

Why Community?

Genesis 12:1-3, Acts 2:42-47 - *John Richardson*

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

- 1) Discuss your most rewarding community experience. What made it so positive for you?
- 2) Discuss your least rewarding community experience. What about that experience was negative.
- 3) How does the nature of God (Father, Son and Holy Spirit) provide a glimpse into the priority of living in community.
- 4) Read Acts 2:42-47. What are the four activities that characterize the early church from verse 42?
- 5) Where do we see these activities in our communities at First Free?
- 6) Verses 44-45 describe how the early church members viewed their property as available for God to use in helping anyone in need. What might this look like in our context?
- 7) How can living in authentic Christian community function as an effective evangelistic strategy?
- 8) What can you do in your group to build this kind of community?