

# Fall 2025 Koinonia Groups

#### **Week Five**

Key verse: Romans 15:7: Welcome one another, therefore, just as Christ has welcomed you, for the glory of God.

**Check in.** Set a timer on phone to keep it brief.

### Opening Prayer by week's facilitator.

Watch Video. Link at <a href="https://fpcasheville.org/group-resources/">https://fpcasheville.org/group-resources/</a>

#### **Discussion Questions:**

- What struck you from these conversations?
- How hard is it for you to find the time and space to make room for God in your daily life?
- What are your biggest obstacles to making room for God in your life?
- What tends to work well for you?
- When was the last time you tried a new spiritual practice?
- This week we are encouraging people to do a spiritual practice at least five times before the final meeting next week. What spiritual practice do you hope to try?

## **Resources:**

- Descriptions of many practices:
   <a href="https://www.upperroom.org/resources/category/spiritual-practice">https://www.upperroom.org/resources/category/spiritual-practice</a>
- Centering Prayer: <a href="https://www.contemplative.org/centering-prayer/">https://www.contemplative.org/centering-prayer/</a>
- Book (in the church library) of spiritual practices Adele Calhoun Spiritual
   Disciplines Handbook. Excellent resource with over 90 spiritual practices!
   https://www.amazon.com/Spiritual-Disciplines-Handbook-Practices Transform/dp/0830846050/ref=sr\_1\_1?s=books&ie=UTF8&qid=1484616499&sr=1-1

Homework: For next week, practice a spiritual discipline and be ready to share with your group your experience. Consider doing something new and different for at least 5 days this next week!

**Prayer requests** for week if didn't do in beginning.

Close (On time!) in prayer.