

# The Cairn

pursuing a clear way



## Fusion

### Fusion Groups

### Questions

(to ask each other)

#### Review the Week (20 mins)

How have you been this week?

What has God been speaking to you about?

What are you thanking God for?

What are you saying sorry for?

How did you act on what God said to you last week?

#### Pray (10 mins)

Pray for each other around the issues raised.

#### Read and Reflect (20 mins)

*Read through passage together.*

Which verse (or verses) particularly strike(s) you?

What do you find helpful or inspiring?

What do you find difficult or challenging?

#### Pray (10 mins)

Pray for issues arising from the passage - what is God saying?

... to you personally?

... more generally?

Who is on your heart to pray for regularly?

... to become Christians?

... to join this group?

Pray for any wider concerns.

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- **Fusion Groups** of 2-3 people (expanding to 5 max), then dividing to make room for more people.
- Meeting weekly (or at least monthly) for an hour.
- No need for a leader (though someone may take a lead).
- Work through New Testament one chapter at a time, starting with Mark (or in some other way you choose). Do this in your own time or, as a minimum, when you come together.
- **Fusion Focus** is an occasional gathering for fellowship and teaching with other groups.

## Why Fusion?

### following the way of Jesus -

**Fusion** is first and foremost for Christians who are thirsty for connection with other followers of Jesus.

### bringing others to Jesus - Fusion

also recognises that evangelism is an essential component of discipleship, So we seek to integrate those we pray for into our groups (even if this is an inconvenience to ourselves - cf Mark 6:34).

**meaningful community** - we live in a fragmented society where regular fellowship with other Christians is hard to achieve, unless there is a clear commitment to meet, and at a realistic time for those involved.

**'2 or 3 gathered'** - Jesus promises to be in our midst whenever two or three are gathered in His name. This is a minimum requirement for church. **Fusion** gives a framework for rooting our busy lives in Christ.

**fellowship and accountability** - time spent with other believers is a vital Biblical principle (eg Acts 2:42), as is the need for honest, accountable relationships (eg James 5:16).

**prayer** - Jesus encouraged us 'always to pray and not lose heart' (Luke 18:1). Persistent, persevering, believing prayer is fundamental to our call as Christians.

**'sacred writings'** - in today's fast-shifting world, familiarity with our 'sacred writings' (the Bible) 'which are able to make [us] wise for salvation through faith in Christ Jesus' (2 Tim 3:15) has never been more vital.

**Fusion Focus** - an occasional gathering with others sharing on this journey, for mutual fellowship and encouragement, and for 'instruction in sound doctrine' (Titus 1:9) as we seek to follow together in the way of Christ.