

## **INTRO**

Do you find prayer easy or hard? Why?

#### DISCUSSION

#### Read John 17

- 1. What is Jesus prayer for the disciples and for us? (Vs. 23) Why is this Jesus' prayer? (Vs. 23)
- 2. Do you think unity in the church is possible and/or important? Why or why not?
- 3. How does Jesus prayer here help us understand how to achieve unity? (Vs. 21-22)
- 4. What will happen as a result of unity? (Vs. 21) What will happen if we do not work towards unity?
- 5. Jesus final words are that he has overcome the world in vs. 33, how does that information give you peace?

### APPLICATION

Mike made several points for working towards unity. Which one can you work on?

Pray like Jesus

Decide not to be a part of division

We need to be humble

Avoid contentious people

# **PRAY**

Share prayer requests and pray for each other.

