

And let us consider one another in order to stir up love and good works, <sup>25</sup> not forsaking the assembling of ourselves together, as is the manner of some, but exhorting one another, and so much the more as you see the Day approaching (Hebrews 10:25, 26).

Hello leaders, co-leaders, hosts, apprentices and leaders in training:

### [Keep Connecting!](#)

Whatever it takes...Keep Connecting! Email, phones, social media. Whatever it takes. You need it and your people need it. Connection is vital. Don't trip over technology. Use whatever technology you know—and are comfortable with—to stay connected. In the meantime, keep learning what you can about Zoom. Zoom is our go-to tool for connecting with you. We found out this week you can make a phone call into the Zoom meetings if you are having trouble with the video portion.

We love you. We are here for you. Reach out to us if you need any help. And remember—Progress...Not Perfection.

You Can Do This!

### [Zoom Next Steps](#)

This past week we enjoyed sitting down with nearly 60 of you leaders in our first-ever Zoom Leader Community! It was a refreshing time of connection and discussion and we hope YOU can join us next week!

In the meantime, check out this video. It will help you learn how to navigate the on-screen controls of Zoom (Thank you Rod Gray!):

<https://support.zoom.us/hc/en-us/articles/201362603-What-Are-the-Host-Controls->

If you find a really helpful video, article or tip on how to use Zoom, feel free to send it to us and we'll work on sharing it here!

Sign Up for Weekly Small Group Texts?  
Text "SGLEADERS" to 555888

### [Zoom Leader Community \(this past week\)](#)

For those of you who weren't able to make the Zoom meeting, we have great news for you! We recorded it for you! Below are the video recording and the audio-only recording. Take a look and see what you missed (simply click on the link):

Video Recording: [Click Here](#)

### [Zoom Leader Community, this coming week!](#) [Theme of the week: "Screen Sharing" & "SMERFs"](#)

This week, we will have our second Zoom Leader Community for any and every leader, co-leader, host, apprentice, table leader and leader in training who is available to attend. Our ongoing commitment is to stay connected with one another and continue resourcing you for our New Normal of small group leadership. Bring your questions, concerns, and stories of connection. Below are the details for both meetings:

Monday, April 20, 6:30-7:30pm.

Join URL: <https://zoom.us/j/97032893856>

Password: 782913

Thursday, April 23, 1:00-2:00pm

Join URL: <https://zoom.us/j/91310083771>

Password: 398290

### All Small Groups Have Been Removed From Online Promotion

This means that we are not actively advertising ANY small group online (i.e. on the SMCC website). With the season end coming up, and with the quarantine still in effect, we don't want to confuse or overwhelm you (or anyone else). For the time being, all new small groups inquiries are going through Online Campus with Rod Gray.

### Stay Connected To SMCC

1. Sign up for digital/online giving: [click here](#).
2. Watch the livestream of church services on our website, [click here](#).

We BELIEVE in you.

Therefore, if anyone is in Christ, he is a new creation; old things have passed away; behold, all things have become new (2 Corinthians 5:17 NKJV).

**Lead well,**

**Pastor Dale, Bethany, and Melissa**