

REVIVAL TOWN

GROUP GUIDES WEEK ONE- THE SIGN OF UNITY



Sentence

The road to Revival Town is easy to find when we follow the signs and wonders along the way.



Story

Share about the first time you drove on the interstate.

"I avoided it for as long as possible..."

"Merging was so terrifying..."

"I had to drive right after I got my permit..."



Set-Up

Acts 2:42-47

Just like the beginnings of the church in Acts, we can live in a state of revival when we allow the Holy Spirit to unite all shapes, sizes, and communities of the Church.

Read Acts 2:44-46

When was the last time you felt that kind of joy in community with others?



Search

Read 2 Chronicles 7:11-14



Verses 11-12

Solomon's work in rebuilding the temple was a massive endeavor.

Why does fostering unity often feel so difficult?

What do you have in mind as the picture of a perfect, united church?

How often do you pray for the Church? How has God answered your prayers for the Church?

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➔ Verse 13

After choosing Solomon's temple as His own, God tells of the hardships to come.

Why do you think God cares to discuss future droughts and plagues?

What role should Christ followers play during situations of disaster?

In what hardships have you seen unity arise?

➔ Verse 14

Since you know that God calls the Church by His name, how should Christ followers reflect the image of God?

Why is humility so important for unity?

How can you pray for the unity of the Church?

How does unity impact confession and repentance?



Solution

1. How will you foster a spirit of unity in your faith community?

- Confess and repent for the ways you hurt others
- Offer forgiveness to those who have hurt you
- Reach out to someone outside of your normal circle and pray for them
- Give of my finances generously
- Other _____

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Read **Leviticus 19:17**

Why is accountability so important to God and the unity of His Church?

2. How will you grow the body of Christ in accountability?

- Find an accountability partner in your group
- Have a conversation with someone who needs correction (*suggestion: for greater success, you must have a strong relationship with this person, and prayerfully prepare*)
- Go to a mentor for confession and wisdom
- Memorize **Leviticus 19:17**
- Other _____



Send Out

Break into groups of 2-3 (*same gender if a coed group*), discuss ways you can increase the unity of the Church. Plan to connect with each other in-person, call, or text this week.

Pray together.