

## **Making Disciples where you live, work, and play: Matthew 28:19-20**

-What is a disciple? How do we define making disciples?

A disciple is learner, student, follower in obedience to Christ (Mark 2:14, John 1:43, John 12:26)

Leading people to Christ, Helping them grow in Christ, and Deploying them out to invest in others

### **Activity**

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-Identify one person in the area where you live, work, and play who you may frequently interact with during the week. Towards the end of the workshop, we will develop a plan of action to engage these individuals

### **Small Groups/Discovery: PRAYER, PEOPLE, PURPOSE**

#### **Prayer**

Is a time for us to commune with GOD and prepare our hearts for those GOD is calling us to serve.

*Read Matthew 9:35-38 and John 17:20-26*

How can prayer help prepare our hearts for engaging people with the gospel? In preparing our hearts, what challenges could we face during this process?

What did Jesus model for us in Matthew 9:35-38 and John 17:20-26 that can help prepare us to bring the love of Christ to our area of influences?

#### **People**

-Relationship building in the context of my life/Showing Interest in their lives: 1 Thessalonians 2:8 & Philippians 2:3-4, Planting Seeds Galatians 6:9-10

*Read Matthew 9:9-14, Matthew 8:1-4, Mark 10:45*

Jesus did not allow barriers to stop him from engaging the leper and tax collector, what barriers are stopping us from engaging non christians? How do we step into these relationships like Jesus? What opportunities have you had or may have to build relationships with those around you who are non christians, outcasted, or left behind? What challenges might you face?

#### **Purpose** (Maturity in Christ and Spiritual generations)

*Read Ephesians 3:14-21, Galatians 2:20, Matthew 28:19-20*

In what ways can we help others grow in their maturity with Christ? As we help others grow and mature in Christ, what do they get to experience from abiding with Christ? How can we deploy these disciples out to invest in others?

**Stories** on where you live, work, and play (Shared by Thomas, LJ, and Jake)

**Action Plan** for the people your going to engage (5 mins) (Jake)

Any questions/Comments

Prayer time (2-3 mins)

Thank You!