

The Church ... a Master Planned Community
Leveraging Your Differences to Grow a New Community (Eph. 4:7-16)
Small Group Study Questions for the week of March 22-28

Getting Started:

If you could have a superpower, what would it be and why?

Digging Deep:

Read through Ephesians 4:7-16 together as a group

1. According to v.7 who do you think Paul is referring to when he says, “each one” and what kind of “grace” has been given them?
2. What do you believe are the “gifts” he is talking about in v.8? (See also Rom 12:4-8). Do you know what your gift is? If so, what is it and how did you find out?
3. From v.11-13, how has God designed the Church to work? How are these three verses connected to one another?
4. According to v.11-13, Complete the sentence “A healthy church is _____.”
5. What do you feel are some current examples of “waves”, “every wind of teaching”, and “deceitful scheming” in v.14?
6. What some other results of a healthy church in v.15 and 16?

A Matter of Prayer

- On a scale of 1 to 10, how much are your current volunteer activities in line with your spiritual gifts and talents, --how God has wired you?
- What could you do to serve/volunteer more in line with your gifts and talents while not leaving big holes in needed ministries at church?

Next Week: Palm Sunday