



What does this look like?

The Connect Group3 Bookmark has the Character Conversation Questions printed on one side and the Prayer Focus on the other. This bookmark will guide your meeting.

1. Character questions are shared and sin is confessed in mutual accountability

We need each other (Heb. 10:24-25). Start your time together by asking each other the Character Conversation Questions on the bookmark. Each person takes turns answering the questions. The group must be a safe place to be honest. The confession of sin opens our hearts for the word of God and brings spiritual freedom from the enemy. Bringing healing for hurting people and health for helping people.

2. Scripture is read repetitively in context and in community

The power of the word of God will be unleashed in your life as you commit to reading it regularly in the context of complete books or sections of scripture. Jesus made it clear that the word of God is the seed of new life (Luke 8:11,15). To expect your life to be changed and bear fruit you need to first plant the seeds of truth and life that comes from God's Word.

Your group will decide on a book of a bible or a large section, approximately 15-20 chapters each week as a goal. This may mean reading a large book through once or reading a smaller book through several times. The goal is to create an internal appetite for the rich word of God, so a larger volume of scripture is desired.

When you meet you ask if the reading was completed. If any one person was unable to finish the reading that week then the group does the same reading again for the next week until everyone completes it within a weeks time. This is not a bad thing. Reading entire books in repetition, in context and in community will yield rich rewards!

Once all complete the reading in the same week you choose the next book to read together. Take turns deciding what book to read next.

3. People are prayed for specifically and regularly

Each member identifies 2 or 3 people that the Lord lays on their hearts that need Jesus. The names are written on the bookmark for every member of the group. Each person in the group prays throughout the week for those on the card. Choosing one name each day. When those that you are praying for begin to seek Christ this is a perfect time to invite them into your group and start the multiplication of your group. Everyone benefits! Lives are changed! Disciples are made!