

# CORINTH SMALL GROUPS IN 3-D

**WHERE "ONE SIZE FITS ALL" DOESN'T FIT!**

## FAQ'S:

### Why do I need to be part of a small group?

Jesus modeled the importance of relationships within a small group context. His disciples learned how to relate to Him and each other in community. It is in these small groups that we experience the encouragement and accountability that we need in order to grow in our relationships with Christ.

"And let us consider how we may spur each other on toward love and good deeds. Let us not give up meeting together, as some are in the habit of doing, but let us encourage one another –and all the more as you see the Day approaching." Hebrews 10:25

### When can I join?

Anytime! Groups normally "kick-off" in the Fall and beginning of the new year. If it is important for you to join a SS or Bible study group at the beginning of a new study, check the Sunday School brochure or flyers in the Welcome Center at the beginning of each quarter. To join a group at other times, please contact the Adult Ministries Director for assistance.

### How can I be a leader?

Contact the Adult Ministries Director if you would like to lead or start a new group.

## FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT:

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#### Dimension 1/D – 1

Discovery Groups are designed to provide opportunities for Christian fellowship, making friends, fun, food, sharing and prayer. These groups help new members get to know each other as well as offering a great place to invite your non-Christian friends. Even though these groups may not formally study the Bible together, they focus on the bond we share in Jesus Christ that seasons our conversations with encouragement and positive fun. Support groups integrate support with the Bible and serve as a great entry point.

#### Foyer Dinner Groups

Monthly dinner in homes.

#### Focus Groups

Millennials - for young

adults, Single/Married

Prime Time Singles- for 45+

Seniors "Young At Heart" - 60+

Wilderness Ministry - enjoy

hiking, camping, ages 18+

#### Support Groups

Anxiety

Cross Talk Hickory

DivorceCare

GriefShare

#### Dimension 2/D – 2

Studying God's Word is the focus of the Discussion Groups, making it a great context for interaction, discussion and applying the Bible to everyday life. Sharing and praying together add a personal dimension. Groups are offered in both home and class settings. Sunday School classes have an open-ended commitment, while Bible studies and special series have a variety of study lengths.

#### Sunday School Classes

See the Sunday School Brochure for a listing of classes and their locations.

#### Bible Studies

See Bible Study flyers in the Welcome Center for a listing of classes, times and locations.

#### Special Series Classes (Offered periodically)

Marriage

Parenting

Financial Planning

#### Dimension 3/D – 3

While Discipleship/Life Groups might offer some of the same criteria that the other groups offer, D-3 groups go to a more intensive dimension. With Jesus as our model, discipleship groups include in-depth Bible study, accountability, mentoring with lifestyle impact, sharing our faith, service and more comprehensive prayer times. In order to accomplish the depth desired in these groups, we suggest a 1 or 3-year commitment for 8-12 members.

In recent years, churches have given different names to small group discipleship ministry. Regardless of what we call them (cell groups, life groups, body life groups, "home grown" groups, community groups), small groups promote spiritual growth within the context of a "small community" usually meeting in the homes of the members.

New D-3 groups will be started as leadership is trained and there are those interested in being a part of a discipleship group.

NAME \_\_\_\_\_ AGE \_\_\_\_\_ MARRIED/SINGLE \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

E-MAIL \_\_\_\_\_ PHONE# \_\_\_\_\_

WHAT KIND OF GROUP WOULD YOU LIKE TO JOIN? (CHECK ONE OR MORE)

D-1/DISCOVERY

D-2/DISCUSSION

D-3/DISCIPLESHP/LIFE

\_\_\_ Focus Group \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_ SS Class \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_ Mixed Adults

\_\_\_ Foyer Dinner Group \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_ Bible Study (Mixed Adults)

\_\_\_ Couples

\_\_\_ Support Group \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_ Bible Study \_\_ Men \_\_ Women

\*Turn in form with the offering or to the office.