

Small Group Lesson 4 | One More: Belonging

Main Idea: Loneliness is a chronic human problem and the church has the solution, belonging.
Main Scripture: John 13:34-35

Get Connected:

1. How are you doing with our “Use Me” prayer?
2. What aspect of your life did this weekend’s message cause you to rethink?
3. Dr. Brogenbrenner defined family as “a group which possesses and implements an irrational commitment to the wellbeing of each other.” Share an example from your biological or church family of irrational care.

In the Word:

Read John 13:34-35/Mark 3:33-35

1. What do Jesus’ statements teach his followers about relationships in God’s Kingdom?

Read Romans 15:7/James 5:16/Galatians 5:13;6:2;6:5

1. What do these passages teach us about relationships in God’s family?

Apply:

1. What most inhibits you from fully embracing Jesus' invitation to be fully engaged in God’s family, the Church?
2. What is a practical step you will take to help others experience the goodness of belonging to our church family?
3. When considering our biblical “one another” statements, where do you see the greatest opportunity for growth in your small group?

Pray: Pray Colossians 1:3-14 for each other.