



Discussion Guide

Belong

As A Group...

- 1. SPEND SOME TIME SHARING WITH EACH OTHER AND PRAISING GOD FOR WHAT HE IS DOING IN YOUR LIFE.**
- 2. TAKE SOME TIME TO SHARE WHAT GOD IS TEACHING YOU.**
- 3. TAKE SOME TIME TO SHARE WHAT YOU'RE ASKING GOD TO DO IN YOUR LIFE AND PRAY FOR EACH OTHER.**

1. Read 1 Corinthians 5.
2. Based on your life experience, what has been the traditional view of being a member of the church?
3. Is the belief that members of the church “belong to one another” something you’ve heard taught and seen practiced?
4. If belonging to one another means that we submit to one another, how good of a job do you think we do of this in the American church?
5. In the message, Pastor Daniel talked about the difference between engagement and attendance. Why is this differentiation important and where have you struggled with one or the other?
6. Why do you think regular and consistent engagement in the church has become less and less of a priority in the lives of believers?
7. What does this say about our commitment to Christ? What does this say about our commitment to one another?
8. Why do you think the biblical teaching of church discipline is neglected in many churches?
9. Do you think it is healthy to practice church discipline? Why or why not?
10. How is practicing church discipline on an unrepentant brother or sister in Christ an act of love and commitment to them?