

Small Group Discussion Guide

Pray & Go: Week 7

Sharing Your Story

Scripture: Acts 26:4–23

Big Idea: Our story is God’s story—and we’re meant to share it to help hearts become open to Jesus.

Reflection Questions

1. How does Paul describe his life before meeting Jesus? What stands out to you about his honesty? (Acts 26:4–11)
2. What stands out to you in Paul’s encounter with Jesus? What details make it memorable? (Acts 26:12–18)
3. How did Paul’s life change after meeting Jesus? What changes do you notice? (Acts 26:19–23)
4. Why is a personal story often more powerful than an argument?
5. Why do you think sharing the “messy parts” of our story make our testimony more relatable and powerful?
6. When has someone else’s testimony impacted or encouraged you? What about their story made it meaningful?
7. Pastor MaryAnn said, “A testimony isn’t about being perfect; it’s about being honest.” What does it look like to be honest but not overshare?

Practicing Our Testimonies

Think of a moment when God worked in your life (big or small). Write the topic below. Then work out the details in the Outline.

My Testimony Draft Outline

Before Jesus (or before God worked in this situation):

How Jesus Met Me:

After Jesus (the difference he made):

My One-Sentence Testimony

My 2–3 Minute Testimony Draft

Action Steps

- ☐ Who in your life might need encouragement from your story this week?

- ☐ Commit to praying for boldness and attentiveness to notice an opportunity to share your story.

- ☐ As a group, pray together that God would open doors for each person to naturally share their testimony this week.