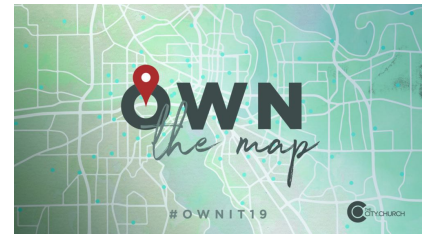


# Own The Map #OwnIt2019

*Stop Going to Church*



## ***Getting Started***

- **Highs and Lows:** Ask your group what their high point and low point of the week
- **Icebreaker:** What are you thinking will be your word for 2019?

## ***Setup***

- Welcome & Prayer

## ***Key Questions***

- **Recap:** What's your favorite part of being in a church family?
- **Big Idea:** *"Stop going to church, instead get planted in church."*
  - On Sunday, Pastor Blake shared that we were not called to simply "go" to church but that we need to be planted in church.
    - What does it mean to be planted in church? How can you do this at City.church?
    - What does it mean to flourish?
    - How has being planted in a church helped you flourish?
  - Pastor Blake shared 3 ways you can become planted in a church
    - **Some Assembly Required**
      - Why is it important to assemble with other believers regularly? What happens if we do not meet regularly?
    - **Gather To Go**
      - How does your church family empower you to go and reach the world around you for Christ?
    - **Setup The Tent**
      - Church is not about you. Do you agree with this? Why?
- **Next Steps:** *"Deep root produce lasting fruits"*
  - Pastor Blake talked about the importance of having deep roots in our spiritual life.
    - How do you establish deep roots in your church family?
    - How can you help others establish deep roots?
    - Why is it important to allow our roots to intertwine with our church families?

***Optional Questions*** – *If needed, include one or more of these scriptures and questions to extend your conversation.*

- Read Joshua 18:1 aloud. In this passage, the writer is describing the Israelites current situation as they were preparing to flourish.
  - What area of your life are you currently waiting on God to help you flourish in?
  - What are some next steps you can take this week to get planted so God can make you flourish in your life?

**Announcements:**

- Announce time and place of the group next week
- Announce the Serve-day on Nov. 10th | Discuss which opportunity you will do.
- Announce the two service times (9:30 & 11:15) and invite your group to attend with you.