



# COMMUNITY Groups

## October 22, 2023 – Sermon Discussion Questions

### ICEBREAKER

1. Do highs and lows from the last week!
2. Share a time you revealed something to someone that you wanted to share but were previously scared to do.

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1. Review the message –
  - a. If we are to know anything about God he has to be the one to reveal it to us
  - b. The Spirit of God is the one who reveals to us the things of God
  - c. The Spirit of God reveals the wisdom of God to us through salvation and correction
2. Read 1 Corinthians 2:7-12
  - a. It says that God reveals things to us “by his Spirit.” How do you see/think of God’s Spirit interacting with us in day-to-day life?
  - b. When Paul says that God’s Spirit has revealed to us a mystery he’s referring to Jesus’ death and resurrection on the cross because it didn’t make sense to a lot of people. Why do you think that is? Why was it mysterious to people?
  - c. If we are saved by Jesus it wasn’t because we earned the right to be saved by him, it was, in this context, because the Spirit revealed him and our need for him to us. How did the Spirit of God first reveal your need for him?
  - d. How has the Spirit continuously revealed to you your need for him?
3. Read 1 Corinthians 2:13-16
  - a. What things has God revealed to you through the Spirit that are hard to accept, obey, or believe?
  - b. When has God convicted you of something that required you to make a change in your life?
  - c. When God’s Spirit corrects you it usually means there is something you need to stop doing, but it also means there is something you need to start doing, usually something that will bring blessing. What kind of blessings does God have for you on the other side of correction?

### CLOSING

1. We best way to hear from the Spirit of God is when we are unhurried and take time to listen. Practice this now through a moment of silence. Have group members ask the question “Spirit of God, what do you want to say to me now?” and listen quietly for 2-3 minutes. Ask group members about the experience. How did it go? What was hard? Could this be something you do regularly in your life?
2. Pray