

# BETTER TOGETHER

## DISCUSSION GUIDE WEEK 2 Relationships Over Isolation

### ICEBREAKER:

When have you been in a leadership position and encountered complaining people? What did you do?

### BIG IDEA:

Today's big idea: True spiritual transformation never happens apart from community.

### DAILY BIBLE READING (Optional):

Our daily Bible readings prepare us for the message ([www.findcommunity.com/biblereading](http://www.findcommunity.com/biblereading)).

> Ecclesiastes 4:9-10; Numbers 11:10-17; John 13:34; Galatians 6:2; Hebrew 10:23-25

> Was there a particular passage that stood out to you?

**SCRIPTURE:** Acts 2:46; Numbers 11:10-17; Galatians 6:2; Hebrews 10:23-25

### DISCUSSION:

1. Not only did the early Christians meet in the temple courts (large group), but they also met in each other's homes (small group). What's unique about the small group environment compared to the large group setting? How can a small group help you follow Jesus?
2. When Moses was in crisis mode (Numbers 11:10-17), God called him out of his isolation and into relationship. How do relationships like this help you "share the burden" of life and leadership?
3. How does carrying each other's burdens "fulfill the law of Christ" (Gal. 6:2)? What does this verse mean?
4. How can others "spur you on" towards love and good deeds (Heb. 10:23-25)? What kind of encouragement do you respond best to?

### LIFE APPLICATION:

1. When have you chosen to isolate yourself and deal with a crisis on your own? What emotions did you experience? What happened to convince you to turn to God and others for help?
2. What do you know about the burdens that others around you are carrying? Can you be someone trusted to help them carry those burdens? Do you want to be? Why or why not?
3. For whom are you praying and offering encouragement today?

### Take Time To Pray:

Community is an essential part of our growth as followers of Jesus. Take a moment to pray for each other and the week ahead.



Daily  
Devotion



Prayer



Freedom from  
Strongholds



Serve the  
Community



Sacrificial  
Generosity



Share Your  
Story



Celebration