

Week 8

BREAK THE ICE

Which way do you remove a bandaid from your own skin? Fast or slow? What about from your child's skin? Is there a difference? Why?

Some rules that we're supposed to follow don't stick at all! Speed limits, hands at 10 & 2, don't remove the tag from your mattress. Why don't these rules stick?

BREAK GROUND

Many people argue that you don't have to attend church to be a Christ Follower. What is the benefit to attending regularly? What is the detriment to not doing so?

Do you attend church for what you get from it AND for what you can give to others? Which of these is more important? Why?

DIG DEEPER

Here's the Great Commission...Matthew 28:18-19, "And Jesus came and said to them, 'All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, teaching them to observe all that I have commanded you. And behold, I am with you always to the end of the age." Do you feel you are actively fulfilling the Great Commission? How? Who do you feel "all nations" are in your life?

How important is it for us to compel people to begin a relationship with God? Is it a big part of being a Christ Follower or is it an "Add On"?

In the analogy of being the Body and we all have a purpose, what do you see as your gift? How do you use that gift to reach others?

Do you feel the weight of a responsibility to compel people that God has put in your life? People at work, in your family, in your neighborhood. Sometimes life is so full that we don't have room for anything else. How can we begin to make that more of a priority?



WEEKLY READING

Thursday, April 15th Acts 2:1-13; Eccl 4:7-12

Friday, April 16th Acts 2:14-41; Proverbs 11:23-31

Saturday, April 17th Acts 2:42-47: Proverbs 12:23-28

Sunday, April 18th Acts 4:23-37; Proverbs 17:17-28

Monday, April 19th Romans 12:1-21; Proverbs 18:19-24

Tuesday, April 20th 1 Corinthians 12:1-11; Proverbs 27:1-10

Wednesday, April 21st 1 Corinthians 12:12-31; Pro 27:11-17