



# “Return on Investment”

## WEEK 1

### A NOTE TO LEADERS

The purpose of your CommUNITY Group is to build community amongst the members of your group. This is not a Bible study (although reading the Bible is allowed!), it is a place for members of our church to come together to get to know one another better and to encourage one another as each one seeks to navigate life as a follower of Jesus. **If your group finds a way to build community/ have meaningful conversation about life and faith without using the questions below, go for it!** A meal together at a local restaurant or a service project together are perfectly acceptable options!

### WELCOME / PRAY

Welcome to CommUNITY Group! Take a few minutes to catch up on how this past week has gone for everybody. Then ask if anyone would be willing to pray for God to move during your discussion and to open your hearts and minds to the truth of His Word. If no one is comfortable, its all yours leader!

### DISCUSS

- 1) Aaron's first point in Sunday's message was that "We never waste anything, we invest everything." Looking back over your life, what are some of the things you have invested yourself in the most?
- 2) Read Ephesians 5:15-20. What are the two ways to live that are highlighted here (wise vs. foolish) and what are the characteristics of each?
- 3) Aaron's second point was that "We receive a return on everything we invest." What is one investment you've made with your life that produced a great return? What about one that didn't?
- 4) Read Galatians 6:7-9. How do we see the truth of "You will always harvest what you plant." in the world around us today?
- 5) Aaron's third point was that "The best returns come when we invest in ways that bring God glory." What are some of the ways we can invest our lives for God's glory?
- 6) Read Mark 8:34-37. What do Jesus' words here teach us about the investment of our lives?
- 7) Read Exodus 4:1-5. God asked Moses what was in his hand and ultimately used that item for His glory and for others' good. What's in your hand? What resource do you have right now that God could use for His glory if you would allow Him to?

### PRAY