

21st CENTURY CHURCH

WEEK 3: Imagine If...

PURPOSE OF THE GROUP: To give everyone in the group the opportunity to find authentic community and spiritual growth. A group is where you are known, and you grow.

YOUR PERSONAL ROLE: Watch or listen to the message. Show up at group. Be real. (Life is better connected)

INTRODUCTION:

Imagine if every Jesus follower engaged people instead of just attending church. Imagine if every Jesus Follower used their influence to stand up for others. Imagine if we dropped the religious rules and just did what love asks us to do. It would change the world.

📺 **WATCH THE MESSAGE VIDEO ON THE ROCKPOINTE APP OR WEBSITE OR WALK THROUGH THE POINTS OF THE MESSAGE IN THE NOTES SECTION.**

LET'S TALK ABOUT IT:

1. Talk about a time when someone made a sacrifice for you. How did that sacrifice make a difference in your life?
2. Do you tend to define the word "church" as a "house of God" or an "assembly of people"? Talk about the people, places, and events that have shaped your definition of "church."
3. Talk about a time when you've seen someone use the Bible as a bat against someone else. How did it affect the person on the receiving end? How did it affect you?
4. In what area of your life—the way you use authority, behave in your marriage, or view holiness—are you most tempted to drift into the old temple ways? What are some things love demands of you in that area of your life?
5. **Read John 13:1–17.** What do you think this example set by Jesus means for your life? What are some ways you need to wash more feet?
6. During the message we discussed how *holy people have dirty hands and how dirty is the new holy*. Who do you need to get your hands dirty for? What is one thing you can do this week to actively love that person or group of people? How can your group support you?

KEY VERSE OF THE WEEK: **Matthew 25:40**

The King will reply, 'Truly I tell you, whatever you did for one of the least of these brothers and sisters of mine, you did for me.'

HOW CAN THIS GROUP PRAY FOR YOU THIS WEEK?

ASK SOMEONE TO PRAY TO END THE GROUP TIME.