



FINDING YOUR PEOPLE

Ephesians 2:19-22

ANNOUNCEMENTS

SMALL GROUPS now forming! - Check out the board in the lobby for all the info!
VBS registration is now open! - Sign ups for kids and adult serving opportunities.
mValues Covenant Member Class - April 19th @ 11:30a - Room 19
Covenant Member Meeting - April 26th @ 11:30a - Auditorium

RELATIONAL CONNECT & CHECK-IN

What is one thing about you that most people in a room would not guess just by looking at you?

GROUP DISCUSSION

Read Ephesians 2:19-22 as a group. Share anything that immediately stands out to you.

1) Matt started the message by talking about the Surgeon General's Warning about the "Belonging Deficit" epidemic our culture is facing. Do you think it's a real thing? How have you experienced in your life or seen it in the life of someone else?

2) Dunbar's Number says that, on average, you can only know about 5-10 people really really well...15-50 relatively well...and 100-150 people a bit. Do you agree with this? What does this mean for us doing life as the church? What struggles/frustrations come with that? What freedom comes from accepting our limitations?

3) Is there a difference between attending and belonging to a church? Which mindset do you feel you currently have...why? (Be honest - There's a good chance others feel the same way!)

4) What do you think keeps people from fully committing to a church family? What can help that process?

5) Matt said "without you committing to the church, pastors are just preachers you listen to". What do you think this means?

6) Read 1 Corinthians 12:12. What does this verse mean to you? What does this say about the importance of every person who calls Mosaic home?

7) Read Colossians 3:13. Does this verse give you any comfort when it comes to dealing with difficult people in the church? Where might there be areas where other people have to "bear and tolerate you"? (Bonus reads: Gal 6:2; John 13:34-35; Eph 4:32; Gal 5:13; Jam 5:16)

8) "Every person has a Theology upon which they're building their life". What would people say about your Theology based on how you interact and engage with the church? Where might there be room for growth?

9) Matt said, "You become like your closest friends". Have you seen this in your life or someone else's? Is the Holy Spirit convicting your heart in this area?

ACTION STEP

This week, take one intentional step toward community: Join a small group, sign up for mValues, purpose to engage someone who sits around you on Sundays, invite someone to lunch/coffee, commit to consistently showing up and investing in the church.

Lastly: How can we pray as a group for you as a group? Be honest...