

Living as a community intentionally focused on cultivating the life of Christ in others.

GROUP GUIDE - No Plan B - Wk 4

ARRIVAL / CONNECTING and SNACK 15 minutes

Spend the first 15 minutes or so of your time together catching up and socializing with one another. If your group met last week, follow up on one another's action steps.

PRAY BRIEFLY FOR YOUR TIME TOGETHER: 2 minutes

Open in prayer - for teachable hearts, for ears to hear from God, and for eyes to see one another.

WHAT HINDERS THE GREAT COMMISSION?

SCRIPTURE READING #1: Spiritual apathy

Have everyone open their Bibles to <u>Revelation 3:14-17a</u> while one person reads aloud, slowly enough for everyone to enjoy. Discuss the questions that follow.

- 1. What does it mean to be lukewarm in our relationship with Christ?
- 2. How does a follower of Christ drift into spiritual apathy?
- 3. One a scale of 1 to 100, where would you put your spiritual passion for Christ? Explain

SCRIPTURE READING #2: Spiritual blindness

Revelation 3:17b-18

- 1. What characteristics do you see in a person or church that is spiritually blind?
- 2. Describe an area in your life where you realized that you had been spiritually blind?

SCRIPTURE READING #3: God's response

Revelation 3:19-22

- 1. What does it mean to "have ears to hear?"
- 2. What does Jesus invite us to do when we are lukewarm?

SURRENDER: 15 minutes

- 1. What is one thing God is saying to you through today's study and discussion?
- 2. What are you willing to ask God to help you change in light of what you've learned?

CLOSING PRAYER: (10 minutes)Pray for one another in light of what was shared today.