



## Week 1 — Gathering

### Icebreakers:

- What's one thing you have become better at over time?
- How long did it take for you to become better at it? Did anyone help you become better?
- If there's one thing you wish to become better at in 2022, what would it be?

### Discussion Questions:

1. What are normal obstacles, barriers, excuses, etc. that often lead people to give up on a goal, a new years resolution or even that one thing they hope to become better at?
2. Have any of the answers given in question #1 happened to you?
3. Why do you go to church? Why do you gather together with others on Sunday morning?
4. Garrett presented a new perspective on the purpose of Sunday gatherings we call church, "We gather to scatter." How does that statement change and/or challenge your current perspective on church?
5. Have someone in group read Acts 2:42-47. In addition to gathering together, what are some other things that you notice this group of Jesus followers devoted themselves to? Do you need to consider becoming better at some of these things too?

### Next Steps:

- Encourage all group members to prioritize gathering together on Sunday mornings.
- Set your alarms!
- Follow up with one another if someone misses a Sunday — not to police each other, but to provide care & community for one another.

*I rejoiced with those who said to me, "Let us go to the house of the LORD."*

— David in Psalm 122:1