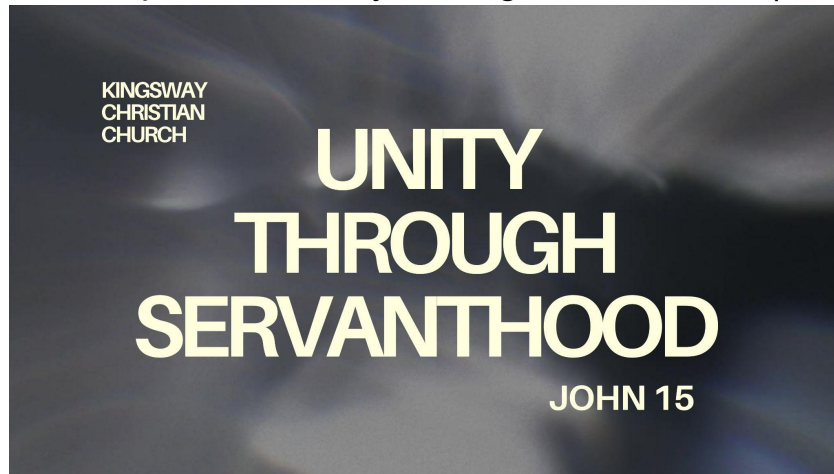


Connect Group Guide: “Unity Through Servanthood | John 15”



Passage: John 13:1-7; John 13:12-17; John 15:1-5

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Welcome:

(Choose a question for your group to discuss)

- Do you think it is possible to live in unity with others without facing conflict? Why/why not?

Worship:

(You may choose to use YouTube or other mediums to facilitate your time of worship)

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Word:

(Discuss these questions in your group, encourage everyone to take part)

Before reading the scripture:

- What do you know about Jesus washing the feet of His disciples?
- Where does Godly unity come from? How can we strive towards it?
- Why do we often enjoy being served, but find it difficult to serve others?

Read: John 13:1-7

- Jesus teaches His disciples a lesson about servanthood. What analogy do you think He would have used to teach us this lesson in today's context?
- Jesus displays that even though all authority has been given to Him, He uses it to serve others.
 - How does this challenge how you and I view authority?

Read: John 13:12-17

- Jesus sets an example for us and tells us to do the same. What comes to mind when thinking of serving others?

Read: John 15:1-5

- Why is unity with God important before we can serve others?
- Without God we can do nothing and bear no fruit.
 - Do you think this is always the case? Why/ why not?
- How can we remain in Christ?
- How can we keep our pursuit of Christ as the top priority whilst we grow closer to one another?

Works:

(Take some time for personal reflecting on the following questions and then share back with the group)

- Who is God asking you to serve?
- How can you practically serve others better?

Closing:

(Remember to ask for prayer requests.)

Take time to pray for those that God is placing on your heart.

