How to be a Good Homegroup Member

You might not think homegroup for you. But how about giving it a 'no obligation' try?
Please read through – "What are Homegroups For?" to get a sense of the purpose and ethos
Please read through " <u>How to be a Good Homegroup Leader</u> ' so you can see what the leaders is trying to do.
Ask Belinda or Kathy about the location and times of the different groups. One group will probably be led by Simon at the chapel during the daytime.
Keep your details in the directory up-to-date so that you can be contacted easily
Talk to your group-leader about your preferred 'keeping in touch' method.
You will be sent notes in advance of each meeting. Please read them through. If there is some homework (always easy) try and do it.
Try and arrive on time.
If you are unable to attend, please let your group leader know.
Feel free to send prayer requests to your group leader.
Understand and abide by the 'confidentiality' guidance for your group.
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In the group, don't talk too little.
Be ready to share something about your joys and struggles. (This will develop as the group builds confidence)
Your experiences, your stories, your half-formed thoughts, your questions – are welcome in this group.
Join in the prayer time at the end of the session. If this is daunting – it is fine to write out a few sentences in advance and then read it during the prayer time.
Pray for the people in your group in your personal times of prayer
Feel free to contact members of the group in between meetings to send an encouraging message, or meet up for a coffee, or invite them to your home.