

HOME GROUP DISCUSSION GUIDE WEEK 5: 10-29-23

Last week we began the discussion on **DISCIPLESHIP**, and you shared your experiences being disciplined as well as discipling other people.

1. **DISCIPLE:** A follower of Jesus becoming more like Him in character and priorities.
2. **DISCIPLEMAKING:** Intentionally engaging in the life of another for the purpose of helping them know Jesus and become more like Him in character and priorities.

In the Bible, we have a direct command from God to make disciples.

WHY?

- **Romans 8:29** To be conformed.
- **2 Corinthians 3:17-18** Being transformed.
- **Ephesians 4:12-13** Unity and maturity.
- **Matthew 28:16-20** “The Great Commission” (Go means GO!)

As we ourselves are being conformed and transformed, we are then commanded to multiply what we have been given by **going**.

HOW?

Making disciples can occur in a variety of ways. Broadly we can put them into 2 categories: Formal and Informal.

FOR DISCUSSION:

1. Read the scriptures listed above. What do these verses mean to you in your Christian walk as well as for those who don't know Jesus?
2. What do you think are formal ways to disciple people?
3. What do you think are informal ways to disciple people?
4. What are your concerns when you think about yourself as a discipler?
5. What are your strengths when you think about yourself as a discipler?