

Sunday 19th January

Follow – Week 1 – The Invitation

Lifegroup Notes

Welcome - Talk about one of your favourite bosses, teachers or coaches. What made it easy for you to follow that person?

Word - Explain that tonight we start the "follow" series

- If people who were not Christians were asked to describe a "Jesus follower" what might they say?
- How is the idea that Jesus wants everyone to follow him regardless of what they believe or how they behave comforting? How is it challenging?

Read Luke 5 v.1-11

Refer to the 4 phases of "follow" Leon spoke about Sunday, which were ... Sit and listen ... Inconvenience ... Do something together ... Leave your nets

- Do you identify with any of these phases in your journey?
- What impacts you from this story?
- What risks do you associate with following Jesus? How can they cause you to hesitate?
- What is one thing you can do this week to follow Jesus more closely? How can the group support you in this?

Worship & Works - Finish by praying for each other that you would be closer "followers" this week. Pray for those you know who are not yet followers, what can you do to help them take a next step? How about giving them an 'invitation' to the "follow" series?



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