Be Still - Life Group Questions

- 1. Many people are viewing this time of social distancing a quarantine as a "pause." We've been encouraged to think of it as a time of transition/transformation instead. How would you describe a transition time? What differentiates a time of transition from a time of pause?
- 2. Pastor Bill said that he believes that our desire to walk in obedience to Jesus' command to follow Him is being refined. In what specific ways have you been sensing Jesus calling you to follow Him during this time?
- 3. Pastor Bill also openly shared some of the excuses that he was using on why he wasn't fully leaning in to God's call to follow in Front Yard Mission (spending time with family, busy schedule, introvert, non-welcoming neighborhood, etc). Can you identify some of the reasons you have used?
- 4. Bill's next step was to create a FaceBook group for his area of FYM. It was simple but had a powerful impact. How can we push back against the common belief that our next step has to be something huge in order to be meaningful?
- 5. In line with that idea of our next step Pastor Vince gave us this question to think about: In light of my past experiences, my current reality, and my future hopes and dreams, what should be my next step? How would you answer that question?
- 6. Pastor Sean talked about the idea of being content vs being discontent. What are some areas of your life where you are wrestling with feelings of discontentment (marriage, finances, children, relationship with God, sickness, guarantine, workplace, etc)?
- 7. Would you say that all of our discontentment is a spiritual issue? Is it due to our being too content with shallow spirituality, too focused on the things of this world (comfort, control, stuff, etc) or something else? What steps can we take to change?

Don't worry about getting through every question; use what works best for your group. Take some time to pray for each other.