CENTRAL	Voices: Who Are You Listening To? - Come & See
- $\Box$ -	Our job is simply to invite people to experience Jesus for themselves—He'll take care of the rest.
ICE BREAKER	What's something you've experienced that was so incredible, words couldn't do it justice? (Examples: Grand Canyon, holding your newborn, a perfect sunset, an amazing concert)
MAIN POINTS	<ul> <li>Some things you just can't describe—you have to experience them to understand them</li> <li>Simple invitations can lead to significant conversations</li> <li>Philip's job was to get Nathanael to Jesus, then get out of the way</li> <li>You don't have to judge, change, convict, or have all the answers</li> <li>Your Story Is Your Most Powerful Tool. Anyone can share their story in three simple parts: <ul> <li>Before Jesus: "This is who I was"</li> <li>Meeting Jesus: "This is how Jesus found me"</li> <li>After Jesus: "This is who I'm becoming"</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
DISCUSS	<ol> <li>Why did Philip use "Come and See" instead of arguing with Nathanael about his prejudice against Nazareth? What does this teach us about sharing our faith?</li> <li>Shan said, "Outcomes aren't your responsibility, faithfulness is." How does this take pressure off when it comes to sharing your faith? What might change if we truly believed this?</li> <li>Think about your own story. Can you briefly share your "Before Jesus," "Meeting Jesus," and "After Jesus" in 2-3 minutes? (Practice with the group if comfortable)</li> <li>What fears or obstacles keep you from inviting people to "Come and See"? How does Philip's example address those fears?</li> <li>Shan mentioned that 80% of people would say yes to a Christmas service invitation. Who is one person God has put on your heart that you could invite to experience Jesus—whether through church, coffee, dinner, or another setting?</li> <li>Shan challenged us to spend less time on news/social media and more time building relationships with people who don't know Jesus. What's one practical change you could make this week to create space for these relationships?</li> </ol>
NEXT STEP	Identify one person this week whether a neighbor, friend or coworker that you can invite to "Come & See".
SCRIPTURE	John 1:45-46 Philip found Nathanael and told him, "We have found the one Moses wrote about in the Law, and about whom the prophets also wrote—Jesus of Nazareth, the son of Joseph." "Nazareth! Can anything good come from there?" Nathanael asked. "Come and see," said Philip.
NEXT WEEK SNEAK PEAK	Join us next week and invite a friend as we continue in the the series Voices: Who are you Listening to?

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