

Life Group Session 3 Discussion 8

Living on a mission by sharing and not scattering.

Cross Culture Church

Goal: Now that you have introduced spiritual disciplines to help encourage an ongoing relationship with Jesus that leads to transformation, and you have given examples of seeing life as a seminar to become like Jesus, it's time to learn what it means to start to live a great neighbor life/missional life. *This week focuses on living on a mission by sharing and not scattering.*

Connect:

- 1) What was your favorite school lunch as a kid? Turkey chunks are welcomed.
- 2) What game show do you think you have a chance at?
- 3) Your 5- Ask if everyone has written down 5 people they are praying for who don't know Jesus. If not they can pick up their cards at church on Sunday mornings.

Read:

Matthew 12: 30 "Whoever is not with me is against me, and whoever does not gather with me scatters."

- 1) What does it mean to be for Jesus?
- 2) What does it mean to be against Jesus?

"whoever does not gather with me scatters."

From our study in Matthew we looked at this passage at church. Here is the service to watch if you missed it. Leader please text out links if missed.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=sQLFH3VNVQA>

- 1) Off hand what do you think, "whoever does not gather with me scatters?" means?"
- 2) Why do you think Jesus would say that if you don't share the mission with others and make apprentices you are against him?
- 3) Give an example in your life where you felt like someone wasn't for you?
 - a) What were examples of what they did or didn't do?

Look up the great commission(not commandment) and read it as a team.

- 1) If Jesus' number one mission for you is to make disciples, where do you think you might have gotten off track?
- 2) What primarily keeps you from living on this mission as your number 1 priority?
- 3) What would you say to the idea that part of discipleship is growing as a disciple through sharing the gospel?
- 4) Give a personal example in life where you got better through teaching and sharing with others.(i.e. Coaching, training someone, teaching and learning)

The good news is you are living on a mission as you plan a great neighbor/outreach event as a life group. Living on mission together inspires us and teaches us to live on mission as an individual as well. Well done.

Spend some time praying that God removes the obstacles in the way from you gathering and not scattering others away from Jesus' mission. If you haven't been committed to praying for your 5, get back on track. Look for an opportunity to listen, see and share until the next time you meet.