



Fall 2025 Koinonia Groups

Week Six

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 <https://fpcasheville.org/group-resources/>

Discussion Questions:

- Everyone share an area of growth that they can see in themselves over the last period of time. (The period of time may be even 5-10 years, or just the last 4-6 week!)
- Everyone share one area that they would like to see growth. In themselves, with strangers, with people of different ages, for God.
- Then share one concrete step you are going to try and take to grow in this area. If you aren't sure how you can do that, please reach out to one of the pastors, we love talking about this!!!

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

Next Steps: Take a few moments to talk about how this group went. The **two key objectives** of our groups are “**deepened relationships**” as mentioned in our mission statement. These are friends with whom you can discuss faith topics, share the highs and lows of life, and pray for one another. As one person said, someone you can ask to dinner or to pray for you. Do you feel that the format and discussion questions helped achieve that goal? What might have been helpful in your group to help achieve the goal of deepened relationships? The second goal was to **help people connect deeper with God** and their faith. Do you have a better understanding and realization in your life of God's welcome you have received and the welcome that God has invited us to extend to others? Please let Shannon know how this group went from your individual perspectives or as a group!

We are planning on our next round of small groups being during the Lenten Season.

Close (On time!) in prayer.