

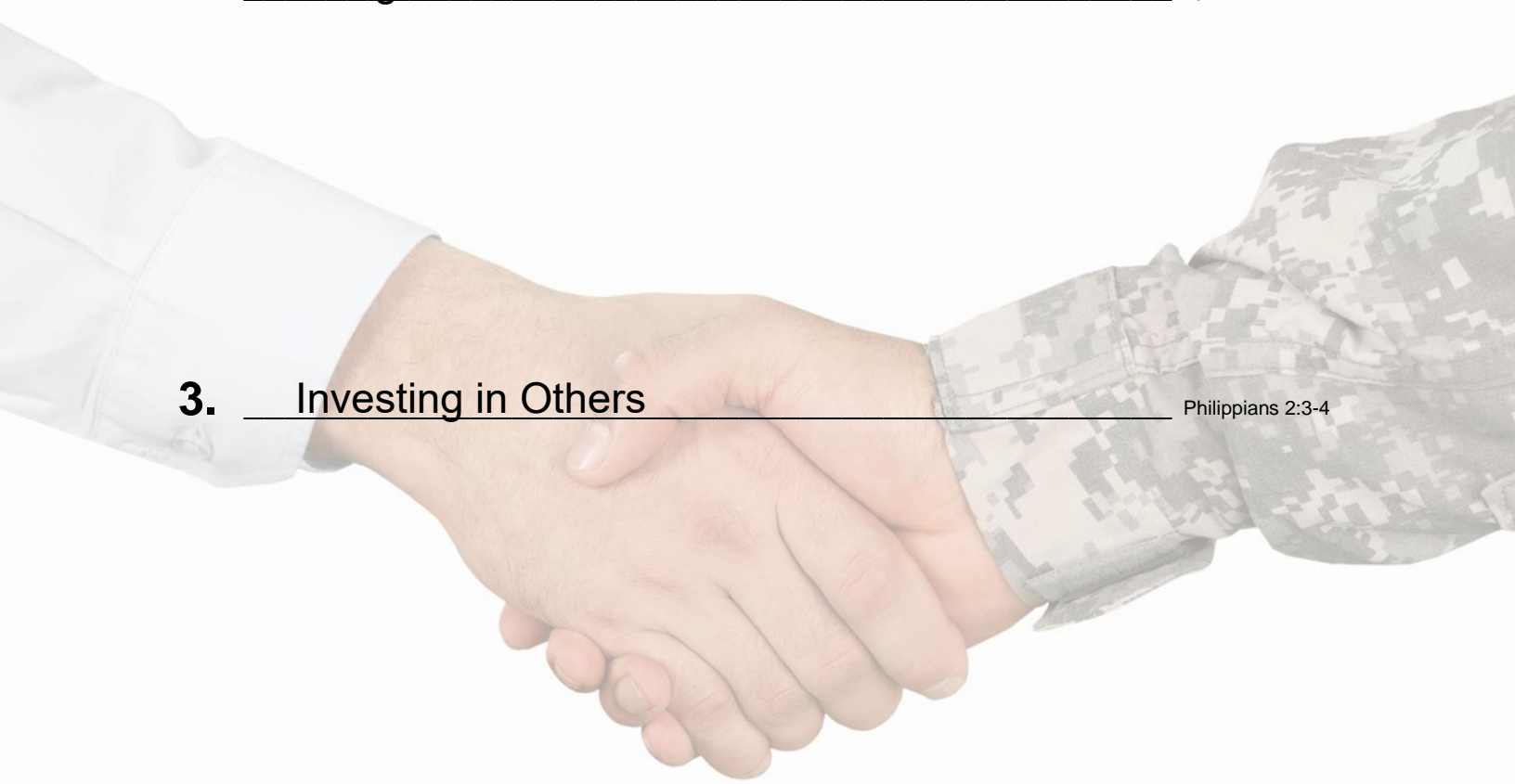
Nice to Meet You

“ What True Community Requires from Us ”

1. Being Available Luke 5:27-32

2. Being Authentic Ephesians 4:1-3

3. Investing in Others Philippians 2:3-4



Grow Group Discussion Questions

A grow group is 8-16 people who get together weekly to study God's word and the previous Sunday's message. There is a time of discussion, support, encouragement, and learning how the message applies to daily life. **PCC uses the ESV (English Standard Version).**

HOW DO I JOIN A GROUP?

To learn more or join a group, visit pacificcoastchurch.org/gg/ or sign up at the patio Info Kiosk.

Point #1

- Read Luke 5:27-32. How difficult do you think it was for Levi to go with Jesus? What did that truly mean for Levi?
- What does Jesus' response to the Pharisees say about the Pharisees? What does it say about Jesus? About us?
- In what ways do you need to be available to how Jesus may be calling you today?

Point #2

- Read Ephesians 4:1-3. Which of the attributes Paul mentions are generally most challenging for you?
- In what spaces in your life do you feel you can bring your whole self? What holds you back?

Point #3

- Read Philippians 2:3-4. What helps you maintain humility in your daily walk?
- What needs in your community do you need to help respond to today? How can you pray for those around you?

Daily Devotions

These are provided for mid-week personal spiritual growth. Prayerfully writing out your answers will help you experience real life transformation as you dig deeper into the spiritual truths of God's word and today's message.

A downloadable PDF of this document is also available each week at pacificcoastchurch.org/sermons.

MONDAY // Read Luke 5:1-11, 27-32

- What do these teachings about Jesus calling His first disciples show you about Jesus?
- What did it cost each of the people?
- What did you 'leave behind' when Jesus called you to come and follow Him?

TUESDAY // Read Matthew 5:14-16, 1 Peter 2:9-10

- What do these words of Jesus and Paul say about His view of us?
- How do these truths impact our calling to make ourselves available to Jesus and to others?
- What unique spaces is Jesus calling you to step into to be a light?

WEDNESDAY // Read Ephesians 4:1-3, Colossians 3:12-17, 1 Peter 4:8-9, Hebrews 10:24-25

- Why did Paul call us to live lives of unity and peace? What specific ways can we be people who promote this?
- What causes divisions in the community?
- How can we tangibly encourage others to remain committed to authentic community?

THURSDAY // Read Mark 5:25-34

- What does this story say about the faith of the woman? What prompted her to go to Jesus?
- What do you think it meant when it says the woman 'told him the whole truth'? Where in your life do you need to come to Jesus with the whole truth?
- How do you help create an environment for others to bring their whole selves to Jesus and others?

FRIDAY // Read Philippians 2:1-11

- How does this example of Christ shape our view of ourselves and others?
- Where in our life do we need to seek greater depths of humility?
- How does a lack of humility impact community?

SATURDAY // Read Acts 2:42-47, 4:32-35

- How does this image of community compare and contrast to your own experiences in community?
- What practical ways can you seek and respond to the needs of others in community?

MEDITATION VERSE: *Let each of you look not only to his own interests, but also to the interests of others. Phil. 2:4*