

Reclaiming Irresistible: All Things New

- 1. What is something old and comfortable in your life that you find yourself going back to again and again?
- 2. If someone asked you who Jesus was/is, how would you answer?
- 3. Read Matthew 16:13-18. Why do you think it was easier for people to equate Jesus with someone else who they already knew about? What was so revolutionary about Peter's answer?
- 4. How does changing the word "church" to a word like "assembly" or "gathering" change our understanding of it?
- 5. The old covenant was conditional. The new covenant was unconditional. What are some of the ways we fall back into the old covenant? What are some of the ways we blend the old covenant and the new covenant?
- 6. Andy Stanley says, "The Bible is all God's word for *somebody*. But not every word is for *everybody*." Does that make you uncomfortable? How does that change the way you understand the Bible? Will it change the way you read the Bible?
- 7. Do you think faith becomes less resistible when we stop blending the old and the new? How?