

FAITH COMMUNITY CHURCH SMALL GROUP DISCUSSION GUIDE

DATE: October 4, 2026
SPEAKER: Patrick Mostek

TITLE: Sing
SCRIPTURE: Colossians 3:16

OPENING PRAYER

ICE BREAKER: Share your favorite and least favorite worship song of all time.

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

Read the scripture for today

1. What should the central theme of worship be according to the passage?
2. Why does clarity matter for the messages of our songs?
3. How is singing in church a form of teaching? Have you ever learned something from a song?
4. What might be a danger of focusing on ourselves too much in what we sing?
5. What is the purpose of musicians in Christian worship?
6. How do we know when we are being driven by personal preference? Why can that be a bad thing?
7. Are Christians the audience in worship? Why or why not?
8. How does the identity of the audience change the manner and attitude with which we worship?
9. What advice would you give to a close Christian friend who says, "I just don't feel like singing today."
10. What is one thing that you learned or were reminded of from this passage? How can you apply that to your life?

APPLICATION

1. What is your nagging unanswered question?
2. What did you want to hear that you didn't hear from the message?
3. How can we get to know God as He is and not in the limited way we do now?
4. Think about what most caught your attention in the text or discussion. Why is God catching your attention with this at this point in your life? What does God want you to know or do?
5. What's one thing from this text that you could say to a believer/unbeliever about who God is?

PRAYER

Ask people for specific prayer requests. Pray for needs and for applications of the text. Ask for volunteers who would like to pray for those people and requests.

SHEPHERDING

Check the roster and see who is not there. Does the group know why someone is not there? Are there needs that can be met by the group? Specific prayer requests? Ask for someone to reach out and say, "We missed you."

MONTHLY MEMORY VERSE:

Revelation 5:9
"Worthy are you to take the scroll and to open its seals, for you were slain, and by your blood you ransomed people for God from every tribe and language and people and nation."

REMINDERS

Small Group Checklist

- We suggest you serve 1x every six weeks or so. Discuss ideas.
- Encourage people to invite friends or neighbors to your group!!
- Discuss childcare, if needed.
- Talk about any upcoming group meals or activities.

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

WOMEN'S MINISTRY - Ladies 12+ are invited to our upcoming conference on Fri/Sat, October 16th and 17th here at FCC! This conference is designed to unite generations, honor each season, and show how joy is rooted in God's character through the entire timeline of a woman's life. Register online. (There is no fee for the conference. Catered Lunch will have a fee if interested)

COVENANT MEMBER CLASS - If Faith Community Church is your home, and you want to become a Covenant Member with us, please register for our next class on Saturday, October 24th and we will get you connected to the next steps of completing your journey.

SEASONED SAINTS - If you are a senior in our church family and are looking for an opportunity to connect with other seniors in the church, join us every month for our Seasoned Saints Luncheons - always the 2nd Wednesday of the month from 12-2pm in the cafe.

DONATIONS NEEDED - If your small group is looking for an opportunity to sponsor part of the meal for our youth group on Wednesday nights, please view the sign up online to see what is needed. The pantry is updated often so keep checking back!