



Life Group
Sermon Guide Questions
12 OCTOBER 2025



Opening: Read Psalm 100

- 1) When you hear the phrase *"Faithful God; Faithful Sheep,"* what stands out to you most?
- 2) Psalm 100 invites us to "make a joyful noise" and "serve with gladness." What do those words mean to you personally?

Looking Back: God's Faithfulness Across Generations

- 3) Read Joshua 4:6-7. Why does God ask Israel to collect stones from the bottom of the Jordan? Why is it good to remember the work of God in previous generations?
- 4) UCM was founded in 1914 through a merger of different denominations. How does that story inspire or challenge you today?
- 5) What are some ways you've seen God's faithfulness at UCM, or in your own spiritual journey?

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6) The sermon compared UCM to a mighty oak tree with deep, unseen roots. What “roots” (values, practices, examples) have been passed down to us by earlier generations of the church?

Living Now: Our Present Call

7) Psalm 100 calls us to “serve the Lord with gladness.” Where do you currently feel called to serve in your life, and what helps you serve with joy?

8) The message reminded us that the church is not just a building but a living community. How has UCM (or your local church experience) been meaningful to you in worship, fellowship, or growth?

9) Read Hebrews 10:24-25. What is the central purpose of the church? How are we called to fulfill this role through UCM?

10) We heard that UCM is known for being a welcoming community, offering uplifting worship, relevant teaching, and space for spiritual growth. Which of these resonates most with your experience, and why?

Looking Ahead: Faithfulness to Future Generations

11) Psalm 100:5 reminds us that God’s faithfulness extends to “all generations.” What kind of spiritual heritage do you hope to leave for the next generation? **Read Psalm 78:4 and Joel 1:3.** What is our responsibility to future generations?

12) The sermon introduced the *Next Steps Hub* as a way of moving forward in faith. What “next step” might God be calling you to take right now—personally or within the church community?

13) In what ways can we ensure that Union Church of Manila continues to be a light in the city and a refuge for future generations?



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