



Church Communities Teaching Guide

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Welcome to our Church Communities Teaching Guide. This guide works alongside our teaching resources to help Church Communities grow together as disciples of Jesus. Each guide follows three steps – **Reflect**, **Receive**, and **Respond** – to encourage meaningful conversation and spiritual growth.

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If your Church Community includes children, each step (**Reflect**, **Receive**, **Respond**) features a child-friendly activity to help both adults and children engage together in simple, meaningful ways.

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Reflect

Think back to Bev's teaching last month on 'The Church'. Take some time as a group to reflect on what has stayed with you over the past few weeks. What part of the message has had the greatest impact on your discipleship journey with Jesus? What have you found most challenging?

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Discuss how things have been going since you moved up a year at school. In what ways has Jesus helped you to settle in? How has He supported or guided you in your friendships?

Receive

Watch or listen to the latest episode in our teaching series, 'The God Story', as Dan unpacks 'The Revelation & Conclusion':

- YouTube: <https://bit.ly/3CWvZhf>
- Spotify: <https://bit.ly/4oe7LS8>
- Apple: <https://bit.ly/479CgCL>

Quick Tip: You can access a complete transcript of this teaching by going to the YouTube video and clicking 'more' in the video description, then clicking 'Show transcript'.

Questions for Church Communities:

- Can we find ways to live aware of the high value of the one whose presence we carry with us at all times? What ways can we find to help us with this sense of awareness and conscious attention to His presence?
- How can we encourage one another to see beyond our own lives and experience to see the bigger picture of all that God is doing in and through his family? What do we see as our part within this and is there anything God is calling us to specifically at this time?
- How can we live out our lives where we are in such a way as to impact our city and help bring it into alignment with the plans and purposes of God?
- What would help us to live with a more eternal mindset, and how would this impact the way we live each day?

Related resources if you want to explore further:

- Intro Session Videos: <https://bit.ly/3SR37eJ>
- Buy The God Story book: <https://bit.ly/4kyBfre>

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Watch this short teaching about What Is It Like to Have a Friend in Jesus?:
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=4Z7gwZ5yo1I>

Discuss when you think are good times to pray to Jesus. When do you find it most helpful to talk to Him, and why?

Respond

As a Church Community, take some time to reflect on the key things you've learned since we began our journey through The God Story. Are there particular themes or insights from this series that you feel should shape the way we live as disciples of Jesus together?

Pray

Our Father in heaven, hallowed by your name.

Your Kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as it is in heaven.

Give us today our daily bread, and forgive us our sins, as we forgive those who sin against us.

And lead us not into temptation but deliver us from the evil one.

For yours is the Kingdom, the power and the glory forever and ever. Amen

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As a Church Community, take some time to create a simple prayer that both adults and children can pray together each morning or evening. Think about words that express gratitude, trust, and a desire to follow Jesus throughout the day.