

# WHAT HAVE WE LEARNED?

## The Purpose Driven Life – Part 7

*Deuteronomy 11:2*

*“Remember today what you have learned about the Lord through your experiences with him.”*

### ABOUT GOD?

#### 1. THAT IT'S ALL ABOUT GOD, NOT ME

*Colossians 1:16* “Everything got started in him and finds its purpose in him.”

Focusing on us produces insecurity.

#### 2. THAT GOD STILL DOES MIRACLES

*Psalms 77:14*

*“You are the God of miracles and wonders! You still demonstrate Your awesome power.”*

We've learned that everyday is a miracle!

### ABOUT LIFE?

#### 1. THAT LIFE IS PREPARATION FOR ETERNITY

*Ecclesiastes 3:11* “God has planted eternity in the human heart.”

Your life has eternal significance

#### 2. THAT WE'RE PUT ON EARTH FOR 5 PURPOSES

*Proverbs 16:4* “The Lord has made everything for his purpose.”

#### I WAS....

#### BIBLE WORD:

Planned for God's pleasure

Worship

Formed for God's family

Fellowship

Created to become like Christ

Discipleship

Shaped to serve God

Ministry

Made for a mission

Evangelism

We're excited about the next 6 weeks, cause all these purposes will be practiced in your small groups.

## ABOUT SPIRITUAL GROWTH?

### 1. THAT WE GROW THROUGH MAKING COMMITMENTS

*James 2:17 "Faith by itself, if it is not accompanied by action, is dead."*

### 2. THAT WE GROW THROUGH FELLOWSHIP

*Proverbs 27:17 "As iron sharpens iron, so people can improve each other."*

*Hebrews 10:25 "We should not stop gathering together with other believers, instead we should encourage each other even more."*

## ABOUT OUR COMMUNITY?

### THAT PEOPLE ARE HUNGRY FOR SPIRITUAL TRUTH

*John 4:35 "Look around you! Vast fields of human souls are ripening all around us, and are ready now for reaping."*

- Evangelism is not weird! It is simply sharing your life.

## NOW WHAT ?

### 1. START LIVING WHAT YOU'VE LEARNED!    Read these 3 verses quickly

*John 13:17 "Now that you know these things, you will be blessed if you do them."*

*Philippians 3:16 "Now that we're on the right track, let's stay on it!"*

- In our small groups, for the next 6 weeks, you will be journaling for 5min Mon-Friday after reading a short devotional. Bt Wednesday, we forget 95% of what we heard on Sunday morning. But if we practice journaling, we'll remember much more of what we've studied.

### 2. PASS IT ON!

#### 2 Timothy 2:2

*"Now I want you to tell these same things to followers who can be trusted to tell others."*

You can be the Dead Sea, just collecting, or you can be a funnel for God.

## CLOSING: I THANK GOD FOR EVERY ONE OF YOU!

#### Romans 1:8

*"I thank my God through Jesus Christ for every one of you because the news of your faith is spreading throughout the whole world."*