

GROWING CLOSE to GOD

August 26 – August 31
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DAILY BIBLE READING

M: Psalm 42
Tu: Psalm 46
W: Psalm 67
Th: Psalm 84
F: Psalm 90
S: Philippians 1:3-11

SONGS for WORSHIP

“Know Your Heart”
By Ryan Jackson

“Always Have”
by Vertical Worship

DISCUSSION for GROUPS/FAMILIES

1. Read Philippians 1:3-11, then spend some time recapping what you heard Sunday – what stood out to you?
2. When you think of community, what comes to mind?
3. What are some obstacles that can hinder us from building deeper relationships with other believers?
4. By being a part of a small group, what have you learned about God and faith that you would have missed if you did not have those relationships?
5. How does developing relationships with others help when facing the difficult or challenging times in life?
6. What are some situations that are too big for one person to accomplish, that we need to partner together in order to spread the gospel?
7. All that Paul describes leads to the conclusion that Christians are meant to grow and thrive in relationships with other Christians.
8. How would you respond to a follower of Jesus who felt they didn't need other believers?
9. Read Romans 12:9-16. As a group, list those things that Paul says we are to be involved in as Jesus followers.
10. How does your group help you carry these out?
11. Close your time by repeating the memory verse.

BIBLE VERSE TO MEMORIZE THIS WEEK

Therefore, encourage one another and build one another up, just as you are doing.

1 Thessalonians 5:11