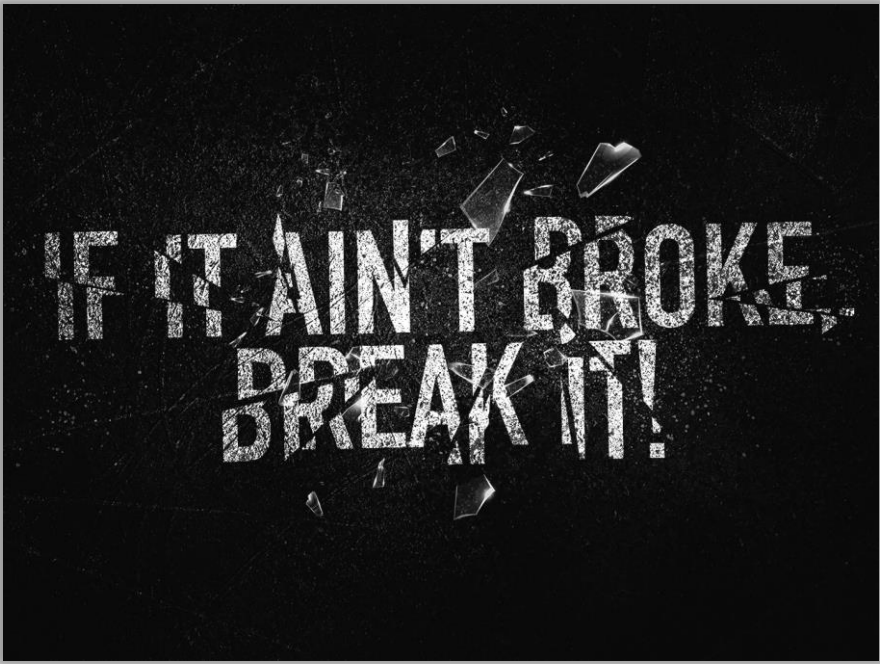




IF IT AIN'T BROKE,  
BREAK IT!

**PART TWO:**  
**BROKEN FOR A PURPOSE**

*Connect Group Discussion Guide*  
*Sunday, November 5, 2023*



**RESTORATION**LIFE  
CHURCH

# BROKEN FOR A PURPOSE

*Judges 7:16–20; 2 Corinthians 1:3–5, 2:14–16, 4:6–7; Romans 8:28; John 12:1–3; Mark 6:32–44; 1 Corinthians 11:23–24; Romans 6:23*

## ICE BREAKER

What was the most recent time you successfully repaired something that was broken? What was the broken item and how did you repair it?

## GOING DEEPER

- 1) What do you think is the difference between being broken before God and being broken by the hardships of life? Are there ways in which walking through times of brokenness be good for us?
- 2) Read 2 Corinthians 1:3-5. What are some potential benefits that we receive when we walk through trials and Christ brings us through safely? What potential benefits are there for people around us who don't know Christ?
- 3) Read Romans 8:28. What message does this verse carry for Christians who are suffering?
- 4) Read Mark 6:32-44. In what ways are our lives like the loaves and fishes in this story?
- 5) How should knowing that Jesus allowed His body to be broken for the sins of mankind affect us when it comes to evangelism?
- 6) What would you tell a brother or sister in Christ if they told you they would like to share Jesus with people, but their too afraid?

## GOD'S TRUTH TO REMEMBER

***Luke 20:18 (NIV)*** - Everyone who falls on that stone will be broken to pieces, but he on whom it falls will be crushed.

## PRAYER REQUESTS

(List prayer requests here so you can pray for them all week long.)

# SERMON NOTES