Group Participant Guide

Series: Everywhere. Everyone.

Gospel Expectations

Acts 18-19

Icebreaker Question

 What's something from your everyday routine that most people wouldn't expect or know about you? (e.g., a habit, hobby, conversation, or moment that's surprisingly meaningful)

Faithful in the Ordinary

Read aloud: Acts 18:1-5

Summary: Paul meets Aquila and Priscilla in Corinth, works alongside them, shares the gospel, and receives encouragement from God to remain.

Discussion Questions:

- What does Paul's relationship with Aquila and Priscilla show us about gospel partnership?
- What stands out about how Paul balances work and ministry?
- What does God say to Paul in verses 9–10, and why does it matter?

Application:

- Where has God placed you to be faithful in ordinary, everyday life?
- Are there hard places or people you've been tempted to walk away from? What would it look like to stay and trust God there?
- Who are your gospel co-laborers? How can you encourage them this week?

Growth, Clarity, and the Spirit

Read aloud: Acts 18:24-26 and Acts 19:1-7

Summary: Apollos teaches boldly but needs more clarity, which he receives from Priscilla and Aquila. In Ephesus, Paul helps believers receive the Holy Spirit.



Discussion Questions:

- What does Apollos model about humility and growth?
- Why is the Holy Spirit essential in the Christian life?

Application:

- Are you growing in gospel clarity, or coasting on past knowledge?
- What role does the Holy Spirit play in your daily walk with Jesus? Where do you need to depend more on Him?
- Is there someone God is prompting you to come alongside and help grow in the truth?

God's Word Confronts and Transforms

Read aloud: Acts 19:8–10, 18–20

Summary: Paul teaches, people respond, and new believers abandon practices tied to magic and false worship.

Discussion Questions:

- How do we see God's Word confronting culture in this passage?
- What do the believers' actions in verses 18–20 tell us about real repentance?

Application:

- Is there anything in your life God is calling you to confess, surrender, or remove so you can walk in greater freedom?
- What does wholehearted repentance look like practically for you?
- How can you cultivate greater hunger for God's Word this week?

Closing Reflection & Prayer

- Where did God speak to you most clearly today?
- What's one thing you'll carry forward from this study?
- Pray for boldness, humility, and Spirit-empowered obedience in everyday life.

