

Community Group Questions Summer Stories – New Wine, New Wineskins

1. Ice Breaker

• Generally speaking, which do you lean more towards, that which is new or old? Can you give examples?

2. Discussion Questions

- **Read Luke 5:33-39** What was Jesus using new cloth, old cloth, wine and wineskins to illustrate? What was the point he was trying to get across?
- More than starting a new list of rules to live your life by, Jesus was setting in motion a new way for your heart to be transformed by Him. Why is the heart more important to Christ than following rules?
- Becoming more like Jesus is a process not an instant transformation. What about the process is hardest for you? How can the group help with that transformation?
- In what ways are we tempted to "mix" old religious habits with the new life Jesus offers?
- Jesus' new way of living turns every day moments into ministry moments. What ministry moments can you begin to experience?
- How do you respond to the idea that Jesus wants to use you to help others meet Him—even in ordinary situations?