

"Closer Look"

Bringing the weekend message
into our daily lives.

A Church That Looks Like Heaven January 9th, 2022

Option 1: Take the first 10 minutes of your group to take a closer look at what the weekend message spoke to each group member. Share your takeaway and then dive into your curriculum.

Option 2: Take the whole group time and go through the questions, group challenge and all the closer look resources. Your time together will build your faith as you grow together.

Key Scripture: Luke 24:50-53, Jeremiah 31:1-3, Luke 10:38-42, Mark 10:17-27

A Church That Looks Like Heaven:

1. Has a heart for God
2. Has a heart to serve
3. Has a heart for Lazarus
4. Has a heart to grow
5. Has a heart to go all-in

Questions:

1. Ps. Joe says that Mary, Martha, and Lazarus represented family to Jesus and that they provide a good picture of the church. How can you relate to each person? How do they each contribute to God's vision of the church?
2. In what ways has the Word of God challenged you lately? Were you receptive to its correction? Why or why not?
3. Ps. Joe said "If you have a heart to serve, no one can get in your way." How does that resonate with you?
4. Martha tends to get a bad rap in Luke 10. How did Ps. Joe's message change your perspective?
5. Think of a time when you were Lazarus - not yet alive to Christ and the life He has for you. Are there any Lazarus's in your life today that you can invite into the family of God?
6. "Change comes as a result of correction." Who do you have in your life who knows you intimately enough to correct you? Is there anyone you can invite into that level of authority into your life?
7. In what ways can you still go all-in for the House or for people?



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