

EMBRACE & TWIN TOWERS "SHARING TIME" GUIDE

SUNDAY, JUL 13 2025

"PUTTING DOWN A DEPOSIT"

2 CORINTHIANS 1:18-22

START HERE

In case you are sharing with a person you haven't met before, begin by introducing yourselves and sharing an interesting detail about yourselves. (you can skip this part if you all know each other)

As an icebreaker, share something, big or small, that you're feeling grateful for this week?"

IMPORTANT THINGS TO REMEMBER:

We share from a place of vulnerability and authenticity. We comes as we are, believing that God embraces us as we are. So we too embrace each other as we are.

We hold each other's words in confidence and prayer. We carry these words only within ourselves so we may pray for our siblings in Christ throughout the week.

NEXT DISCUSISION QUESTIONS BASED ON THE MESSAGE

- 1. The sermon begins by describing our "Maybe' World," full of changed plans, broken promises, and confusion. In what areas of your life have you felt this sense of uncertainty most acutely this past year?
- 2.Pastor explained that in Jesus, all of God's promises find their "Yes." Reflecting on your own faith journey, what is one promise of God that has been a source of certainty or hope for you during a difficult time?
- 3. The Holy Spirit is described as a "deposit" or a divine "signature" that guarantees God's promises in our hearts. Can you think of a time when you have felt this inner assurance from the Spirit—perhaps as a sense of peace, courage, or unexplainable hope—even when your outward circumstances were challenging?
- 4. The final challenge is to invite the Holy Spirit into our lives by stepping into situations that require God's power. What is one small, practical step of faith you could take this week that feels just beyond your own strength, where you would need to rely on the Spirit's help?

Don't forget to share about the people in your prayer card(s)

CLOSING

After everyone has had the chance to share, please take turns to share your prayer request(s). After sharing your prayer request, take turns to pray for one another.

OTHER WAYS OF SHARING

ACCORDING TO OUR WESLEYAN TRADITION

HGIWYS "How goes it with your soul?"

(How is your relationship God? What do you feel God is doing or saying in specific areas of your life? family, work, friendships, etc.)

SOME GENERAL REFLECTION QUESTIONS

- What stands out to you from the message and why?
- What is God calling me to change (both in perspective and action)?

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