



The Family Code

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Small Group Discussion Questions

Getting Started

Take some time to catch up and connect as a group. Pray before discussion. Expect God to move through your time together!

Pacing Your Group

Move quickly through “observation” leaving enough time for “reflection”, “discussion”, and “surrender.”

Scripture Reading

Re-read the scripture passages as needed when you discuss the questions.

Observation: *What does this scripture passage say?*

Read: 1 Corinthians 5:1-13

1. What flagrant sin in this church does Paul identify? What action does he propose given their inaction? (v1-5)
2. What distinction does Paul make between “people of the world” and “anyone who calls himself a brother”? (v9-11)

Reflection and Discussion: *What are some first thoughts flowing from the scriptures?*

Talk together about how the scriptures connect to everyday life.

3. What is at stake when a church community refuses to deal with and ignores flagrant sin?
4. Can “handing someone over to Satan,” excluding them from the fellowship of believers, ever be an act of love or mercy? Explain.
5. Describe the elements of healthy accountability in a church family?
6. Tell a story of healthy confrontation of sin. What happened? What was the result?

Surrender: **Responding to God’s voice.**

7. What is one thing God is saying to you through this study and discussion?

**** Take some time to pray for one another in response to what has been discussed today ****

We’re here!

We would love to hear about how things are going in your small group!
Reach out any time with questions, ideas, thoughts, or concerns.

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