

**Series: I Don't Do Alone**  
**Message: Make Room at the Table**

**October 23, 2022**

**Life Group Study**  
For week of October 23, 2022

Hebrews 10:22-25 | Luke 14:15-24 | Acts 2:42-47

*If I am to resolve to not do alone I must make room at the table.*

**Barriers to Meeting Together**

Lies:

- Fear
- Selfishness
- I Have Nothing of Worth

You are invited to the table.

You are empowered to invite to the table.

Action Steps

- Kick the liar (satan) out of your table.
- Speak the truth that you are a person who is loved, chosen, blessed, and empowered.
- Make the invitation.

*Many of our Life Groups use this insert as a discussion guide throughout the week. We encourage you to take that next step in your journey with Jesus & His church by joining one today! <https://rlc.pub/groups>*

**Share your story**

What insight, question, or resolution did you discover as we worshiped the Lord together this past Sunday?

Describe your past week in weather terms. Was it stormy, cloudy, foggy, smoky, mostly sunny or what?

What was one of the best things you were ever invited to? Why?

**Connect to God's story**

*We love and serve an inviting Creator King. Jesus invites us to follow Him and , in turn, invite others to follow Him as well. Read the following passages and note what you observe about each invitation.*

**Isaiah 55:1-3**

Observations about God's inviting heart:

In what way should I respond?

**Joel 2:12-14**

Observations about God's inviting heart:

In what way should I respond?

**Matthew 11:28-30**

Observations about God's inviting heart:

In what way should I respond?

**Matthew 19:13-15**

Observations about God's inviting heart:

In what way should I respond?

**Mark 10:17-27**

Observations about God's inviting heart:

In what way should I respond?

**John 6:32-35**

Observations about God's inviting heart:

In what way should I respond?

**John 7:37-44**

Observations about God's inviting heart:

In what way should I respond?

God's heart is invitation. In what way he desiring you to do likewise to people in your circle of influence? What are barriers to you having an open seat at the table for others?

*Spend some time praying as a group together for God to reveal ways you can share God's heart of invitation to those He puts in our paths this week*

**THE PURPOSE OF LIFE GROUPS**

*Life Groups exist to promote spiritual maturity and personal growth through meaningful relationships with Jesus and each other through the study of God's Word (Romans 8:29 & Hebrews 10:24-25).*

Here's how we accomplish this in our community throughout the week:

**SHARE**

Each week we'll take time to share what is happening in our lives. At first this sharing will include planned "sharing questions." But after the first few weeks, it will become more informal and personal as we feel more comfortable.

**STUDY**

Each week we'll study a section from God's Word that relates to the previous weekend's sermon or an appropriate personal growth topic. Our goal is to learn how to live out our Christianity in everyday life by following Jesus.

**SUPPORT**

Each week we'll learn how to take care of one another as Christ commanded (John 15:9-13). This care can take many forms such as prayer, encouragement, listening, challenging one another and meeting real needs.

**SERVE**

Spiritual growth is fostered not only by what we gain through the support and input of others, but also through service to others. The role each of us fills is important to the health of the church and for us to be the hands and feet of Jesus to the community in which we live (Ephesians 4:11-16).

Throughout the Life Group session, it is our hope that you can find and/or be affirmed in the ways the Father has designed you to serve and make a difference in His kingdom as He conforms you to the image of His Son! (Romans 8:28-30)