FAITH COMMUNITY CHURCH
SMALL GROUP DISCUSSION GUIDE

DATE: November 21, 2026
SPEAKER: Pat Nickerson
TITLE: Making Disciples
SCRIPTURE: Acts 14:19-23

OPENING PRAYER
ICE BREAKER:

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

Read the sermon text

1. How does the text say Paul and Barnabas make disciples?
2. Why do Paul and Barnabas go back to strengthen the disciples?
3. Where else in Acts do Paul and Barnabas revisit these regions? What happens on those occasions?
4. Why do Paul and Barnabas appoint elders?
5. What makes being Christ's witness/disciple-making hard?
6. What makes being Christ's witness/disciple-making a privilege?
7. How have you sought to make disciples?
8. How will you seek to make disciples this week?
9. Why did Paul have such resolve in fulfilling Christ's mission?

APPLICATION

1. What does the sermon text tell you about God?
2. What does the sermon text tell you about mankind?
3. How does the sermon text teach you to live? (Commands to obey, examples to follow/avoid, etc)

Three steps for inductive study:
(1) Observe (What does the text *say?*), (2) Interpret (what does the text *mean?*), (3) Apply (what should I *believe/do* now?)

PRAYER

Pray together
Pray the passage
Pray for eachother
Pray for the church
Pray for the world

CARE

Serve Together
How can you serve eachother?
The church?
The Community?

MONTHLY MEMORY VERSE:

Romans 5:1
"Therefore, since we have been justified by faith,
we have peace with God
through our Lord Jesus Christ."

REMINDERS

Small Group Checklist
- How are you serving together this year?
- Do you have a co-leader?
- Discuss childcare, if needed.

Go through the Announcements in the Bulletin together to see what is coming up at FCC and how you can get plugged in! Here are a couple of those things - all registrations can be found online! www.fccnr.org

HOLIDAY PARADE - If you are interested in walking along our FCC float in the Holiday Parade, please sign up online! There are also opportunities to work in a FCC sponsored Cocoa Station!

LADIES CHRISTMAS TEA - Ladies 5+ are invited to join us for "Fill My Cup Lord - A Ladies Christmas Tea" on Saturday, December 12th from 9-11am. Enjoy this time of fellowship and refreshment to recharge during the holiday season. Register online.

YOUTH CHRISTMAS PROGRAM - All are welcome to join the studio audience and youth are invited to participate! Join us on Sunday, December 13th at 6pm! More information and registration for participants is online!

EVENTS TAB - If you go to our website (www.fccnr.org) and click the events tab, you will find many of the upcoming events and opportunities to help here at FCC! Check back often as things are always being added!