



DISCIPLE GROUP CURRICULUM CURRICULUM GUIDE

Preach: WEEK 1

October 21 – October 24, 2021

LEADER NOTES

Next Week Communion in Disciple Groups | Visit coe22.com/leaderresources

During our next sermon series, we as a church will be celebrating communion in our disciple groups. Please start preparing now by checking out the [communion guide](#) and [video](#) found on the leader resources page.

Connect/Sent/Deepen Events – Each trimester disciple groups have an opportunity to go deeper with Jesus and each other. We encourage you and your group to schedule a Connect Night, Sent Event and Deepen Night. Go to coe22.com/leaderresources and open the resource guide flipbook to page 18 to learn more.

GROUP ANNOUNCEMENTS – **Love God by loving #onemore and one another!**

Group SENT Event Love Your Neighbor – Sign Up to Serve Week

We as a church family are joining efforts with our local partners to live life on mission this holiday season by serving those in need in our community. This week we encourage you to visit coe22.com/localoutreach to check out all of the holiday serve opportunities and sign up to serve! Let's be a blessing to others and love our neighbors well! Email your questions to localoutreach@coe22.com.

ONE Legacy | Saturday November 6 starting at 10am

One way to continue to make Christ the one thing that drives everything is to think about the legacy that we are leaving behind for our families. Join us for a free event where we'll talk about the benefits of creating a will and trust, as well as estate planning, regardless of your financial state.

Learn more and register at coe22.com/classes.

Covenant Membership Class | Sunday November 14 | All Campuses

If you are ready to move from attending to fully partnering in the mission, vision and values of Eleven22, then please join us for a Covenant Membership class following the 11:22am service. Lunch and childcare will be provided. Learn more and register at coe22.com/covenantmembership.

THIS WEEK'S READING PLAN: coe22.com/readingplan

Sunday – Hebrews 13:15-16

Monday – Romans 12:1-2; Psalm 51:10; Galatians 1:10

Tuesday – John 15:9; Psalm 42:2

Wednesday – Galatians 5:16-26

Thursday – Ephesians 4:17; 5:5

Friday – Psalm 19:7; Proverbs 3:5-6

Saturday – Galatians 2:20-21

RELATIONAL CONNECT & CHECK-IN:

WHAT'S HAPPENING IN YOUR LIFE: *(Learn about, encourage and pray for one another.)*

- How are the conversations with your #onemore going?
- Say the first thing that pops in your head... what brings you the most joy?

Preach! – Hating Your Sin Through Joy

The Point: When you stare at this gospel, share it, and the things of earth will grow strangely dim, in the light of his glory and grace. So, fix your eyes on him, who fixed his eyes on you. Then you will have self-control over all things.

SERMON TEXTS: 1 Corinthians 9:23-27; 1 Corinthians 10:11-13; Hebrews 12:1-3

Discussion Questions

DISCOVER

Have someone read 1 Corinthians 9:23-27

1. **Where do you find joy? How do you express joy?** (*Answers may vary. Leaders: Encourage the group to not overthink the questions. Just say the first thing that pops into their head.*)
2. **How can someone simultaneously live-in freedom, while giving up their freedom?** (*We get to live in the freedom that somehow Jesus' death on the cross counted for us. Possibly more amazing is that somehow His perfection is given to us. Read 2 Corinthians 5:21. Believers give up their freedom to do what we want, when we want by also submitting to God's authority and being obedient to his commands.*)
3. **What is biblical self-control? How is joy both a source and result of self-control?** (*Pastor Kwon taught us this week that self-control is not about will power, but joy-power. In joy-power we recognize the desires we have and reallocate that emotion/desire to a greater prize.*)
4. **Eternity with God is the ultimate imperishable prize, but can a believer accumulate other imperishable prizes on this side of eternity?** (*Our material goods are perishable, but that doesn't mean we cannot take anything with us to heaven. Matthew 6:19-20 says, "...but lay up for yourselves treasures in heaven..." This is living the Eternal Life while here on earth! Examples: sharing the gospel with your friends/family, being kind, serving those in need, forgiving people, and killing the sin that's killing you.*)

DEEPEN

Eleven22 is focusing on the word **Relationship** from our vision statement during this year. Disciple groups offer one way to live out what it means to be a disciple through discovering an identity in Jesus as Lord, surrendering our entire lives to Him.

Have someone read 1 Corinthians 10:11--13 and Hebrews 12:1--3

5. **What is something you desperately want to stop, but just can't?** (*Answers may vary.*)
6. **How can you find joy through Loving All People, Discovering and Deepening your relationship with Jesus Christ?** (*Answers may vary – this could be surrender, stewardship, sharing the gospel, serving others, connecting or growing. See Discipleship Journey Tool for more specific questions to ask yourself.*)

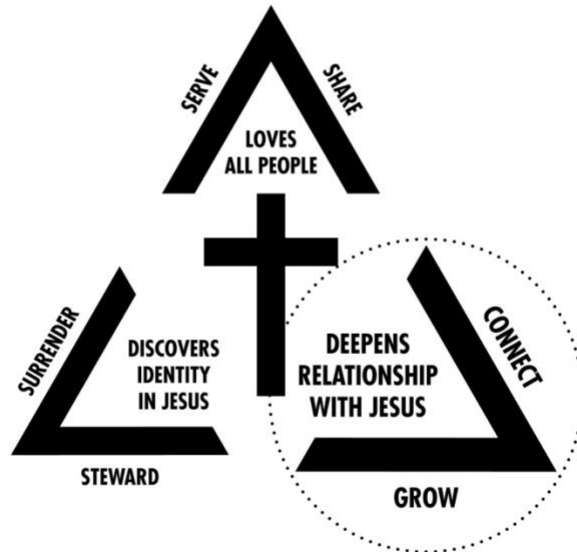
ACTION STEPS

A Disciple...Loves All People, Discovers Identity in Jesus, Deepens Relationship with Jesus.

Leader: This is a very quick action step that will be started tonight in Group time and finished in the days or weeks ahead.

Take a Next Step: Tonight, we are going to pick a day, time and event to go and express some joy to others in our in our community. Everyone get out their phone, go to coe22.com/localoutreach and look at all of the “Holiday Serve Opportunities” available around Northeast Florida.

- Try to find one or two opportunities where the entire group can serve together.
- Another option would be to get into a group of 2-4 based on the location, date and time.
- Sign-up on coe22.com/localoutreach **tonight!**



Go to coe22.com/resources and click “Download Tool” to download or print a discipleship journey tool with questions for you to ask yourself and others. Please share link and directions with others in your group.