## "How are Things Going?" & Prayer

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- Objective—We need to ask good questions to hear how the discipleship groups are going. The resulting discussion will show us how we can pray and possibly help (perhaps in a follow-up conversation).
- II. **Choose a question to ask**—Since you'll want to leave time for prayer, one question will probably suffice, but you may want to pick a backup question, in case you need it.
  - With regard to the Discipleship Journey, how have you been growing personally?
  - 2. With regard to the Discipleship Journey, in what way do feel like you're struggling or even failing right now?
  - 3. What's happening in your discipleship group that you're thankful for?
  - 4. How would you like to see your group grow?
    - A. To help your group grow, what do you need to trust the Lord for?
    - B. To help your group grow, what is a step you can take?
  - 5. What has been difficult with your group?
  - 6. How can we pray for your group?
  - 7. On a scale from one to ten, how do you feel like your discipleship partners are capturing the vision for being a disciple maker?

## III. Pray

- 1. Make sure to leave time to pray together about what was shared.
- A great option is to print off and use the handout <u>How to Pray for Your</u> <u>Discipleship Group</u>