

## Leader Guide

\*Take a few minutes to have icebreakers and share time (5-10 minutes max)

Icebreaker Ideas: Share Highs and Lows from the week

### Week 5 – Ephesians 3: 20-21 & Ephesians 4: 2-3

\*Take 2-5 minutes to read the scripture passage and give a brief summary of some of the highlights/topics covered during this week's sermon. Keep it basic this is an opportunity to jog people's memories and get them prepared to share as we get into the questions.

#### Ephesians 3

*20 Now to him who is able to do immeasurably more than all we ask or imagine, according to his power that is at work within us, 21 to him be glory in the church and in Christ Jesus throughout all generations, for ever and ever! Amen.*

#### Ephesians 4

*2 Be completely humble and gentle; be patient, bearing with one another in love. 3 Make every effort to keep the unity of the Spirit through the bond of peace*

#### Review Questions

\*Review Questions (these are good starting points for initiating the conversation, leaders are encouraged to review the sermon and add some of their own thoughts and/or questions to the mix as well).

1. What comes to mind when you hear the word 'church'?
2. Is it surprising to you that the church is God's chosen instrument for carrying out His work?
3. Why do you think God intends to use us to share the Gospel?
4. What are the gifts and abilities that you have that you think can be used in the church?
5. Why is unity so important for God's church and His purposes?
6. What are some areas from Ephesians 4 above that you feel that you could grow in to help serve the church?

\*Remember, no one should ever hear prolonged silence after making a comment, as the leader try to make sure that each person receives some form of acknowledgement after sharing something.

\*The task of the leader is facilitating conversation, not teaching the sermon all over again.

\*Close with prayer for the last 5 minutes of your time together