Community

Teen Challenge Core Value #3

1. **What is community?** 
   1. Community is a \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ who share many things in common: values, goals, activities, and relationships.
   2. Jesus’ community was His \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. Mark 3:13-14a
   3. Jesus promised to build a community called the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. Matthew 16:18 **The \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_is our primary example of community.**
2. **A community learns together.**
   1. The disciples learned from Jesus when He \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ them,
   2. The Early Church learned from the apostles’ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. Acts 2:42
   3. Teen Challenge staff learn together in staff \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.
   4. In Teen Challenge, students learn together in \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, and small \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

3. A **community works together.**

1. People \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ through the experience of working together.
2. Jesus’ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ worked with Him.
3. The Early Church worked together to serve their \_\_\_\_\_\_\_*.* Acts 6:1-6
4. In Teen Challenge work programs, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ work together.

4. A **community supports one another.**

1. The Early Church supported one another by \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to meet needs. Acts 2:44 & 45
2. In a Christian community we support one another by: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_ one another. Eph. 4:29; Rom.15:2 \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ one another. 1 Thess. 5:11; being \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to one another. Eph. 4:32

c. In Teen Challenge, students are supported through one-on-one \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and in small \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

5. **A** **community practices accountability.**

1. Jesus sent His disciples out and they ­\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ back to Him. Mark 6:30
2. Paul and Barnabas reported back to the Early \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ at Antioch. Acts 14:26-27
3. Teen Challenge staff \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the students in every setting.
4. At Teen Challenge, accountability includes \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

6. **A Christian community seeks God together**.

1. In a time of need, the Early Church \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ together. Acts 4:23-24
2. In Teen Challenge, we seek God together in chapel, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ prayer, and Spiritual Emphasis \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

7. **A community develops relationships**.

1. Jesus’ disciples developed relationships with \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.
2. Relationship words in Early Church are “\_\_\_,\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_,\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_,\_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.” Acts 2:42-47
3. In Teen Challenge, students develop Christian \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ with other students.
4. Teen Challenge staff \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ relationships with the students.

**Community: a group of people who share values, goals, activities, and relationships**.

8. **What can you do to help build community in your TC ministry?** Learn, work, support, be accountable.