



COMMUNITY BY DESIGN

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Message Notes

God never intended for you to face life alone.

Life is hard; we are designed to need each other.

Finding your people:

1. Pray
2. See who's close
3. Find purpose in common

SCRIPTURE

Genesis 2:18; Proverbs 12:15; Proverbs 27:17; Matthew 18:20; John 16:33; Hebrews 12:1; Ecclesiastes 2:9-12

Discussion Guide

ENGAGE

1. Describe a time in your life when you felt alone. What part of community were you missing most?
2. In what ways does community prepare us to face the obstacles in life?
3. Share an experience of community that significantly impacted your life. What drew you together? What held you together?
4. What are the characteristics of good, healthy community? Why?
5. What are the characteristics of bad, unhealthy community? Why?
6. Read Hebrews 12:1, what is one key component of healthy community? What steps can we take to raise up this value in this Growth Group?

APPLY

In your Growth Group create and discuss a list of key community values that will help your Growth Group "run the race with perseverance."

Not yet in a Growth Group? Take the first step in finding your people - go to redeemermn.org/groups and ask God to lead you to join a group that is right for you.

PRAY