

1 Peter 2:4-12: We are Community

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If your group has more than 7 people, you're encouraged to split into men's and women's groups for "Warm Ups" and "Getting Started." If your group is really large, try same gender groups of 3 or 4.

Warm-Ups (15 min)

- 1. Everyone go around and share a "High" from the week and a "Low" from the week.
- 2. Everyone go around and share a "God moment" from the week.

Scripture Study (30 min)

Read 1 Peter 2:4-12

Big Idea: You are Priests

- 1. What is a corner stone?
- 2. What does it mean that Jesus would be a stumbling block?
- 3. What titles are given in verse 9, and what is the significance of each?
- 4. Why is it important to maintain a good reputation with unbelievers?

- 5. What darkness has Christ called you out of? What does the light look like in your life?
- 6. What are the passions of your flesh that wage war against your soul?
- 7. What is one non-believer that God has put in your path right now?

Large Group Prayer (10 min)

- 1. Take prayer requests
- 2. Pray for us to live as a representatives of Christ in the community.

<u>Discipleship Trio Prayer Time (20 min)</u>

The goal is to have intentional time to share your journey with others. Break into same gender groups of three and move to separate spaces. If numbers necessitate flexibility, form groups of 2 instead.

- Same gender groups of three. If numbers are uneven, go to groups of two.
- Spiritual Velocity:
- What have you been hearing from God through Sunday's message, this week's LIFEGroup study, and/or this week's Life Journal scripture readings?
- What's an area of your life in which you know you need to repent or grow? How can we support you?

God Space:

•	How's your 3-2-1 challed	enge going? Share	e about connect	ions you're bu	ilding and
	spiritual conversations	you're having with	non-believing r	neighbors and	friends.

Prayer.	
Pray for non-believers in your lives by name:	

• Pray for each other.