

Small Group Resources: 20th January 2019

Theme & Passage	Reconciled to Reconcile 2 Corinthians 5:15-21
Welcome	2 Can you think of a movie or book in which two characters are reconciled? Share it with the group.
Worship	Think of the power of God, and meditate on who he is, and what he has done in your life – Use this time to thank Him, count your blessings, and realise His power in your circumstances. These songs may help you reflect on this: So Will I, Hillsong - https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=p2lPg-qS-_w Blessed be your name, Matt Redman - https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=PnWKeHSOXu8
Word / Read and Reflect	Read 2 Corinthians 5:15-21 together, there are some incredible verses so feel free to Lectio Divina. What does this passage say about our identity? What might stand in the way of us embracing this identity? What does this mean for how we live our lives? What situations are in need of reconciliation? <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • In the world • This country • Your life • Your family/friends Time to contemplate, meditate, or pray for each other: What is your ministry of reconciliation? Or Where are you carrying the message of reconciliation?

**Working
it out**

Discuss as a group, how God may use your community to look outward and offer hope and reconciliation to those in need?

If you haven't before or its been a while, perhaps commit to praying for 1-3 friends every day for them to know Christ?

Invite the Holy Spirit into your routine each day, to show you who needs God's reconciliation that day. Ask for boldness to share the good news with them!