# GROWTH GROUP QUESTIONS WEEK OF OCT 22, 2023 JOHN 14:1-29 J. Richards

#### YOU NEED A DRINK

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. What are some tips we can learn about ministering to strangers (people) from how Jesus approached this woman (verses 7-10, 16-18, 21-24, etc.)?

- 2. What does the woman's response in verses 16-17 reveal about not just her, but people in general?
- 3. This woman had had five failed marriages, yet she was in another (illicit) relationship. What do you think she was trying to find? What are we searching for?

4. What do you think is meant by worshiping God in "spirit and truth" in verse 24?

5. Jesus promised that whoever drank His living water would never thirst again (verse 14), yet some Christians still feel like their lives are unfulfilled. Why do you think they feel this way?

### **III. Making it Personal**

- 6. What are some ways people try to fill their lives apart from Christ? Are you guilty of any of these? What will you change?
- 7. Consider the significance of the woman abandoning her waterpot in verse 28. What does that tell us about how our focus changes if we truly find Christ?
- 8. What stood out most to you this week?

## IV. Prayer