



FOUNDRY GROUP GUIDE

Week of February 13, 2021

Who is My Neighbor: Session 1 “My Home & My Neighbors”

[Missed Community Night? Click here to watch last week's Message.](#)

OPEN WITH PRAYER

Neighboring God, you have drawn close to us in the person of Jesus Christ and the presence of the Holy Spirit. Through the grace given to us in Christ, give us eyes that see like yours do, that we may learn to love your people like you do. May our group grow together this year so we reflect the unity we see in you: One God, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. Amen.

INTRODUCE YOURSELVES & CATCH UP

To kick off a new season of Foundry Groups, go through introductions so everybody is familiar with each other.

SCRIPTURE

Luke 10:25-37

John 14:1-6

DISCUSSION

What does home mean to you and who has helped made you feel at home, either currently or at another time in your life?

DISCUSSION CONTINUED

Think of a group of people you know you belong with. What it is like to be with them – how do you act, feel, engage in that setting? Compare that to when you feel like a stranger.

What does it look like for us to with each and for each other? What is it that you feel is your gift and role in that creation of home and belonging?

What gifts do you have that you can use to help others feel at home? How are you using them right now?

Commission Question: Be aware of the people around you. Where do you see belonging or a longing to belong in our lives?

CHECK IN

Take some time to let people share what's going on in their lives (talk about the good/bad, celebrations/concerns, God sightings & prayer concerns).

The group facilitator should make note of any prayer concerns that are shared and send them out to the group after the meeting for group members to pray over throughout the week.

WRAP UP

Mark Your Calendars -

- Next Foundry gatherings:
 - The Foundry Serves: Westlawn Food Distribution**- Saturday, February 19th, at Westlawn UMC (122 San Manuel Ave). 8:30-11:30am
 - Community Night** - Tuesday, February 22nd, 6:30pm at University UMC
- Discuss the next day & time your Foundry Group will meet

Close with prayer!