

Group Life

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Multi-Generational, Godfrey & Rhea Ortiz

- Sundays at 4:30pm

Couples & Singles, Keith & Jill Michaelis

- Sundays at 5 pm

Multi-Generational, Ed & Janis Nelson

- Mondays at 7:30 pm

The Armor of God (Men), David Sass

- Tuesdays, 7:30 pm

Moms & Nuggets,

- Wednesdays at 11:00, Chick-Fil-A (Mason)

On the Run- Join us for a 3 to 5 mile easy run and conversation.

- Saturdays at 8 am.

How can we pray for you?

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Cultural Architecture

Nehemiah 8:1-18

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What are God's provisions for us on our journey of living this counter-cultural lifestyle?

1. Corporate Worship (1-6)

Observations:

Scripture was central and they were hungry for it. (3)

They gathered as a large group. (3)

They worshipped. (6)

How does this description interact with how you view worship or church? Centrality of scripture? Gathering as one group?

Worshiping even without music?

2. Discussion/Application (7)

Observations:

There were identifiable facilitators.

The goal was understanding.

“Understanding” = consider, discern, teach, think, learn

3. Challenge & Application

The realities that we find in scripture must find practice throughout our lifestyle.

Does the word of God impact your attitude? As it brings you conviction does it also bring you hope, encouragement, and joy?

4. People's Response (13-18)

They found ideas in scripture and then put them into practice. Reading and discussing the Bible was changing the way that they lived their lives.

The corporate gathering, discussion, application, and response came together to create a spiritual synergy in their lives.

God wants the synergy for us and those He has brought to do life around us.