

## COMMUNITY...

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

**SWITCH!** If you could switch places with any Biblical person, who would it be? Why?

**UNGRATEFUL!** How do you react when someone's not thankful for something? Why?

## 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 FREELY:** Jesus Christ, through His death and resurrection and your trusting Him to save you, has set you free FROM God's punishment, condemnation, sin's guilt, shame, rejection and fear. He has also freed you TO experience His infinite love, unconditional grace, enabling power to live a holy life & effectively make disciple makers.

Read John 8:31-36 & Galatians 5:1-16. What do these passages say about being free?

-What do you need to experience freedom FROM (remove from your life)?

-What do you need to experience freedom TOWARDS (add to your life)?

### **Disciple-Maker's Competencies** (Life Skills)

**LEADING:** *Growing in your leading skills to influence, direct & empower others.*

Read Psalm 78:72 & Joshua 1. What do these passages teach about leadership?

-What are some leadership principles that are important to you? Why?

-What is an area of leadership that you would like to grow and develop in? Why?

## **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.*

**Big Idea:** God speaks through the heavens and His Word revealed to us. But are we listening? If we are, we'll see Him as our Rock & Redeemer. Jesus reveals Himself in creation and His Word so we might be forever changed.

### God Speaks, Are You Listening?

Read Psalm 19

#### God Speaks truth in the heavens (*Psalm 19:1 – 6*)

1. Creation reminds me of how huge God is & how small I am. **\*Give an example.**
2. Creation reminds me God is all powerful and in total control. **\*Give an example.**
3. Creation reminds me that I am ultimately responsible to Him. **\*Give an example.**
4. Creation reminds me I have meaning and purpose. **\*Give an example.**
5. Creation reminds me of my redeemer. **\*Give an example.**

**\*Which of these statements is most helpful to you right now in your life? Why?**

**\*Which of these statements do you think we as Americans need most? Why?**

“But for you who fear my name, the sun of righteousness shall rise with healing in its wings. You shall go out leaping like calves from the stall.” **Malachi 4:2**

“He is the radiance of the glory of God and the exact imprint of his nature, and he upholds the universe by the word of his power...” **Hebrews 1:3**

“For by him all things were created, in heaven and on earth, visible and invisible, whether thrones or dominions or rulers or authorities – all things were created through him and for him. And he is before all things, and in him all things hold together.” **Colossians 1:16, 17**

**\*Which of these verses is most helpful to you right now in your life? Explain.**

#### God speaks truth in the perfect Word (*Psalm 19:7 – 11*)

1. **The Word will revive your soul** (*Psalm 19:7a*) **\*Explain**  
“But they who wait for the LORD shall renew their strength; they shall mount up with wings like eagles; they shall run and not be weary; they shall walk and not faint.” **Isaiah 40:31**
2. **The Word will make you wise** (*Psalm 19:7b*) **\*Explain**
3. **The Word will give you joy** (*Psalm 19:8a*) **\*Explain**
4. **The Word will enlighten your eyes** (*Psalm 19:8b*) **\*Explain**
5. **The Word provides hope of eternal transformation** (*Psalm 19:9a*) **\*Explain**
6. **The Word provides righteous guidelines for living** (*Psalm 19:9b*) **\*Explain**
7. **The Word fulfills the desires of my heart** (*Psalm 19:10, 11*) **\*Explain**

**\*Which of these statements about the Word is most needed in your life? Why?**

#### God speaks truth in our hearts (*Psalm 19:12 – 14*)

**\*What has God spoken to you during our meeting? What is He asking you to do?**