CHAPTER 14 | "Is Christianity Boring?" GROUP DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

WATCH:

• Watch this week's Group video on Chapter 14 at www.guest52.com/videos

GOD STORY

 Have someone in your group share a God Story or testimony of how God has moved in their life.

INTRO QUESTIONS:

- What encouraged or challenged you from the sermon and/or the daily exercises?
- What was your impression of church growing up or before you became a Christian?
- Do you know anyone who is really resistant to the idea of church? What are their reasons?

KEY PASSAGES:

- **Philippians 4:4** Do you know someone who embodies this verse? Why do you think churches don't always feel like places of rejoicing?
- **John 2:1-12** Jesus' first miracle in the Gospel of John is during a wedding feast? Use your imagination and try to picture this scene. How do you imagine Jesus interacting with others at this wedding feast?
- **Revelation 19:6-9** How do you picture heaven in your imagination? How does that picture change when you think about heaven as a wedding celebration?

GROUP DISCUSSION:

- If you are married, please share a fond memory from your wedding day. If unmarried, what do you hope your wedding day will be like?
- Do you think the current practice of worship services in the American church are what God had in mind when He established the Church? Why or why not?
- James 1:2 calls us to have joy even in the midst of trials. What does this joy-in-trials look like?
- What can we do personally to bring a spirit of joy to our worship and our time with our church family?

WEEKLY APPLICATION:

- On page 91, we were challenged to ask a friend who doesn't go to church what would make it a place they would like to go? Who did you ask and what did they say?
- Depending on when your group meets, you might not have reached the Hands section
 yet for your daily exercises in chapter 14. If that is the case, reflect back on the following
 question from last week's Weekly Application.
 - On page 82, we were challenged to think about one person we want to influence for Jesus. Who was that, and did you have an opportunity to influence them?