



Small Group Celebration Sunday
Romans 12

Romans 15:13: May the God of hope fill you with all joy and peace as you trust in him, so that you may overflow with hope by the power of the Holy Spirit.

Romans 12:1: Therefore, I urge you, brothers and sisters, in view of God's mercy, to offer your bodies as a living sacrifice, holy and pleasing to God--this is your true and proper worship.

Bodies: _____

Living sacrifice: _____

All our _____ accomplish the _____ of God as worship in _____ cultural ways.

Small Group Ministry Vision:

We _____ to be small group communities who love and _____ together as we _____ to live out love for God and others.

Romans 12:9-12:

Romans 12:9a ESV: Let love be _____.

Love requires a _____ commitment to _____ and respecting _____. Robert Jewett

Foundational Postures for Genuine Love:

1. Cling to _____ in hating what is _____ (Romans 12:9b)
2. Showing _____, being _____ to one another. (Romans 12:10)
3. _____ the Lord (Romans 12:11)
4. _____ (Romans 12:12, 1 Thes 5:16-19, Col 1:9)

Taking the time to _____ for prayer in that situation allows us to operate out of our _____, not our _____.

Resources to Open up Conversation with God:

- Bible Recap – <http://www.thebiblerecap.com/>
- Lectio 365 app - <https://www.24-7prayer.com/resource/lectio-365/>

Romans 12:13-21:

- For the _____ Good (Romans 12:13-16)

_____ means “a state of ordered tranquility that is the result of right relationships with God, neighbor, and the whole of creation.”

- _____ with love to _____ (Romans 12:17-21)

People are looking for a _____ way to live than what our culture is _____.

Waite Park Church:

We are the _____ of God called and empowered by the Holy Spirit to _____ ourselves for the glory of God and the _____ of the _____.