

# Vacation Bible School

*If you have kids - sign them up!*

*If you don't have kids - donate some items to help!*



ages 4-12 (going into 6th grade up to 12 years old)

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JUNE 13-17  
9AM-1PM

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# EKKLESIA

## RECAPTURING JESUS' VISION FOR HIS CHURCH

### Week 4 | We Are A Family

In a culture of extreme individualism, we are faced with the necessity to recapture Jesus' vision for His community. We see the first Church work out that vision of Jesus through their love for another, their generosity, their hospitality, their support for one another, and their transformation. Our desire must be that we are a spiritually transforming community. A community that is dedicated to becoming more like Jesus.

**Leaders:** Take your group through each section: **Pray, Reflect, and Reach.** Keep in mind the time allowances. In the **Reflect** section, feel free to focus on several of these questions instead of all as time allows.



### **PRAY** (10 min)

As a Life Group take some time pray for your group and for spiritual transformation.



### **REFLECT** (25 min)

As you've had the opportunity to reflect on what God has spoken to you through the lesson this week, consider these questions as a group and discuss them.

- 1. Take a moment to go around the room and in one sentence describe how you are doing in this moment. Take some time to intentionally listen to each other's current struggles and rejoicings.**
- 2. What gets in the way of your ability to experiment Jesus' vision of community? (e.g. busyness, painful past relationship, individualism)**
- 3. What does it mean to be spiritually transformed and how can your Life Group be a spiritually transforming community?**
- 4. Which of the attributes of the early church stand out to you and how will you practice it?**
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  - They shared what they had with one another
  - They stayed, embraced pain, and grew together



### **WEEKLY MEMORIZATION VERSE**

**John 13:35**

By this all will know that you are My disciples, if you have love for one another."



### **REACH** (5 min)

Consider how your Life Group will become a place for spiritual transformation and as a community seek to practice at least one of the attributes of the early church this week.

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