

# Small Group Questions

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*Week of Sunday, January 28th, 2024*

## Launch

Describe a season of great personal or spiritual growth in your life? What happened?  
What are your most vivid memories of this season of your life?

## Observe (READ Exodus 18:13-26)

1. What was the burden that Moses was facing? What advice did Jethro give?
2. How did Moses implement the “Jethro Solution?”
3. What was the result?

## Process (READ Acts 6:1-7)

1. What are the parallels between the situation facing the early church in Acts 6 and Moses in Exodus 18?
2. What are the similarities in the solutions?
3. What is the relationship in both scenarios among God’s people between the “ministry of the Word” and the “ministry of needs”, or of “service?”

## Respond (READ Acts 6:8-15)

1. How has the mission of the modern church at times lost this necessary integration?  
Can you think of examples of churches where the Ministry of the Word has no practical outworking in meeting needs? Similarly, can you think of examples of “churches” where human needs are met, but the Word of God is neglected or entirely absent?
2. Where has GBC been faithful here? Where do we lean? How can we grow?

3. As an individual, or even as a group, what might it look like to serve others for the sake of opportunity to share God's Word, or where have or might conversations about the Lord opened up possibilities to meet practical needs?