



Sunday, April 15, 2018 • Olivet Small Group Participant's Guide

"The Great Commission"

Matthew 28:16-20; Deuteronomy 6:4-9

Warming Up

1. What are you thankful for this week?
2. What are you struggling with or stressed about? How can your small group help?
3. How did you do with your "I will..." statements last week? What do you think held you back? What, if anything, propelled you forward? What might you need to do as a result of your response to last week's Word?
4. Did you *tell* anyone what you heard or learned through your small group or worship last week? If so, how did it go? What, if anything, would you do different? If not, why not, do you think?
- *5. What is the connection between these last two questions and the passage for both last and this week?

Digging Deeper

Read again Matthew 28:16-20

6. We noted in the English translation last week that there were four commands in the Great Commission. In reality, in the original language there is *one* command and three ways to carrying it out. What is that one command, do you suppose? How do we carry it out?
7. One way to think about "in our going" is with respect to the "people groups" (*ethnos: literal meaning of "nations"*) with which we spend time. With what two or three groups of people do you spend the most time? What would it look like to "make disciples who make disciples" with those people?

