

- 4 Read Romans 5:1-2, which makes clear that our faith in Jesus brings us peace with God.
- A What words do you think describe our relationship to God BEFORE we come to faith in Him?

 - B What do you love most about the peaceful relationship that Jesus has restored with God?

 - C We who have found peace with God through faith in Christ are uniquely qualified to help others find that same peace with Him. What are the names of some people in your life who need to find that peace with God? Pause for a minute in your group and pray for the salvation of these people.
- 5 Read Romans 12:17-18.
- A The goal is clear – to “live at peace with everyone.” What does that look like? What does it take for that to happen?

 - B The first part of verse 18 (“...if it is possible, as far as it depends on you...”) makes it clear that there may be limitations to your ability to live at peace with everyone. What are some of those limitations?

6 Discuss this phrase: "A true peace-seeker must be a forgiver."

A Do you think it's true? Why, or why not?

B Why is it so difficult to truly forgive others?

C Why is forgiving others so valuable? What are some of the benefits?

D Is there anyone in your life with whom you were NOT at peace in the past, and with whom peace has been restored? What happened to bring about the change?

7 True peace is rare in today's world. If we were to become a church full of peace-seekers, how might it impact our ministry? What doors might it open?

8 In what new ways do you hope to be a peace-seeker because of this study?