show up in how we treat others. How might remembering your own need for grace change how you respond to someone this week?  
⇒ *Potential Follow-Up Question(s): None.*

## Prayer

*Leader’s Note: Wrap up your time by moving into prayer. Begin by inviting group members to share any requests, especially in light of the categories listed below. When someone shares, ask if another person would be willing to pray for that request. Then open the group prayer time by asking someone to start and encourage others to pray as they feel led. When it seems like the time is drawing to a close, finish by thanking God for His Word and for the time you’ve had together.*

- **Word – Praying in Response to God’s Word**  
*What truths or applications stood out from our discussion, and how can we pray for one another in light of what God has shown us through His Word?*
- **Heart – Praying for “Heart-Level” Concerns**  
*Because real change begins in the heart, how can we pray for one another where trusting God feels hard or where walking closely with Him is a struggle?*
- **Life – Praying for Personal Requests**  
*What personal needs, burdens, or situations would you like prayer for this week?*
- **Church – Praying for Our Church and Its Mission**  
*What are some things happening in our church and through our church that we can be praying for together?*
- **World – Praying for People You’re Minister To and Those in Need**  
*Who in your life doesn’t yet know Jesus, and how can we pray for them—and for your opportunities to love and share the gospel with them? Who in your life needs prayer, encouragement, or care, and how can we lift them up together this week?*