



LEADER GUIDE

THE MAIN POINT

Be careful whose example you follow!

LEADER NOTES

Even though we will end group at 8:25, please feel free to continue your small group conversations out in the breeze-way.

KEY SCRIPTURES

17 Brothers, join in imitating me, and keep your eyes on those who walk according to the example you have in us. **18** For many, of whom I have often told you and now tell you even with tears, walk as enemies of the cross of Christ. **19** Their end is destruction, their god is their belly, and they glory in their shame, with minds set on earthly things. **20** But our citizenship is in heaven, and from it we await a Savior, the Lord Jesus Christ, **21** who will transform our lowly body to be like his glorious body, by the power that enables him even to subject all things to himself.

Philippians 3:17-21

High School Questions

Choose the ones that fit best for your group. Aim to spend the bulk of your time in the Get Spiritual and Get Practical sections.

GET TALKING: ICEBREAKERS

What makes someone a good example to follow?

GET SPIRITUAL: DISCUSS THE TEXT

Who in your life is the best example of a Christ follower? How is this seen in their lives?

How does keeping the end in mind help us live for Christ now?

GET PRACTICAL: APPLY THE TEXT

If you are honest, who are your biggest influences?

If you are honest would you say Jesus considers you someone who lives as a citizen of heaven or one who walks like an enemy of the cross, setting your mind on earthly things and following the desires of your flesh?
(depending on their answer you may want to lead them to repent)

GET PRAYING: PRAY THE TEXT

Is there anything from this text you can thank God for?

Is there anything from this text you should ask God for?

Is there anything from this text you should confess to God?

Is there anything from this text you can praise God for?