



COMMUNITY...

Sharing our hearts and lives with each other so we become good friends.

ADVICE! What is the best advice you received regarding work? Regarding marriage?

DREAMS! What's something you've always wanted to accomplish, but afraid to do?

DISCIPLESHIP...

Becoming more like Jesus in our character and skilled at doing life as He did.

Helping others come to Jesus, follow Jesus and lead others to follow Jesus also.

Disciple-Maker's Character (Christ-likeness)

LIVING LOVED: *Choosing to live FROM the Father's love of being fully accepted, unconditionally loved and delighted in, not trying to live FOR the Father's love.*

-Read 2 Cor. 2:14-3:18. What does this passage say about living loved?

Disciple-Maker's Competencies (Life Skills)

DISCIPLING: *Helping a new Christ-follower grow in Christ & disciple others.*

-Help the person you are discipling apply the **GOSPEL GRID** to all of their life.

<u>Question</u>	<u>Issue</u>	<u>Options</u>
What?	Behavior	Do what your flesh wants (sin) or do what God wants (obey)
Why?	Motive	Obey from obligation/duty or opportunity for intimacy/thankful
How?	Method	Try in your flesh or Trust Jesus through the Spirit's enabling
Who?	Source	Your flesh=Self-effort or the Holy Spirit living Jesus' life in you

Accountability & Prayer Break into smaller groups (men & women)

Creating a safe environment to be vulnerable, honest & accountable to each other.

-Share one thing you want the group to pray for you this week. Pray for each other.

MISSIONAL LIVING...

Encouraging each other to serve people inside and outside the walls of Rockpoint.

Living as Fishers of Men: Share who you are praying for where you live, work & play that our Father would bring to personally trust Jesus to save and change their lives.

Rockpoint Missionary: Pray for your Rockpoint missionary.

Sermon Discussion *Use the following application questions from the sermon.*

As you listened to the message, what thought did our Father impress upon you as to how to apply this message to your life? Why?

Big Idea: A ransom was paid. Redemption was made. A relationship was gained. It doesn't matter how far you have fallen, or what has entombed your soul in darkness, the cross and resurrection point to the hope of redemption from our past and on into the future. Have you received it and are you living in the security of His forgiveness? His redemption means you are never too far gone.

Read John 20:1-11; 21:1-25 REDEMPTION

Write down three key thoughts that come from this passage.

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____

PRINCIPLES TO LIVE BY...

Explain in your own words these three statements...

1. A ransom was paid.
2. Redemption was made.
3. A relationship was gained.

Explain in your own words these statements...

1. Jesus' resurrection opens the door for redemption.
 - A. Jesus' resurrection proves how massive God's love is for each of us.
 - B. Jesus' resurrection proves that your sin and the sin committed against you is not the end.
2. Jesus' resurrection opens the door for a relationship.

Why is Easter so important to you?

What does Peter's story of faith, failure and forgiveness tell you about how our Father seeks to relate to you?

How is Peter's story similar/dissimilar to your story? Explain.

What about the Taylor's story can you identify with? Why?