

SEPTEMBER 20, 2020

Groups Sermon Guide

John 17:20–23

- Remember that groups are a place to practice what is preached.
- Pray together for the Holy Spirit to open your eyes to behold wonderful things (Ps. 119:18) as your group meets with the Lord.
- Ask a group member to read **John 17:20–23** out loud.
- How have you experienced the “oneness” that Jesus is praying for here?
- Ask the Holy Spirit to reveal to you people or moments where you have not been gracious or given the benefit of the doubt. Make it a priority to seek them out and own your part at some point this week. Ask the group for prayer and accountability for this.

Weekly Questions for One Another

- What is God saying to you in this Word, in the sermon, and in your walk with Him this week?
- What is God telling you to do? How can we as a Group be part of giving you courage to obey?
- How can we pray for you? For your neighbors?

For more ideas and guidance, see our Groups resources, [Keeping Community Amid the Pandemic](#) and [Continuing Community During the Pandemic](#), as well as our [Fall 2020 Rhythms Guide](#) and [video on the realities of groups during COVID-19](#).