

# Community & Relationships | Transformed

WEEK TWO | PASTOR BOB JOHNSTON

## God wired us for community.

- ◇ Acts 2:42, 5:42

### Study the Word Together

- ◇ Studying the Bible with other people in a small group may be better than personal Bible Study.

### Fellowship

- ◇ Acts 2:42
- ◇ Koinonia (Greek) means common involvement, relationship.
- ◇ Believers devoted themselves to fellowship.
- ◇ Koinonia is deeper than what happens on Sunday morning.
- ◇ It's fellowship that means involvement in each other's lives.
- ◇ It's more than casual conversations.
- ◇ It's about partnership, about togetherness.
- ◇ Koinonia is God taking diverse and individual strands and weaving them together.

### Care

- ◇ Acts 2:44
- ◇ When you spend time together, you learn to care for each other.
- ◇ Focus on sharing and supporting one another.
- ◇ Hebrews 10:24-25
- ◇ Stir up your gifts and bless others.
- ◇ Discover and release spiritual gifts.

### The Mission

- ◇ Sharing the gospel of Jesus.
- ◇ Acts 2:47

## SCRIPTURES

Acts 5:42

Acts 2:42

Acts 2:44

Acts 4:36-37

Hebrews 10:24-25

Acts 2:47

## TAKEAWAY

This week, take a look at some of the small groups available this Fall and get connected.

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## WARM-UP | Getting Started

What is a skill you have learned during the pandemic? OR What is something you do well?

## GROW | Dive Deeper

1. Pastor Bob said, "In the early church fellowship was more than an activity, it was a priority. What steps can we take to increase true fellowship (Koinonia) among one another?"
2. Read Acts 5:42, Acts 2:42, Acts 2:44, Acts 4:36-37, Hebrews 10:24-25, Acts 2:47. Discuss their importance to the relational health of the believer.
3. Complete a gift assessment to help discover your spiritual gift, then find an opportunity to use your gift this week.

## GO | Apply

Head to [globalkingdom.ca/grow](http://globalkingdom.ca/grow) and get connected with a Small Group this Fall.

