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WHERE THE RUBBER MEETS THE ROAD

WEEK #1 - CHRIST THE CENTER

INSTRUCTIONS:

Separate the 6 questions for the evening.

Have everyone pick up a question

Read the 2 Icebreaker questions prior to watching the video as a group

After watching the video, then in order, read each question and discuss

#1 ICE BREAKER QUESTION

Go around the group and share...

Where you went to high school? What was your mascot?

#2 ICE BREAKER QUESTION

If someone gave you \$1,000 worth of pennies, but you are required to hand-roll the pennies in order to spend them, what would be your response?

#1 DISCUSSION QUESTION

In the example of the wheel, why is it important that Christ be the center and not a spoke?

#2 DISCUSSION QUESTION

Read John 15:5. How do Jesus' words relate to the Wheel example?

#3 DISCUSSION QUESTION

Galatians 2:20 mentions that we are crucified with Christ. Discuss what that means. The same verse says that Christ now lives in us. How should that tangibly be represented in our daily lives?

#4 DISCUSSION QUESTION

What are some practical ways we can re-adjust our walk to ensure Christ remains the center hub instead of the spoke? After all, if He's not the center hub, who is it likely to be?

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WEEK #2 - THE WORD

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#1 ICE BREAKER QUESTION

What did you want to be when you grew up?

#2 ICE BREAKER QUESTION

What job would you do full time without pay? (Assuming money is not an issue)

#1 DISCUSSION QUESTION

Where in this world do you see the Bible & it's principals NOT being applied?

#2 DISCUSSION QUESTION

In what area(s) of your life is it a challenge to live out the Word of God?

#3 DISCUSSION QUESTION

Why is the Holy Spirit necessary when we read the Word of God? See John 15:26, John 16:14

#4 DISCUSSION QUESTION

Does reading God's Word necessarily lead to application? Why or why not? If not, how do we change this?



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WEEK #3 - PRAYER

INSTRUCTIONS:

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#1 ICE BREAKER QUESTION

What 3 words describe you best?

#2 ICE BREAKER QUESTION

If you could have lunch with anyone (not Jesus), who would it be and why?

#1 DISCUSSION QUESTION

What keeps you from praying?

#2 DISCUSSION QUESTION

How would you apply Spurgeon's quote to your life?
"We should pray when we are in a praying mood, for it would be sinful to neglect so fair an opportunity. We should pray when we are not in a proper mood, for it would be dangerous to remain in so unhealthy a condition."

#3 DISCUSSION QUESTION

Read Hebrews 4:16. What does it look like to approach your life (marriage, career, parenting, hobbies, etc.) with confidence?

Why can we approach God's throne with confidence?

What does that look like?

#4 DISCUSSION QUESTION

Read 1 John 3:21-22. How does obedience build confidence in prayer?

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WEEK #4 - FELLOWSHIP

INSTRUCTIONS:

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#1 ICE BREAKER QUESTION

If you could only eat at one more restaurant before you died, which would it be?

#2 ICE BREAKER QUESTION

What role did God play in your life when you were growing up?

#1 DISCUSSION QUESTION

Read Hebrews 10:22-25. Think about the lives of the Christians in Hebrews. Why do you feel they were giving up meeting together? What hinders us from meeting together?

#2 DISCUSSION QUESTION

Read Proverbs 13:20. How should we abandon our unbelieving friends & family? Why or why not?

#3 DISCUSSION QUESTION

Read Hebrews 10:24 again. What does it mean to "stir up love & good works"? What are tangible ways we do this?

#4 DISCUSSION QUESTION

Read Galatians 6:2. What does it mean to 'bear one another's burdens'? How can your group bear a burden for someone this week? Pick the person (in the group or outside of the group), determine how the group can help & then execute the plan.

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WEEK #5 - WITNESSING

INSTRUCTIONS:

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#1 ICE BREAKER QUESTION

What's the furthest you have traveled from home?

#2 ICE BREAKER QUESTION

Who has had the greatest spiritual impact on your life?

What is your favorite memory of that person?

#1 DISCUSSION QUESTION

What makes a story great enough to share with others?

#2 DISCUSSION QUESTION

Discuss this saying, "Your life may be the only Bible some people ever read". How should this impact how we live, speak and act?

#3 DISCUSSION QUESTION

Does sharing the story of Jesus & what he has done in your life intimidate you? Why or why not?

#4 DISCUSSION QUESTION

Does your own testimony still have the power to bring change in your own life?

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WEEK #6 - OBEDIENCE

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#1 ICE BREAKER QUESTION

What was the funniest moment in your life?

#2 ICE BREAKER QUESTION

Where would you like to be in five years time?

#1 DISCUSSION QUESTION

Read John 14:21. Based on this verse why should we obey God?

#2 DISCUSSION QUESTION

People talk about "going deeper" in their relationship with God. How does obedience deepen our relationship with Christ?

#3 DISCUSSION QUESTION

Read Gal. 5:16. How should obedience to God & walking in the Spirit change the desires of our heart?

#4 DISCUSSION QUESTION

What's one thing you can work on this week in your obedience to Christ?