



**WELCOME: WELCOME BACK!!**

Introduce any new guests

**NIGHT OF PRAYER - January 27, 5:30 pm**

Beginning this year we are going to pray together once a month. This will happen every 4th Sunday of the month and our first time is January 27th. Join us at the church campus for an important and special time.

**WOMEN'S EVENT - January 31st**

Bunco Night at Grace. See website for details

**ENCOUNTER GOD**

**Praise and Thanksgiving:**

**Icebreaker: What is one thing you have resolved to do differently in 2019?**

**EQUIP WITH TRUTH**

**Read Galatians 5:16-18**

**The Fact of Christian Conflict (17)**

Paul details the reality that every Christian faces (flesh vs. Spirit)

**Share how you have seen this to be true in your Christian life.**

**Did anyone ever think that the Christian life would mean that we would not struggle against temptation or “the flesh” anymore? Describe how this verse actually helps/encourages you.**

**Read Romans 7:15-25 - Discuss - how can you relate to this?**

**The Way for Christian Victory: (v.16)**

**What does Paul mean by “walk by the Spirit”? [Or: what does the Spirit do for us?]**

Jason mentioned that lost (or unsaved) people walk and act like lost people. **What does that mean?**

**What does it look like for someone in 2019 to “walk in the Spirit”?**

**The command to “walk by the Spirit” is not optional for the Christian. Why is Paul making it so important?**

**How can we help one another “accept the reality of this conflict?”**

**How can we (or should we) honestly begin to deal with the flesh v Spirit conflict?**

**What must we begin doing immediately to “get in step” with the Spirit?**

**Pray**

## **ENGAGE OTHERS**

[A good helpful idea would be to ask someone within the group to own this task. Delegate some responsibility is very important. Ask someone before next week if they might consider leading the prayer time for the next week]

**Pray for Here (needs in the group, around our oikos)**

**Pray for There**

Remember to pray for our missionaries: Rocha family and Tori Puckett - both in Asia  
Remember this week to pray for Sri Lanka and Taylors Valley Baptist Church

## **VISION**

**(Please continue to do this... as it keeps them involved in engaging others)**

Challenge your group to invite others to next week's group meeting and to Sunday morning worship.