

House Group and Individual Study | **Stewardship: Time and Talents**

1 Peter 2:4-12: 1 Corinthians 12:12-24 and Romans 12:1-18.

1. Swedish bible study method

Begin by praying, asking God to speak through his word. Read each of the Bible passages above. It might help to read them slowly aloud. While reading, be on the lookout for three things:



Something that 'shines' from the passage—whatever impacts most, or draws attention.



Anything that is difficult to understand in the text, or a question you would like to ask the writer of the passage or the Lord.



Personal application for your life - what have I learned, what will I do about it?

2. Additional questions to help you think:

If in a home group, split into 3 to look at these three passages, otherwise read each one: (i) 1 Corinthians 12:12-24; (ii) 1 Peter 2:4-12 and (iii) Romans 12:1-18 and then answer the following questions:

6. What models do they give us for the people of God?

7. Which one(s) do you identify with best?

8. How as a church can we become more like this?

9. What can I/ we do to help to bring this about?