

WELCOME (15 minutes)

- **Ice Breaker:** Do you play pickle ball? If so, tell what you like most about it. If not, tell about a game or activity you particularly like.

WORSHIP (10 minutes)

- Sing “Nail MY Glory” by Doxa, Tiffany Johnson. Lyrics are on the back.

WIN (15 minutes)

- **PRAY** for people you as a group are seeking to come to know Jesus as Savior.
- **PLAN** something fun to do together that you can invite these people to!

WORD (25 minutes)

1. Read Acts 5:28. What are specific ways God might use you or our small group to fill Gahanna or Columbus with the gospel? What can we do to keep this mission and vision constantly in front of us? How do we keep from becoming self-focused self-oriented Christians?
2. Read 1 Timothy 4:7-8 and Colossians 1:28-29. Pastor Steve challenged each of us to take responsibility for our own spiritual growth and development. What are you doing to “own” your own spiritual advancement? Why do we tend to isolate spiritual growth as something that has to mysteriously happen to us, rather than seeing ourselves as needing to take practical steps to help things purposefully occur?
3. Read 2 Timothy 2:2. There’s always someone who needs to get where you are! Who are you investing time and energy into helping learn or grow or develop in some area? (Who are your two?) What holds you back from doing more to invest in others?
4. Have you ever made the mistake of thinking, “Well, I’ve got to get fully trained in all aspects of discipleship before I try to help someone else grow.”? Why is it important to recognize our identity in Christ - our ability to be used by Christ is because we are righteous through Him?
5. Living things reproduce after their own kind! That means disciples make disciples. Followers produce more followers. Christianity is by nature contagious. It was meant to spread! What does this say of our need to continually seek to reproduce ourselves in others? What does this say of a healthy small group’s need to reproduce itself in other health group by either multiplying or launching?

WORKS (25 minutes)

- Break into smaller groups of 2 or 3’s of the same gender to pray for each other.

“Nail MY Glory” by Doxa – Sovereign Grace Ministires
Original words by Isaac Watts (1709)

VERSE 1

No more, my God, I boast no more
Of everything my hands have done
I quit the hopes I held before
To trust the merits of Your Son

CHORUS

Now for His love I bear His name
My former pride I call my shame
What was my gain I count my loss
And I nail my glory to His cross

VERSE 2

And by Your grace I will esteem
All things but loss for Jesus' sake
Oh may my soul be found in Him
And of His righteousness partake

VERSE 3

All of the works of my own hands
I dare not bring before Your throne
My faith responds to Your demands
By pleading what my Lord has done