



# HOME GROUPS

HOME GROUP 1

MONDAYS @ 6PM

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CURRENT STUDY:  
ANSWERS IN GENESIS  
"WE CAN TRUST THE BIBLE"

FELLOWSHIP - BIBLE STUDY - OUTREACH

**Join us Monday nights @ 6PM  
as we dive into scripture and find evidence that  
we can, indeed, trust the Bible!**

**Kids Welcome!**

# The Importance of Core Groups

## Acts 2:38

*<sup>38</sup> And Peter said to them, “Repent and be baptized every one of you in the name of Jesus Christ for the forgiveness of your sins, and you will receive the gift of the Holy Spirit. <sup>39</sup> For the promise is for you and for your children and for all who are far off, everyone whom the Lord our God calls to himself.” <sup>40</sup> And with many other words he bore witness and continued to exhort them, saying, “Save yourselves from this crooked generation.” <sup>41</sup> So those who received his word were baptized, and there were added that day about three thousand souls.*

*<sup>42</sup> And they devoted themselves to the apostles' teaching and the fellowship, to the breaking of bread and the prayers. <sup>43</sup> And awe<sup>[e]</sup> came upon every soul, and many wonders and signs were being done through the apostles. <sup>44</sup> And all who believed were together and had all things in common. <sup>45</sup> And they were selling their possessions and belongings and distributing the proceeds to all, as any had need. <sup>46</sup> And day by day, attending the temple together and breaking bread in their homes, they received their food with glad and generous hearts, <sup>47</sup> praising God and having favor with all the people. And the Lord added to their number day by day those who were being saved.*

## An Overview:

The Body of Christ is made up of many members; all functioning in harmony. That stated, there are many aspects of ministry that form the structure of what the Body is made of, which is the skeleton. Muscles are what do the work. Skeleton and muscles cannot work alone to allow the body to perform. There has to be blood and nerves supplying the energy and the direction. That's where Core Groups come into play. Core Groups innervate and coordinate the movement and quickly work to allow seamless movement. If you look at how nerves are spread through the body, you will notice that it looks like a tree. John 15:5 states *“I am the vine; you are the branches. Whoever abides in me and I in him, he it is that bears much fruit, for apart from me you can do nothing.”* We are called to “branch” and Core Groups help supply the framework.

## Cornerstones:

- Connecting People to Jesus
- Connecting People to His Word
- Connecting People to His Church
- Connecting People to His Mission