

# Home Gathering Hosting Guide

*[A Summit home gathering](#) is a weekly meeting of Summit members and guests, in homes, where we worship Jesus through **singing, teaching, and fellowship** with one another, in order to make disciple-making disciples in RDU and around the world.*

**Date** | October 17-23

**Access** | Join us LIVE on Sunday at 9 or 10:45 a.m. via [live.summitchurch.com](https://live.summitchurch.com) or [On Demand on YouTube](#) starting at 1 p.m. on Sunday.

## **Coaching Tip | Before Pressing Play**

- Ask someone in the group to begin your time together in prayer. Ask God to speak to you today through the teaching of the Word.
- Do your best to remove distractions, and have your Bible and notebook ready!

## **Coaching Tip | Welcome**

- Check out our 'How to Be a Great Host' videos below for tips on intentional hospitality!
- If you have guests in your home, encourage them to text WELCOME to 33933 so that someone from our staff can follow-up with them and get them connected to the life of our church!
- ***This Week's Announcements*** | Interested in getting baptized? Text BAPTISM to 33933 and someone from your campus will reach out to you.

## **Coaching Tip | Singing**

- As awkward as it may feel, encourage your group to sing out loud! Crank up the volume and model what it looks like to worship right where you are. It may be helpful to ask your group to stand.
- While the lyrics are on the screen, you could also pull up the lyrics on your phone or print them out beforehand to encourage participation!
  - ***This week's worship set list*** | Agnus Dei/King of Kings, Man of Sorrows, Graves into Gardens

## **Coaching Tip | Teaching**

- [This week's title and passage](#) | Special Guest: John Mark Comer

### **Coaching Tip | Respond**

- *Pray* | Before we head into the last song, encourage people to use this time to pray alone or with each other in response to today's message.
- *Worship* | Worship is a response to Truth, so in light of today's message, sing and proclaim the character of God back to him!
- *Surrender* | Did anyone in your group surrender to Christ for the first time? Be sure to celebrate and pray with them. Encourage them to text READY to 33933 so someone from our staff can follow-up with them and help them take their next steps.
- *Share* | Was today's message impactful to you? Share it with a friend! Visit [youtube.com/TheSummitChurchRDU](https://youtube.com/TheSummitChurchRDU) and share it on your social media or copy the link and text it to a friend!

### **Coaching Tip | After Pressing Stop**

- The beauty of already being in a smaller gathering is it gives you the chance to discuss today's message with one another before heading home! **Take a few moments to ask these questions to one another and create space for discussion:**
  - How did today's message impact you personally? What stuck out to you?
- Invite one another to share prayer requests and spend some time in prayer before you go.
- You are sent!

## **How to Be a Great Host**

1. [How to Make Your Home a Place for Intentional Hospitality](#)
2. [How to Avoid Creating Your Own Host Home Horror Story](#)
3. [How to Keep It Simple](#)
4. [Why Do We Require Hosts to Get a Background Check?](#)

## **Additional Resources**

[Home Gathering Guiding Principles](#)

[Summit Worship Spotify Playlist](#)