

Community Group Leaders Guide

Choose Your Own Ending: Purpose Luke 5:1-11 /// Week of January 29

Today's big idea: Our purpose in life will be revealed through our relationship with Jesus.

This introduction may take more time than normal but it will be so powerful.

- Share with the group how you became a Jesus follower or how you got connected with HFC.
- Review the Community Group Guidelines together.

Bible Study

- Someone PRAY that God would help us hear from him.
- Use the Bible Storytelling technique to tell the story of Jesus calling the first disciples.
- Retell the story together as a group.
- Read the story from Luke 5:1-11 in the Bible.

- What was Peter's purpose and how may it have changed?
- Why did Peter respond the way he did after the miraculous catch of fish?

Going Deeper

The questions here could bring up some past wounding that has stolen purpose from those in your group. Don't fix and don't rescue. However, be sure to follow up with those who could use some extra time to process these ideas outside of the group.

- Is it important to know your purpose? Why or why not?
- Peter's purpose appears to have been shaped by his past, his career and this interaction with Jesus. How has your purpose been shaped?
- Peter left everything to discover his purpose in Christ. What might you need to let go of or what have you let go of in order to discover your purpose in Christ?
- What are things that you can do to discover your purpose in Christ or to help someone else discover their purpose in Christ?
- Close your time together by sharing prayer requests and praying for each other.

Upcoming Events & We Serve Opportunities

- HFC Directory? – Login to Realm! Check your email for an invite!
- Wednesday Nights – KidsMin, Youth and The Gathering 7pm at HFC
- Faith Promise Commitment Month! – Commitment Sunday, Jan. 29th
- HFC Q&A with breakfast! Saturday, Feb. 4th at 8am
- 10:25 – Sunday, Feb. 5th



Community Group Covenants - hfcog.org

Community Group Member Covenant

- I will make attendance a priority in my schedule and involvement a priority in my participation.
- I will build trust by holding in confidence those things shared in the Community Group.
- I will engage with a disciple maker—someone that will help me grow as a disciple of Jesus and teach me how to be a disciple maker as well.

Community Group Apprentice Covenant

- I will pray for the Community Group Members daily.
- I will accept the responsibility to invite and welcome others into the Community Group.
- I will relationally disciple someone in the Community Group beyond group meetings focusing on their personal relationship with Jesus, and others they are discipling.
- I will seek to multiply the Community Group and not just grow the group.
- I will talk with my Community Group Leader each week and meet monthly beyond group meetings.

Community Group Leader Covenant

- I will pray for the Community Group Members daily.
- I will accept the responsibility to invite and welcome others into the Community Group.
- I will relationally disciple someone in or out of the Community Group.
- I will relationally disciple an apprentice focusing on their personal relationship with Jesus, leadership skills they are developing in the group meeting and others they are discipling.
- I will seek to multiply the Community Group and not just grow the group.
- I will talk with my Community Group Coach each week and meet monthly.

Community Group Coach Covenant

- I will pray for my assigned Community Group Leaders daily.
- I will relationally disciple someone.
- I will call my assigned Community Group Leaders each week focusing on their personal relationship with Jesus, process group time and their progress with their apprentice.
- I will meet with my assigned Community Group Leaders each month.
- I will talk with my Community Group Pastor every other week and meet together each month.