

SERMON APPLICATION GUIDE

How Are More Disciples Made? | 2 Corinthians 5:16-21

WORSHIP

How can your discipleship group start with worship today?

WALK

Spend time understanding and applying God's Word.

1. REVIEW + UNDERSTAND

1. Read 2 Corinthians 5:16-21. Disciples are made as we pursue others the way God has pursued us. How has God pursued you? Remind each other of the miracle of the Good News of the Gospel and dry bones coming alive.
2. How do we make more disciples? Keep the group tethered to the text instead of brainstorming ideas.
3. What were the three ministries of God to us in vv. 18-19, and what is then the ministry he has given us?

2. ASSESS + APPLY

1. Evaluate your perspective. Do you regard others according to their income, style of dress, politics, job, vehicles, home, etc. or do you regard others as a soul? To ask in a shorter manner--do you have on your gospel lenses?
2. Are you an active participant in the ministry of reconciliation? How are you being an ambassador for Christ? Where can you improve?
3. Does witness fuel your worship? How does verse 21 inform and fuel your worship?
4. Is the Lord calling you on any trips next year? (Remind the group of next week's mission interest meeting)
5. Who in your life most needs the ministry of reconciliation? Take some time to pray as a group for each of these souls.
6. Discuss as a group opportunities to witness/serve together. The witness page of our website has many resources and opportunities listed. Registration for the upcoming Witness Saturday (March 1) will go live on February 19 if you'd like to sign up as a group. If you are looking for a consistent rhythm of serving as a group, feel free to contact Liv Hogan (olivia@redeemberbible.church) or Alec Brown (alec@redeemberbible.church).

PRAYERS + APPLICATIONS

LOOKING AHEAD

Read next week's passage and ask: What does it say? What does it mean? How should I respond?

James 1:1

WORK

How should this message affect how you serve one another?

WITNESS

How should this message affect how you share the Gospel?