

## The Church We See – Intentional Neighboring

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Open your group in prayer and remember that this is only a guide. Feel free to discuss each of the questions provided or simply dive deeper into just one. If you only have a few minutes, you can just use the 3 Essential Questions.

### Scriptures:

- **Matthew 28: 16-20**

### Three Essential Questions

The following questions are intended to be open-ended and encourage members to consider how they felt and what they, or the group, can do as a result of hearing the message.

1. **What did you hear?** *What point in this message was most impactful for you?*
2. **What do you think?** *How did this message challenge, change, or affirm your thinking?*
3. **What will you do?** *How will you or your group put into practice what you've learned today?*

### Message Points/Extra Questions

1. Pop quiz: Can you name all of your immediate neighbors?
2. **Develop Friendships**
  - a. John 4, the woman at the well
  - b. What makes it difficult for you to accept people as they are?
3. **Discover Stories**
  - a. Luke 19, Zacchaeus
  - b. How challenging is it for you to slow down and have margin to hear someone's story?
4. **Discern Next Steps**
  - a. Luke 10, the good Samaritan
  - b. Can you think of a recent example where you or someone you know stepped out and served someone at their own expense like the good Samaritan?
5. Which of the 3 Ds - Developing Friendships, Discovering Stories, or Discerning Next Steps - can you grow in?