

## LIVE IT OUT

Answer these questions on your own or preferably with others to reflect upon and apply what you've heard.

2. Which part of today's message stood out to you and why?
3. Where have you found great friends and what made them great?
4. Of the three practices mentioned—fun, learning, and serving—which one is most lacking in your life? How can you address that need?

## THE STORY WE'RE LIVING

We **inspire** & **equip** people to follow Jesus **wholeheartedly**, because we believe that following Jesus makes **life better** and makes you better at life... and brings glory to God in the process. Join us!

## THE PATTERN WE'RE FOLLOWING

As Jesus' followers, we aim to follow his teaching and example of a great commitment to the Great Commandment (Love God. Love others.) and the Great Commission (Make disciples.). We shorthand this pattern with **KNOW** God (be with Jesus), **GROW** together (become like Jesus), and **GO** make a difference (do what Jesus does).

## THE APPROACH WE'RE TAKING

We welcome people **wherever** they are on their spiritual journey and **encourage** them along one step at a time.

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# PRAXIS GROW

YOUR NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

**Check in!** You matter to us! We want to know who's connecting at Cornerstone. Open our **Church Center app** (search for it in your app store) and click the **Check In button**, or text **here** to **603-225-2550**. On Site? Printed **Check In cards** are available. For WiFi connect to **cornerstone** with password **Sayyes2003!**



## YOUR GROWTH GUIDE FOR

**CORNERSTONE ON SITE & CORNERSTONE ONLINE**

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 3, 2023

“Why don't we have better friends and friendships in church?”

## CONNECT

### TODAY'S MESSAGE

PRAXIS: GROW, PART ONE • TODAY: FRIENDSHIP  
LUKE 6:12-49

## TAKE A NEXT STEP

Cornerstone's Next Steps are ways to participate in the life of the church and take next steps in your spiritual journey. Indicate your **new** Next Step commitment when you check in.

- **Say "Yes!"** to Jesus as Savior (forgiver) & Lord (leader) daily.
- **Worship** together weekly.
- **Connect** in a small group relationally.
- **Invite** others regularly.
- **Serve** on a team (at least) monthly.
- **Give** consistently.

**KNOW**  
GOD  
**GROW**  
TOGETHER  
**GO** MAKE A  
DIFFERENCE



**say yes • worship • connect • invite • serve • give**

Double-circling "say yes" on your Check-In card indicates you're acknowledging Jesus as Savior & Lord for the first time. Circle any Next Step to indicate a **new** step you're taking today.

**CHECK IN** – Card, app, or text **Here** to 603-225-2550.

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**CONNECT \_\_\_\_\_**  
**TO GROW SPIRITUALLY.**

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He appointed twelve, whom he also named apostles,  
to be with him, to send them out...  
– Mark 3:14 CSB

**SPEND \_\_\_\_\_ HAVING \_\_\_\_\_ TOGETHER.**

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him, to send them out... – Mark 3:14 CSB

**Saying “YES” to Jesus?** Let us know by checking in on the app,  
double-circling “say yes” on your Check-In card, or text YES to  
603-225-2550. Let us celebrate your decision with you  
& resource you for your new life in Christ.

*Remember, relationships happen in the margin. What are you doing to  
create space for relationships?*

**GAIN \_\_\_\_\_ BY \_\_\_\_\_**  
**TOGETHER.**

Students are not greater than their teacher. But the student who  
is fully trained will become like the teacher. – Luke 6:40 NLT

*Think “instruction” when you hear about God’s law (Torah), “skill” when  
you hear learning, and “apprentice” when you hear disciple.*

**FIND \_\_\_\_\_ BY \_\_\_\_\_**  
**TOGETHER.**

One day Jesus called together his twelve disciples and gave  
them power and authority to cast out all demons and to heal all  
diseases. Then he sent them out to tell everyone about the  
Kingdom of God and to heal the sick. – Luke 9:1-2 NLT

*Avoid the traps of youth groups and lectures: receiving without giving,  
and gaining knowledge without opportunity for application.*

**NEXT STEP: CONNECT**

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**HAVE \_\_\_\_\_ WITH SOME PEOPLE IN**  
**YOUR CHURCH THIS MONTH.**

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1. List the people with whom you’d like to spend more  
time.
2. Make an invitation and a plan.
3. Have fun!

“So why do you keep calling me ‘Lord, Lord!’ when you don’t do  
what I say? – Luke 6:46 NLT

I will show you what someone is like who comes to me,  
hears my words, and acts on them:  
– Luke 6:47 NLT

But the one who hears and does not act...  
– Luke 6:49a CSB

...it stands firm because it is well built.  
– Luke 6:48b NLT

...it will collapse into a heap of ruins.”  
– Luke 6:49b NLT