



Resources

You're going to crush this LifeGroup leader thing. And here are some resources to help!

You've done it! You've committed to lead a group of people closer to Jesus. Give yourself a high-five! Okay, now you might have a lot of questions—because there are a lot of details to figure out when you start a LifeGroup. *Who is going to come? Where will it be? What will you talk about? How will you keep people coming? What will you feed them?* The list goes on, and it can be overwhelming. The good news is that you're not on your own! For just about every question you have about starting a LifeGroup, there is an answer, and we're here to help.

Q: *Who do I invite to my LifeGroup?*

A: If you don't know who to invite, think about other people who may be in your situation. Maybe you're a single mom, so you think of other single moms to invite. Maybe you're starting college in a new town, so you invite people from your classes. If you're having a hard time figuring out where you fit in, use your LifeGroup to welcome others who need a place to belong. Chances are, whatever reason you have for wanting to start a LifeGroup is the same reason another person wants to be in one.

Q: *Where will we meet?*

A: There are lots of places to have LifeGroup! The most obvious choice is to invite people to meet at your home. If it's not possible to have people meet at your home, see if someone else in your group would like to host. There are some people who were born to host and would be more than happy to welcome your group. And if not, check out the handy **Places to Meet** resource in this box.

Q: *What will we talk about?*

A: If you're looking for something to talk about as a LifeGroup, a great place to start is the Talk It Over guide. You can find it every week at **www.life.church/talkitover** and have a guided, Christ-centered conversation about the latest weekend message. You can also check out your content card to discover more studies that'll help your LifeGroup get started.

Q: *What if I get in over my head?*

A: If God has called you to start a LifeGroup, He will equip you to lead it. You're not alone in leading. The Holy Spirit will guide your conversation, so pray about what God might have you share in group, and trust Him to give you the wisdom you need when you ask for it. It's not all on you, either! Just because you're the leader doesn't mean you're the only person with input. Ask your group to help host, come up with studies, plan the night, or keep everyone organized. Share the responsibility so that everyone in your group gets an opportunity to learn and grow. And if you're in a situation over your head? Reach out to your Community Leader or campus LGLM team.

Q: *Where can I find more leader resources if I get stuck?*

A: You can always reach out to your Community Leader if you need help, and there are other great resources available to you as well! Looking for ways to grow your LifeGroup? Is there someone who never stops talking? Wondering how to be a good LifeGroup leader? We got you! Find great trainings and resources at **www.leaders.life.church/lifegroups**

You can also text LifeGroupContent to **75433** for weekly leader tips delivered straight to your phone.

Bottom line? You have everything you need to be a great LifeGroup leader. And if you run into some obstacles along the way? Reach out. Your Community Leader and LGLM Team are ready to help.