

Recap from Sep: Grow

into Christ-likeness as we exercise discipleship



- **Submit to be Christ's disciple**
 - Baptism, membership
- **Become deeply rooted in the Word**
 - Know and understand the Word
- **Develop accountability in a community of grace**
 - Beyond knowing and understanding, to obedience.
- **Make disciples**
 - Shepherd/mentor others to do likewise

Making Disciples in Small Groups

Leading Others to becoming Disciples

- How is the SG growing?
- How is a member in the SG growing?

- Baptism, Membership
- Deeply rooted in the Word – Discipleship Roadmap
 - **D&N: Design for Discipleship series**
 - “Innovative” use of Disciple Bible Study
 - Following Sermon Series
 - Materials and Leaders’ Prep
- Encouraging Accountability (see next slide for recap)
 - Separately or within SG session

Personal Discipleship as a SGL

- How are you growing as a disciple
- How are you growing as a SGL?

- Accountability and Shepherd ing Others
 - Caring for your Soul - Being Cared for and Mentored
 - 2 Feb Retreat - “Encountering Jesus, Empowerment for Service”
 - Mentoring series in 2013 (Rev Dr Tan Soo Inn)
 - Oct – Tony Horsfall
- Skills
 - Caring, facilitation, teaching

Accountability Groups

Spiritual friends journeying together

TRUTHS ABOUT THE CHRISTIAN LIFE ...

We need spiritual friends to affirm and encourage us in our Christian journey.

We need a safe place to share our deepest struggles and confess our sins.

We need others to hold us accountable and challenge us to biblical obedience.

We need others to help us become disciples of Christ.

WHAT IS TAG?

TAG stands for **Trinity Accountability Groups**. These are groups of 3 or 4 believers (of the same gender) who voluntarily commit themselves to journey with each other in their pursuit of spiritual maturity and holiness.

Three basic elements in TAG are **GOD'S WORD, TRANSPARENCY, and ACCOUNTABILITY**.

Believers come together regularly to reflect on God's word, share lives, and encourage one another to obey God in our daily lives.

WHAT DO I DO DURING A GROUP?

Three things to share

1. Your most recent **ENCOUNTER** with God (through bible reading, prayer, people, circumstances and experiences)
2. Your current **STRUGGLE** (with sins, temptations and trials in your life)
3. Your **DESIRE** (dreams, plans and hopes for the near future)