

Jesus is Lord

a microchurch that centers Jesus in all things

REFLECTION

TAKE A MOMENT TO REFLECT.

Use 1 Tim 4 to examine what these areas of life might show about Jesus at the center currently. On the right, shade the boxes to reflect how it's going for you.

THINK ABOUT THE MORE UNSTRUCTURED, ORGANIC MOMENTS WITH YOUR MICROCHURCH.

What are the top 3 things that often come up in those conversations and spaces? *E.g Work, Kids, Hobbies, TV shows, etc.* List them in the 3 spaces below.

1 TIMOTHY 4:12

	Profane				Godly
SPEECH					
	Wordly				Holy
CONDUCT					
	Conditional				Unconditional
LOVE					
	Empty				Full
FAITH					
	Compromised				Clean
PURITY					
	Distracted				All-in
FASCINATION					

How often does the name of Jesus naturally come up in your unprogrammed conversations?

CONFESSION & REPENTANCE

ROMANS 12

1 Therefore, I urge you, brothers and sisters, in view of God's mercy, to offer your bodies as a living sacrifice, holy and pleasing to God—this is your true and proper worship. **2** Do not conform to the pattern of this world, but be transformed by the renewing of your mind. Then you will be able to test and approve what God's will is—his good, pleasing and perfect will.

HOW IS YOUR MICROCHURCH BREAKING FROM THE PATTERNS OF THE WORLD

Consider the patterns of the world your microchurch might tend to fall into. What is the way of Jesus that directly confronts some of these patterns and idols? See if you can identify the top 3 your microchurch is currently struggling with, and fill them in on the table to the right.

A CULTURE OF CONFESSION

Think about moments of confession and repentance that you engage in with your microchurch. Which of these options below do you feel most accurately describes the atmosphere of those spaces?



- WALKING ON EGGSHELLS**
Uncomfortable, rushed, even unpleasant or painful
- EATING YOUR VEGGIES**
Not enjoyable or satisfying, mostly done out of discipline
- A GOOD WORKOUT**
Tough or challenging, but feeling good and glad we did it

	PATTERNS / IDOLS	JESUS' WAY
EXAMPLE:	Self-care and self-fulfillment is the way to happiness	Fullness of life comes from laying your life down and self-forgetfulness. Luke 9:23, Luke 17:33
	People who hurt us in certain ways don't deserve mercy	Forgiving our enemies is the way we show that we belong to the Father. Matthew 5:44-45

