MARCH 24 - 30, 2024

# LIFE GROUP

## AGENDA




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### WELCOME - (5-10 MINUTES)

Welcome Everyone. Introduce yourself and any new individuals.
Read ALL of the group goals and ONE guideline.

**BREAK THE ICE:**

- Some people like Reese's and Cadbury eggs. Some like jelly beans and chocolate bunnies. What is your favorite type of Easter candy?
- Optional: Over the past nine weeks, we have been studying the Fruit of the Spirit in the It's Time To Change message series. How have you been impacted by the series? (LEADERS: If you would like to spend time going through the message series more in-depth checkout the personal assessment.)

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### WORSHIP ACTIVITY - (10-15 MINUTES)

Ask the Life Group to stand-up & sing together. If your group meets in public, ask a member to text out a song before the meeting and have everyone worship on the way!

Blessed Redeemer
by Hymn Charts

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### WORD - (15-20 MINUTES) READ Galatians 5:22-23, John 15:1-8, 16

1. How many fruits of the Spirit can you name without looking? (Love, Joy, Peace, Patience, Kindness, Goodness, Faithfulness, Gentleness, and Self-Control)
2. On a scale of 1 to 5, how would you rate yourself regarding the "fruit of the Spirit" in your life? Which is strongest for you? Which is weakest?
3. **Re-read John 15:5 & 8**. How does Jesus describe His relationship with us?
4. According to the scripture we just read, how do we know if we are truly His disciples? Do you agree with that assessment?
5. What does it take to produce "much fruit" for the Kingdom of God?
6. This week, our pastors taught that "The key to producing spiritual fruit and living a victorious life is deepening and expanding our relationship with Jesus." What steps can we take to deepen our relationships with Jesus?
7. **Read Luke 8:14**. "Weeds are activities, ambitions, and attitudes which sap our time, energy, money, and testimony and keep us from bearing fruit. What weeds keep most people from thriving in the Lord and producing spiritual fruit?

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8. **Read John 15:1-2**. God uses problems, pressures, and people to prune us. Who or what is God using to prune you? Does it help you to know that God is using it for your good?
9. **Read Psalm 126:5-6**. Nothing brings us joy like seeing those we've prayed for, ministered to, shared the Gospel with, and invited to church surrender their lives to Christ. With that in mind, what steps do we all need to take to produce much fruit in the days ahead?
10. With this mind, how should this impact our efforts in sharing Christ with, ministering to, and inviting others to our Easter services and Life Groups?

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### WITNESS - (10-15 MINUTES)

**BREAKOUT LEADERS:** The BREAKOUT is intended to cultivate transparency, accountability, and relationships that can later serve as a pathway for ongoing equipping and discipleship. Break into smaller, like-gendered groups of 3-4. Address the following questions:

- What is a significant truth that you have learned or been reminded of today?
- Who are you inviting to church this Easter?
- How can we help support you, encourage you, or hold you accountable this week?
- How else can we pray for you this week?

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### CLOSING ANNOCUNCEMENTS & REMINDERS

- **Has everyone in the Life Group completed First Steps? This is a great place to meet the staff, find out more about ministry opportunities, ask questions and get plugged into a great community of believers.**
- April 7th is donut weekend! Ask your pastor how you can help as a Life Group in celebrating all that God is going to do at Easter.
- **City Park Night is Friday, May 3rd. Grab your Life Group and spend the evening having a blast! To purchase tickets, go to crescentcitychristian.com/cityparknight**