



Small Group Discipleship Guide

August 23: Next Gen Sunday --- The Word of Their Testimony

CONNECT

A few minutes of care, celebration, and prayer.

1. How have you seen God at work this week?
 2. What is one celebration and one challenge that we can pray about today? (*pray now*)
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REFLECT

Look back on how God worked through last week's commitments.

3. Last week, each of us committed to take one step of obedience. How did it go?
 4. Who were you able to encourage, serve, invite, or share with?
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DISCUSS

Read the primary Scriptures together: 1 Peter 3:15; Mark 5:19; John 4:29, 39; Rev 12:11; Psalm 145:4

5. In the sermon we heard that Jesus isn't interested in managing the arrangements we make with sin but in ending them. How has Jesus rescued you from your sin and set you free like the man in the tombs from Mark 5?
 6. During the sermon we wrote down our 15 second testimony. What did you write down? Take turns sharing your 15 second testimony.
 7. The man from the tombs (Mark 5) and the woman at the well (John 4) both told people about Jesus right away without any preparation. How does their obedience without any preparation challenge you to share Jesus with others?
 8. What is one area of your life where this sermon or passage calls you to greater obedience?
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RESPOND

Write these commitments down.

9. **Follow Jesus:** What is one step of obedience God is asking you to take this week?
 10. **Grow in Community:** How can this group pray for you, encourage you, or hold you accountable as you take that step.
 11. **Go on Mission:** Who is one person God is placing on your heart to encourage, serve, invite, or share Jesus with this week?
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