

## What is a Disciple? Discussion Questions

## THE CONVERSATION

- Begin by taking some time to wrestle with the question, "What is a disciple?"
  - How would you define who a disciple is?
  - What would you say are the practices or habits of a disciple of Jesus?
  - How do you sense Jesus is inviting you to join him in making disciples who make disciples?
- In their conversation, Nate, David, and Alan shared three elements that they believed made for a solid definition of a disciple. (Those elements were relational, transformational, and missional.) As you process those three, what would you say those elements look like in a growing disciple?
- As Brian Kannel shared about what their church did to align the ministries of their church around their definition of a disciple, what did you learn about what it might take for your church to realign your ministries around your definition?
- If you were to begin to critique the ministries of your church around disciple making, what could that process look like for you? What would the benchmarks be that you would use to evaluate your ministries effectiveness? Over your year, when would be the best time to critique your church in this way?
- Who could you partner with in your church to better understand where your church is at in defining disciple making and to build relationships to help change happen?