

S M A L L G R O P Q E S T I O N S

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A N N O U N C E M E N T S

Book Drive: The Rock Academy is building a school library and we are in need of book donations. If you have books that you would like to donate to our library, you can leave them at the back of the Rock Church Sanctuary next to the Share Ministry Box, drop them by the Rock Academy, or call for a pick up. Contact the Rock Academy at 858-467-4787 with any questions.

You Too: The desire of *You Too* is to see everyone who attends a Rock Church event, activity or service for the first or second time, have a meaningful personal contact with someone who's been at the Rock longer. Are you new to the Rock? Have you been coming to the Rock but you aren't sure how to get involved? We want to help you get connected! For those new to the Rock, tours are every Sunday at 11 AM at the Information Booth at the back of the sanctuary. No need to make a reservation.

Parking Ministry: During the summer months, many of our volunteers are on vacation. If you currently attend any weekend service, we would love to have you! Help us make weekends a better experience for everyone by lending a hand. Sign up in the back of the sanctuary or contact garyg@therocksandiego.org.

Tijuana House Building: Your group can come together and build a simple shelter for a family in Mexico. Put some action to your faith and plan to join us during any of the following dates: **September 10, October 29, December 3, or January 28**. For more information, contact Ed Crenshaw at 858.571.3427 or tjhousebuilding@therocksandiego.org.

Memory Verse: *“However, when He, the Spirit of truth, has come, He will guide you into all truth.”* **John 16:13a**

Prayer:

Pray for the upcoming Women's Retreat. Pray that finances would come in for those in need. Pray that the women attending the retreat will grow in their relationship with Christ and one another. Please lift up the leaders of the retreat and the main speaker, Nancy Stafford. Please pray for the various volunteer needs – that the roles would be filled.

Connect:

1. Share a time when someone was a counselor/comforter to you. What were some of the characteristics/things he or she did?

Grow:

2. What is the primary role of the Holy Spirit? (John 16:13-14)
3. How do we receive the Holy Spirit? (Ephesians 1:13-14)
4. Why is it important to be led by the Spirit in truth? (1 Corinthians 2:9-15)
5. Who is the Person of truth? What does the Spirit reveal to us about Him? (John 14:16-18,26)
6. How do we abide in the Spirit? (1 John 2:27; Ephesians 4:30) What is the result of us walking in the flesh instead of the Spirit? (Galatians 5:16-21)

Live:

7. When you share the gospel, what is your role? What is the role of the Holy Spirit? (John 16:8-11)
8. What will you do this week to walk in the Spirit? (Do you need to be kind to someone you hate? Do you need to pray for someone you have been jealous of? Do you need to end an impure relationship?)