**Group Leader Guide – February 2nd, 2025**

**Group Announcements:**

* Baptism Sunday – Feb 9th, 11 am service
* All In Express – March 2nd, 2025 (All 4 weeks in 1 afternoon) – lunch provided
* PNW Women’s conference – March 20-22; register on winacity.com/calendar
* If you would like to Host a group in the next season let your group leader know and attend the next training

**Attendance:**

* Group leaders please submit your attendance by person’s name through our Leader Tools page [winacity.com/leader-tools](https://winacity.sharepoint.com/sites/LFCMinistries/Shared%20Documents/Life%20Groups/LG%20Curriculum/Sermon%20Notes/Oct%202024/admin.winacity.com/leader-tools) - no later than the day after your group meets

**FELLOWSHIP:**

During this time, you may plan for food. This could be anything from just snacks to a full dinner.

Use your group chat and create a place where people can be informed of the times for your group and also what to bring for food.

Games are also appropriate. Youtube and Google have many games listed that you can choose from.

**WARM UP:**

As a starting point for your group discussion, you may want to ask some questions that will get people talking and help share about themselves.

* When you think about yourself… what are some funny ways you are different than other people? Do you have any hidden talents or weird quirks? – 10 min total time for discussion

**LEARN IT:**

Read **–** Leviticus 20:7

*You shall consecrate yourselves therefore and* ***be holy, for I am the Lord your God.****.*

Read – I Peter 1:15-16

*but like the Holy One who called you,* ***be holy yourselves also in all your behavior;***

Growing up, was there a set of rules in your family? Tell a story of when you disobeyed.. what were the consequences?- Allow 3-5 min for discussion

Leader Note: Holiness is not a static list of rules but it is a result of obedience to God

**SHARE IT: Set Apart in Wonder**

**Read**: John 17:22

*“The glory which You have given Me* ***I have given to them,*** *that they may be one, just as We are one.*

God’s will for you is to be a reflection of His glory. Do you feel like your every day life reflects God’s glory. Has there been a time when it did? Share briefly 3-5 min discussion

**Leader Note:** Being set apart or different than the world should NOT be shameful

**LIVE IT: Set Apart over the Power of the enemy**

 The miracle of the Red Sea didn’t take place until Israel was fully on the other side of it and fully separated from the Egyptians. Some of us want victory over the enemy but we are still too close and entangled with the world. Authority over the enemy in our lives comes when separate ourselves from the world. Do you feel like you have an area of your life where you need to separate yourself from the way of the world? Allow 5-10 min for reflection and prayer (may be turn on some worship music)

**PRAY:**

**Use a group chat (WhatsApp, Messenger, Instagram etc.) and add everyone in your group. Post your groups prayer requests here during your meetings and through the week. Encourage everyone to pray for the needs daily. You may also post or do video live as a daily encouragement for everyone like scripture verses, encouraging thoughts, spontaneous hangouts etc.**

* **As people share from the last question allow for some time of reflection and prayer. Surrender to God and His ways mean separation from the world and more realized authority over the enemy in our personal lives”**
* give each group member a chance to pray for any other needs
* Share testimonies with each other; you may send them to stella@winacity.com so we can encourage the church

**Suggestion:**

* You may lay hands on people who need prayer after you have asked for permission.
* You may also take communion together
* If you have the space and availability, you may do a time of worship

**Suggested timeframes for your group:**

* 20-30 minutes for fellowship
* 10-15 minutes for Warm up
* 30 minutes for the study
* 10-15 minutes for sharing needs and prayer