

Discussion Guide

Discussion Guides accompany the [weekly message](#).

Opening Activity:

If you had to wear a name tag all week that said something true about you—but not your job title or family role—what would it say? (Examples: “Coffee Philosopher,” “Still Figuring It Out,” “Professional Overthinker,” “Saved by Grace.”)

Read: Ephesians 2:11-13, 19-22; 1 Peter 2:5; Romans 12:1; 1 Corinthians 3:16-17; 2 Timothy 2:3-4

Discussion Questions:

1. What does it mean to be a “citizen of heaven” while living in this world? How does knowing your eternal citizenship shape daily choices and loyalties? (Ephesians 2:19)
2. Paul says we’re part of God’s family. How does that change the way we see others in the Church? What would it look like for our small group to live like an open-door household—where needs are met and grace flows freely? (Ephesians 2:19; 1 Peter 2:5)
3. How is daily sacrifice part of worship today? (Romans 12:1)
4. If we are God’s temple, what does that say about His presence in us? (1 Corinthians 3:16-17)
5. How does seeing yourself as a soldier change your mindset toward spiritual battles? What’s one area where you need to “fight the good fight” instead of giving up or blending in? (2 Timothy 2:3-4)
6. When do you most forget who you are in Christ, and what helps you remember?
7. How can you balance being “in the world” but not “of the world”?
8. In what ways can our group better live like a spiritual family this season?
9. What’s one sacrifice you could make this week that would bring God glory?
10. How can you step more boldly into your identity as God’s ambassador or soldier?

Challenge for the Week:

Write a short note or message to someone in your group affirming their spiritual identity (e.g., “You remind me that we’re part of God’s family”).