

Who Are We? – Week 6

Culture of Disciplemaking

Big Idea: We are saved to multiply—we are disciples who make disciples.

Main Scripture: Matthew 28:18–20

Group Purpose

Leader Tip: Emphasize relationship and faithfulness. Celebrate small, consistent steps of discipleship as powerful acts of obedience.

This week's guide helps your Connect Group explore what it means to live as a disciple who makes disciples. Disciplemaking is not just for leaders—it's the calling of every follower of Jesus. As a church, we want to see faith multiplied through intentional relationships, teaching, and modeling obedience to Christ.

Opening (5–7 minutes)

Icebreaker Question

- Think about someone who influenced your faith. How did they invest in you, and what impact did it have?

(Encourage personal stories and relational connection.)

Scripture Reading

Read Together

- **Matthew 28:18–20** (Have one or two people read aloud)

Ask the group to listen for the commands Jesus gives and the promises He attaches.

Teaching Summary (Leader Read-Aloud)

In Matthew 28, Jesus gives His followers a clear mission: make disciples of all nations. Disciplemaking involves guiding others in faith, teaching them to obey Christ, and walking with them in life. Every believer is called to participate, and the process is meant to multiply—one

disciple leads to another, who leads to another. At our church, we want to be faithful in this calling and see lives transformed and multiplied through intentional relationships.

Group Discussion

Understanding the Text

1. What does it mean that Jesus has *all authority in heaven and on earth* (v. 18)? How does that impact our calling?
2. What are the specific commands Jesus gives in verses 19–20? How do they relate to everyday life?
3. Why is the promise of His presence important as we make disciples?

Reflection & Personal Connection

4. When you hear “disciplemaking,” what comes to mind? Is it exciting, intimidating, or both?
5. Who are the people in your life you could intentionally walk alongside in faith?
6. What barriers or fears might keep you from investing in others, and how can God help you overcome them?

Church Culture Connection

7. How does disciplemaking connect with the other cultures we’ve discussed: prayer, community, serving, generosity, and evangelism?
8. Why is multiplication central to the mission of the church?

Application

Move the group from reflection to intentional action.

Personal Application

- Who is God calling you to invest in right now? This could be one person, a small group, or a family member.
- What is one step you can take this week to begin guiding or modeling faith for someone?
 - (Examples: invite someone to your Connect Group, share your story, pray with them, meet for coffee to discuss faith.)

Group Application

- How can this Connect Group support one another in disciplemaking?
- Can the group pray for specific relationships or accountability in making disciples?

Prayer Time

Guided Prayer Option

- Thank God for saving us and calling us to multiply.
- Pray for courage, wisdom, and opportunities to invest in others.
- Ask God to guide each member in discipleship and reveal the people He wants them to walk alongside.

(Leaders: encourage openness, and focus on obedience rather than results.)

Closing Encouragement

Remind the group:

Disciplemaking is a calling for every believer. Saved people don't just follow—they go and multiply. Take intentional steps this week to invest in someone's faith.

Encourage group members to continue living out **who we are** by making disciples who make disciples.