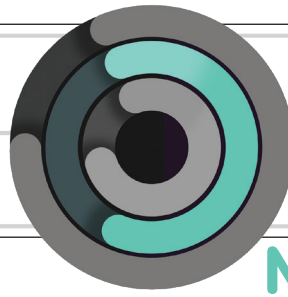




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# Identity

LUKE 9:57-62

## MAKE DISCIPLES BY HELPING ONE ANOTHER IDENTIFY WITH JESUS.

*I have been crucified with Christ. It is no longer I who live, but Christ who lives in me.  
And the life I now live in the flesh I live by faith in the Son of God,  
who loved me and gave himself for me. Galatians 2:20*

### I. Helping one another identify with Jesus, reflected by our \_\_\_\_\_

*As they were going along the road, someone said to him, "I will follow you wherever you go."  
And Jesus said to him, "Foxes have holes, and birds of the air have nests, but the Son of Man has nowhere to lay his head." vv. 57-58*

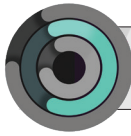
### II. Helping one another identify with Jesus, reflected by our \_\_\_\_\_

*To another he said, "Follow me." But he said, "Lord, let me first go and bury my father."  
And Jesus said to him, "Leave the dead to bury their own dead. But as for you, go and proclaim the kingdom of God." vv. 59-60*

### III. Helping one another identify with Jesus, reflected in our \_\_\_\_\_

*Yet another said, "I will follow you, Lord, but let me first say farewell to those at my home."  
Jesus said to him, "No one who puts his hand to the plow and looks back is fit for the kingdom of God." vv. 61-62*

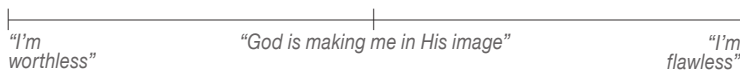
*"Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit,  
teaching them to observe all that I have commanded you. And behold, I am with you always, to the end of the age." Matthew 28:19-20*



# MAKE DISCIPLES HOME GROUP LESSON & DEVOTIONAL

Ask the Holy Spirit to reveal His truth and wisdom as you go through this lesson.

1. Read Luke 9:57-62 and Galatians 2:20. What does God desire for you to understand about your identity as a follower of Christ? How have you been relying on others to define your identity?
2. What areas of your life are dictated by a feeling that you need to earn God's love? How can you learn to counteract that lie?
3. What part does sin play in our self-identity? How has shame distorted our identity in Christ?
4. Read Philippians 1:6. How does the continuing process of God's work affect your view of yourself?
5. After hearing the message, mark where you see your own self-image on the continuum below. Explain why you placed it in that position.



## YOUR IDENTITY IN CHRIST

<b>You are in Christ.</b> 2 Cor 5:17; 1 Cor 15:21-22	How should being "in Christ" affect my view of myself?
<b>You are a saint.</b> Rom 1:7; 1 Cor 1:2; Rev 14:12; Ps 30:4, 31:23	How does "sainthood" apply to my self-evaluation?
<b>You were adopted as a son or daughter.</b> Gal 4:4-5, 7; Eph 1:5	If I have been adopted by God, how does it affect my life?
<b>You are an heir with an inheritance of spiritual riches.</b> 1 Cor 2:9; Rom 8:16-17; Phil 4:19; Eph 2:7, 3:16	What exactly is my inheritance, and what difference does it make in how I live now?
<b>You are God's beloved.</b> Rom 5:8, 8:37-39; Zeph 3:17; 1 Jn 3:1	How does God's love influence my identity?
<b>You are redeemed.</b> Eph 1:7; Rom 6:16-18, 22	How does my salvation affect my identity?
<b>You have access to the power of the Holy Spirit in you.</b> Eph 1:13; 1 Jn 4	How does having the Holy Spirit within you influence your identity?
<b>You are part of Christ's body.</b> Jn 17:20-23; Rom 12:4-5	What does it mean that I'm a member of the "body of Christ"?
<b>You are a holy vessel for ministry.</b> Eph 2:10, 5:1-2	How can I learn to do good works?
<b>You are God's masterpiece.</b> Jer 18:1-6; Ps 139:13-14; Eph 4:24	Do I believe God is making me into a masterpiece?

## QUESTIONS FOR YOU OR SOMEONE ELSE

- How does the way you handle your possessions show that you follow Jesus?
- How do your priorities show that you follow Jesus?
- Would those with whom you have personal relationships say you that are a follower of Jesus? Why or why not?
- Of these three areas above, which do you struggle with the most?

## MAKE RESOURCES

Find help for your journey of discipleship in our app. It's loaded with tools in categories for Adults, Families, Students and Kids to fuel your trip! Look for it under the Connect tab.



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## COMING UP AT CHRIST CHAPEL

Here's a glimpse at what you need to know for this week at Christ Chapel. If you'd like to find out even more, visit [www.ccbcfamily.org/events](http://www.ccbcfamily.org/events).



**LOOKING FOR THE CONNECT CARD?** Scan the QR code here to fill out a Connect Card. Our team will reach out this week to answer your questions and tell you more about Christ Chapel.

## ARE YOU INTERESTED IN BEING BAPTIZED?

Baptism is a powerful picture of being raised to new life in Christ. It's a step we take after becoming disciples of Jesus, symbolizing the burial of our old life and the new life we have through His resurrection. If you're interested in learning more about being a part visit [www.ccbcfamily.org/baptism](http://www.ccbcfamily.org/baptism)

**BE, MAKE + REACH RESOURCES** Parents, the BE, MAKE + REACH resources are now available in the Christ Chapel App under the Connect tab! These resources are specifically designed to help you and your family grow in your discipleship journey. Whether you're looking for new ways to BE a disciple, MAKE disciples at home or REACH others in your community, there's something for everyone – adults, kids, students and families alike.

**VOLUNTEER AT KIDSCAMP** During KidsCamp, we aim to create an unforgettable experience for the kids, where they can grow spiritually, build lasting friendships and learn about God's love in an engaging and exciting environment. But none of this can happen without you! We're excited to announce that registration for KidsCamp Volunteer Sign-Up begins on Sunday, Feb. 16 — mark your calendars!

## DID YOU KNOW WE HAVE A 5 P.M. SERVICE?

We began a 5 p.m. Sunday service to create more room for you, kids and newcomers so that everyone can enjoy the best worship experience possible. This new year, join us at the 5 p.m. and invite someone new to join you! This is a great opportunity to gather for worship even when school, schedules and sports ramp up! Head over to the next steps desk to learn more.

## WALK TOWARD HEALING AND RESTORATION THIS YEAR

Our Soul Care ministry is equipped with trained, lay counselors and group leaders who believe the gospel is the foundation for restoration. Whether it's learning about marriage, wrestling with the pull of an addiction, working through divorce, battling anxiety, grief or shame, we'd love to chat with you more about how to meet you where you are. Learn more today at [www.ccbcfamily.org/soulcare](http://www.ccbcfamily.org/soulcare).



**IF YOU'D LIKE TO GIVE AN OFFERING TODAY, YOU CAN DO SO STRAIGHT FROM YOUR PHONE** The process is quick and easy—scan the QR Code to start.

## A WONDERFUL OFFER

Being a Christian isn't based on membership in a local church or keeping a set of rules. It involves a personal relationship with Jesus Christ and an understanding of who He is and what He has done to provide man with a way to experience God's love for us. Here's how to know Jesus Christ as your personal Savior:

1. Realize that you are sinful and separated from God. (Romans 3:23; Isaiah 53:6)
  2. Recognize that the penalty for your sin is death—eternal separation from God and all that is good. (Romans 6:23; Hebrews 9:27)
  3. Understand that Jesus Christ took the penalty for your sin by dying in your place and that He rose again. (Romans 5:8; 2 Corinthians 5:21)
  4. Receive the free gift of salvation by trusting in Christ alone as your Savior. (Romans 4:4-5; Ephesians 2:8-9)
- "For God so loved the world, that He gave His only begotten Son, that whoever believes in Him should not perish, but have eternal life." (John 3:16 NASB) You can use this prayer to express your decision to God:
- "Dear God, I know that I am a sinner. I believe that Jesus Christ died on the cross for me and rose from the dead. I trust in Him alone as the only way to get right with You. Thank You for the forgiveness of sins and the eternal life I now have. Amen."*