

LIFE GROUP STUDY- Dr. Harley Ihm
“Just Be Jesus: The Key to Becoming a Break-Out Church”

Icebreaker: (Pass out a sheet of paper. Have the students imagine they are speaking to someone who knows no English. Using only pictures draw something to tell them that you are a Christian.) Explain your drawing.

The church is made up of all who accept Christ as Lord of their lives. Each of us are expected to live in Jesus' behalf until He returns. If each of us focuses our lives and faith on how to be more like Jesus each day, God will provide the power to make it happen. Our church will break out of the ordinary and become the extra-ordinary tool God wants us to be. What can you do to help ensure that this church becomes the next church to break out of the ordinary?

An Encounter with the Word of God

1. Read John 10:1-11. Jesus describes the sheep meaning the people who follow Him. What does Jesus say the sheep do and do not do?

2. In what ways do you see the church you attend listening to and following Jesus?

3. In what areas do Christians ignore Jesus' voice?

4. Read John 17:20-23. Why does Jesus say that it is important for us to become like Him?

5. How do Christians promote unbelief?

6. Jesus prayed that all Christians be united. Can that really be accomplished? If so, how?

7. Read John 17:24-26. Put these verses into your own words.

8. After completing this study what do you think God wants you to do to better “Just be Jesus?”