

KEEP LIT

Take a little time to review this week's sermon. Using your sermon notes and your Bible, answer the following questions before the group meeting. Write out your answers so you'll feel more comfortable sharing them with the group. Have a great time!

I. Getting to Know You

How did you experience God working in your life this week? How can we pray for you?

II. Digging Deeper

1. According to Acts 13:44-52 what adversities did Paul and his team face? What are some of the pressures we face today that threaten to extinguish our gospel witness?
2. What are some of the benefits of tenacity according to Acts 13:48-49?
3. Do you think Paul's statement in 1 Corinthians 9:16-17 can/should be applied to all Christians? Why or why not?

4. How should the reality that God saved us and then commissioned us to share the gospel impact us according to 1 Corinthians 15:9-10? Why do you think it does not impact many Christians that way?

III. Making it Personal

5. What are some personal challenges you (have) face(d) as you strive to share the gospel? List 2 or 3 ideas that may help to address these challenges.
6. Do you consider sharing the gospel a responsibility or a privilege? Can it legitimately be both?
7. How can the church help you to "stay lit"?

IV. Prayer