Potential Discussion Questions Message: Know God - Sufficient (9-23-18)

- 1. Describes one or more times when you have felt like "I'm not enough". Or fill in the blank, "I'm not ______ enough? What drives these feelings? How do you handle them?
- 2. How did Paul use the sufficiency of God to address the Gospel to people who didn't know God (Ac 17:24-28)? What clues do you see as to why he chose this approach? How might you use this strategy with people you know that don't worship the God of Scripture?
- 3. We looked at 4 ways God's sufficiency is expressed or worked out in our lives. Which one stood out most to you? Why?
- 4. How have you felt inadequate or not enough to serve the Lord or declare the Gospel? How have you experienced His sufficiency in this? How do you cultivate this in your service?
- 5. Sharing our resources generous stewardship stretches a lot of people. How does Paul teach us God's sufficiency operates in our giving (see Philippians 4:19 and context)? What holds you back most often from generous stewardship?
- 6. Can you recall a time when you gave sacrificially of your resources and came to see God's sufficiency in it? How do you cultivate generosity in light of God's sufficiency?
- 7. We all face times of weakness and suffering. God used Paul's situation of weakness to teach him about HIS sufficiency. Do you recall a time when God has done the same with you? How has that carried over to other aspects of your life or new times of weakness?
- 8. Right now, where do you feel a need to experience God's sufficiency? Share these with each other in the group and then pray for each other.
- 9. How do you practically live and cultivate the sufficiency of God into your daily life? What would you still like to learn or experience in this?
- 10. What else would you like to discuss about this study that hasn't been addressed?
- 11. What is your best take-away from this study?