

# Community Sunday

Last week we started to implement something new in our Grupo Evidencias. Every Wednesday we want to start with something fun. Some days it can be an icebreaker, other days a joke, and other days telling about something good or a challenge we went through during the week, or how it went with last week's prayer request.

The purpose is to start with a pleasant time, where we can tell each other what has happened in our lives during the last week, and be a community.

- Would anyone like to share something good or bad that happened to you in the last week, or an "update" regarding a prayer request or anything else you would like to share?

## LAST WEEK'S PRACTICE

Continue practicing our three prayer rhythms. In the morning, in the afternoon, and at night. And read the three passages from last week (Romans 3:23-25, Hebrews 9:27-28, John 3:16) and let the Holy Spirit continue speaking to your life, by remembering what Jesus did for you 2 thousand years ago.

- Did the Holy Spirit speak/ or made you feel anything, during the last week, about what Jesus did on the cross and the verses we read?

## SUMMARY

Following Jesus is something we cannot do alone; it is impossible. It is something that is done in the context of community. And the commitment to be part of a community has a high cost, but the cost of not living in a community is still higher. Just as a life in Jesus is not easy, but living without Him is even more difficult.

- What stood out to you about Sunday's teaching?
- What stood out to you the most about Ruth's life?

## John 15:12-13

- How could you apply this verse to your life?

## Ruth 1:16-18

- What invitation can God be making to you when reading this passage?

## PRACTICE AS COMMUNITY

### 1. First

- We are going to read the 9 guides of an emotionally healthy community.

### 2. Second

- Individually, which one do you think is the most difficult for you?
- And as a group, which do you think is the most difficult for us as a community?

### 3. Third

- Choose one of the guides (only one) in which you will practice improving.
- Would anyone like to share which one they chose?

### 3. Fourth

- Finally (personally and individually) identify the person in your group with whom you have least contact. It doesn't matter that he didn't come today (if you're a man, think of a man, and if you're a woman, think of a woman).
- Now think of an action you could do to "Give your life for him/her"
  - Call him/her during the week and ask how he/she is. Invite him to coffee. Pray for him/her and tell him/her that you have been praying during the week. Something simple but significant.

- Remember; "This is my commandment: love one another in the same way that I have loved you. There is no greater love than giving one's life for one's friends." John 15:12-13.