

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

- Men's Serving Day (Dec 6)
- Adapted Toy Shopping Day (Dec 6)
- Fellowship Mom's Cozy Christmas (Dec 6)

Read John 15:1-12 - 16:4

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

You should expect love from Christ to overflow into love for Christ's people. **How have you seen this be true in your experience of Christians?**

Christ's love is sacrificial, initiating, and provisional. **Of those 3, which element of Christ's love is easiest for you to have overflow into your interactions with others? Which is the hardest?**

Why do you think Jesus elevates His disciples from "servants" to "friends" (v. 15)?

You should also expect hate from the world overflowing from hate for Christ. **How would you define the hate Jesus is referring to here?** (*Justin defined hate as a settled and sometimes overt opposition to Christ and Christ's people*).

The world hates and opposes Christ because He exposes their sin, the truth that they don't want God, and their self-deception. **Why do you think Christ exposing those 3 things often leads to hatred from the world?**

Is there a step you need to take to better love others as Christ has loved you?

Do you feel like you currently face opposition from others because of your faith? Please share.

What should be our response when we face opposition from the world? (*Key is at the end of John 15*).

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 Serving Day (December 6 at 8am-11am) – One of the biggest joys of following Jesus is the ability to serve the body of Christ shoulder-to-shoulder. We get to do exactly that on the morning of December 6th as we meet the various practical needs of people in our church through service. Sign up today, and we will communicate with you soon about which team & project we have assigned you to!

Adapted Toy Shopping Day (December 6 at 9am-12pm) – We want to invite you to Fellowship Bible Church on December 6th to shop for adapted toys for the child in your life who has disabilities. This Christmas, we want to make them know they are seen and loved, so stop by anytime between 9 am and 12 pm to shop. Please register online before you come! Toys will be free for families!

Fellowship Mom's Cozy Christmas (December 6 at 6:30-8:30) – Our Fellowship Mom's ministry is an arm of women's ministry that is passionate about helping moms in our church be connected to Christ, connected to each other, and equipped with wisdom and encouragement for all seasons of motherhood. They are excited to invite moms of all ages to Fellowship Mom's Cozy Christmas, where you will experience fun, laughter, and holiday treats. Plus, participate in a White Elephant snack swap! We will be at the Finley Collective in Rogersville!