



LIFE GROUP GUIDE

CONNECT • GROW • SHARE • PRACTICE

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2 Corinthians 12:11-13:14

Connect (10-15 mins)

Easter is just a few weeks away and we are expecting thousands of people and hundreds of guests to join us to celebrate at one of our gatherings. Would you consider what it might look like to serve at one of our gatherings as a lifegroup? There are several gatherings (Sat night and Sun mornings) and many areas we need your help (greeting, parking, etc). Our Connections Team has put together a sign up document with gatherings and ways you can serve. Discuss as a group ways to serve on Easter weekend and sign up here: [Easter Gathering Serve Needs](#)

Grow (10-15 mins)

1. In light of 2 Corinthians 12:9-10 from last week's passage, in what ways did you see God's power in your weakness over this past week?

Share (45-60 mins)

2. Read 2 Corinthians 12:11-13:14. Have someone recap the sermon in 1-2 minutes. What was most meaningful or significant from last week's sermon?
3. In Christ, while the presence of the flesh remains, the indulgence of the flesh is no longer our obligation. Read Romans 8:6-11. What do these verses teach us in regards to how we overcome the flesh?
4. We are to have a warfare mentality when it comes to the flesh. As you consider areas of indulgence in your life, what are some of those areas of sin that are at a level 1, 2, or 3? What is your battle plan with the Spirit as those areas of the flesh present themselves? Share some ways you can help battle the presence of the flesh and invite your group in for help.
5. The sermon mentioned, "We are all being formed by something? The question is, by what?" Followed by 2 cautions: 1) Be mindful of the voices that are leading us and 2) Be mindful of the flesh that deceives us. In what ways do you allow voices or habits other than God's word form you? How can you, together as a group, grow in being formed by the Word as a regular rhythm of daily life?

Practice: Celebrate the Work of God (15-30 mins)

As we wrap up the sermon series on 2 Corinthians, have each person celebrate the work of God in their lives from the past few weeks. If needed, spend a few minutes in review of each chapter by summarizing it in a few words or a sentence. Share 1-2 highlights from this book and a personal takeaway you had from this series. Even if it is growing in just 5% more vulnerability with your weakness or in awareness of the flesh, that is something to celebrate! Give thanks to God that through His Son and by His Spirit, you are being transformed to be more like Him.

*Reminder, we will begin our next sermon series for April & May on the "7 Marks of a Disciple". If you would like a resource to go deeper, you can find a helpful book here: ["To Follow Him" by Mark Bail](#)