## **COMMUNITY GROUP - QUESTIONS ONLY**

Fall 2024 - Welcome One Another - "Fellowship Together" Monday, Sept. 9 - Sunday, Sept. 15 (Week 1)

This week we introduced a new three-week mini-series focused on making the church feel like home through fellowship, serving, and worshiping together. The first message centers on the importance of fellowship, taken from Romans 15:1-7, emphasizing that welcoming one another reflects the grace Christ showed us and how the cross of Christ compels us to open our lives to one another. Pastor McKinney highlighted that the call to open our lives to each other is vital for creating community and should be approached with the same love and acceptance as Jesus demonstrated. This mini-series aims to encourage us to practice these three things to foster a welcoming church culture for the glory of God.

**QUESTION #1:** What are some of the risks involved in opening our lives to others? How does the cross of Christ help us overcome these risks?

**QUESTION #2:** What does it mean to you personally that Jesus welcomed you at your worst? How does this impact your willingness to welcome others?

**QUESTION #3:** How have you experienced the benefits of true fellowship in your own life? Can you share a specific example?

**QUESTION #4:** What is one area of your life where you feel God is calling you to take a risk in opening up to others? How can you respond to this call?

