

Weekly Discussion Guide – 08-09-26

“Joining God’s Mission”

Text: Matthew 28:18-20; Acts 8:26-35

1. What ordinary places do you spend the most time each week (work, home, school, neighborhood, hobbies, etc.)?
2. In your own words, how would you describe God’s mission?
3. How do you feel when you think about joining God’s mission (excited, scared, honored, fearful, etc.)? Why do you think you feel that way?
4. Is there a time when you felt like you joined God’s mission in your life? How did that go? Is there a time when you felt like you did your own mission and then invited God to join you in that mission? How did that go?
5. Read **Acts 8:26-35**. Where do you see evidence that God was already at work in the Ethiopian eunuch’s life before Philip arrived? How did Philip join God in His mission?
6. “We don’t invite God into our mission; God invites us into His.” What is the practical difference between those two mindsets? Have you ever experienced one more than the other?
7. Is there a way that you’ve encountered God coming behind you after you’ve joined Him in His mission?
8. Looking back at question 1, what ordinary places do you feel like God may be inviting you to see as a mission field rather than just part of your routine?
9. What’s one specific step you can take this week to intentionally join God in what He’s already doing in your everyday life? As a group, pray for one another’s specific mission field before you leave.