

From sermon on Jan. 8th & 9th

Vision Living in Community

Text: 1 Peter 2:4-5

Purpose: It's in the midst of a community that God grows us and heals us. We are called, not to ourselves, but to each other and in that we flourish.

Opening Question: *Are you a person who enjoys people or would rather be by yourself?*

Read and Discuss: 1 Peter 2:4-5

- 1. How is Jesus a Living Stone in our lives? What does it mean to build our life on Jesus?*
- 2. What does Peter mean that we are Living Stones? Describe the picture of living stones?*
- 3. How do we grow in community?*
- 4. What ways have you grown over the past year in a small group?*
- 5. What fears do you have about community?*
- 6. What's the difference between kingdom relationships and earthly relationships?*