

## The Door of Easter: What Jesus Opened on the Cross

### Part 1: Forgiveness

#### Small Group Curriculum

#### Worship

Listen to a Worship song (If you need suggestions you can use one from the YouTube Playlist for this week) or express something that you are thankful to God for.

#### Welcome

1. Check In – What do you like the most about Easter?
2. Do you forgive easily?

#### Word

3. One of the last statements that Jesus made on the cross was ““Father, forgive them, for they know not what they do.” Luke 23:34
4. What was Jesus teaching us about forgiveness on the cross?
5. Read: Matthew 18:21-35
6. Why do we want to put a limit on forgiveness?
7. What stands out to you from the parable Jesus tells.?
8. Why do we often struggle with forgiveness?
9. How can you help someone who is struggling with unforgiveness?
10. How can we put this teaching into practice?

#### Prayer

1. Thank God for the forgiveness we received through Jesus’ sacrifice on the cross. Pray that we would be forgiving people.
2. Pray for any other concerns that your group has.

#### Witness

How can forgiveness effect the presenting of the gospel?