BLOOM: In Your Church Romans 12:1-8

Life Group Discussion Questions:

- 1. What skills or qualities are necessary to play a team sport well? Read Ephesians 1:22-23. How do you define "church"? What is your role in the church?
- 2. Read Romans 12:1. Explain/discuss "in view of God's mercy". How do people properly worship God? What does it mean to worship God with all of your life? What makes offering our bodies as living sacrifices an act of worship?
- 3. Read Romans 12:2. How is the Christian to be different from unbelievers? To what patterns of the world are you most tempted to conform?
- 4. Read Titus 3:5. How are our minds renewed?
- 5. Discuss how renewed minds allow us to examine and correctly choose what God's will is for our lives.
- 6. Read Romans 12:3. How should Christians think about themselves? How is our view of ourselves impacted when we look through the lens of the faith God has given us?
- 7. Read Romans 12:4-5. What did Paul use the human body to illustrate? What fact should keep a person from feeling superior or inferior to others?
- 8. Discuss Paul's statement, "each member belongs to all the others."
- 9. Read Romans 12:6-8. How should each person use his or her gifts? How can our Godgiven gifts help others in the church?
- 10. How can you put a spiritual gift to work for others this week?