Upcoming events to tell your group about (more info on each on pg 2):

- Men's Springfield Cardinals Tailgate (Aug 1)
- Marriage Collective (Aug 10)

Read John 7:53-8:11

Did anything stand out either from Justin's message or reading through John together?

If you were to choose one single word to describe how you think God views you, what would it honestly be?

Justin defined grace as undeserved and unearned favor of God given to us by Jesus. Is this definition similar to other definitions you have heard or your personal understanding of grace?

Grace humbles. How have you seen grace from God humble you in your lifetime?

Grace levels. In our passage, how does Jesus "level" pride from the religious people and adultery from the woman?

Why is comparing our sin to other people unhelpful and harmful for us?

Grace also frees. How has God's grace led to freedom for you? What has God freed you from?

Grace motivates. How does a right view of God's grace motivate us to sin less, not more?

Justin's exhortation for us this week was to daily Shift, Own, Receive, and Open in response to God's grace. How has that been for you so far? Which of those 4 things has been or do you anticipate being hardest for you?

Men's/Women's Time (if applicable)

Have a time of sharing. (i.e. Share highs/lows in this season, needs in your home/community, etc.)

PRAY for one another.

Notable Upcoming Events at Fellowship

Men's Springfield Cardinals Tailgate (Aug 1) (6pm-10pm) – We will start the evening with a tailgate at 6 pm and then attend the SGF Cardinals game together. Join us for a casual evening to meet other guys who attend Fellowship. Cost is \$15 per person, which covers your game ticket and your tailgate food, and registration is required! Our seats will be in the seated GA section this year. If you already have tickets, please email us at <u>men@fbclife.org</u>!

Marriage Collective (Aug 10) (5pm-6:45pm) – Starting on a new day of the week and a new time, Marriage Collective is back this fall on Sunday, August 10th. Marriage Collective is a night designed for you and your spouse to connect with each other, with other couples, and be equipped to actively engage in different areas of your marriage. Whether you're newly married or have been married for years, we all have places to grow and take next steps with our spouse, and you don't want to miss this opportunity. Join us from 5-6:45 pm for dinner, fun, conversation with others AND our topic of the night: Resilient Love. We will be covering the concept of covenant! The cost is 12.50 per person, which covers the cost of your dinner, and registration is REQUIRED! Plus, childcare is available but limited, so sign up now!