

Unless I Am Planted - Life Group Questions

1. The Triumphant Entrance of Palm Sunday was a false finish line. The real finish line of Easter Sunday laid on the other side of the cross. Can you share a time of pain or death or struggle that you now realize God was using for breakthrough?
2. Pastor Dan shared that there is no breakthrough if we aren't planted. But when we allow ourselves to be planted it always produces even more seed. How are some ways that God may be wanting to plant His church (or you specifically) during this time?
3. Read John 12:1-3. Pastor Dan said that Mary was having a love-burst toward Jesus. Can you remember a time when love for Jesus just seemed to explode out from you? What was happening at that time?
4. Jesus stated that wherever the Gospel would be preached the story of Mary's loving generosity would also be told. We are living in a time unlike most others. In the future what stories would you like to hear about how the Church lived during this time? What can you do this week, and in the weeks to come, that will help those stories become a reality?
5. Pastor Dan shared that grief is no stranger to expectancy and that groaning is no stranger to hope. Where are some areas that you are grieving or groaning while also trying to hold onto hope and expectancy?
6. Picture this. Jesus walking the streets around your house knocking on every heart that is isolated from Him. How can you join Him this week as He reaches out in love to those around you?
7. Is there anything in your life that you believe needs to die for you to be planted and experience the breakthrough that God wants to bring?

Spend some time praying for each other specifically around the answers to #5 and #7