



1. Opening

Purpose for Digs and Prayer (1 min) Digs gather to study, pray, and apply the Word of God to our lives. Our hope is that we would increase in our love for God, love for one another, and tell others about Him (Matt 22:37-40; Matt 28:19-20).

Weekly Christian Formation (5 min)

Question 14* Did God create us unable to keep his law?

Answer: No, but because of the disobedience of our first parents, Adam and Eve, all of creation is fallen; we are all born in sin and guilt, corrupt in our nature and unable to keep God's law.

Scripture Reference: Romans 5:12

What does this mean? How does it impact our lives?

Recap (5 min)

Recap the last time your Dig Group gathered. How did you apply God's Word over the last week(s)?

2. Bible Study October 4th (30-45 minutes)

*Read the passage aloud together.

*Pray for God's wisdom to rightly understand the passage.

Scripture Reference: Nehemiah 13

1. Throughout the book, in what ways has Nehemiah been an example of a good leader?
2. In what ways has his leadership not been enough? How does Nehemiah show us we are in need of a better leader, Jesus?

3. In what ways do God's people return to sin in Nehemiah's absence? Why are these sins so problematic?
4. Are there similar types of sins in your own life?
5. How does Nehemiah respond to these sins?
6. What does Nehemiah's response teach us about how we are to deal with sin among God's people?
7. Where have we allowed sin amongst us? How can we confront that sin and repent?

3. Confession and Prayer (30-45 minutes)

*Prayer: Reserve plenty of time to pray for one another.

*Prayer Challenge: Pray that God would provide opportunities for you to share Christ with people. Pray that you would make the most of every opportunity (Col 4:2-6).

**Weekly Christian Formation Questions are taken from the New City Catechism