



## Discussion Guide for “Diversity”

### *Catalyst Together Week 2*

‘Diversity’ has become a buzz word in more and more churches. But it’s not just the trend of the day. The whole Bible, from Genesis to Revelation, reveals that God has called us to be a diverse body from the beginning, united but not uniform. How can we as a church embody God’s call to diversity better?

#### **Scriptures for Further Reading**

[Genesis 1:26-28](#)

[Genesis 11:1-9](#)

[Acts 2:1-12](#)

[Revelation 7:9-10](#)

#### **Passage for Sacred Reading:**

Sacred Reading is a way of reading Scripture with an eye toward transformation, not just information. You can find a [step-by-step guide here](#). The passage for this week’s sacred reading is [Acts 2:1-12](#).

#### **Questions for Discussion**

1. Is diversity something you’ve valued in your life so far?
2. Why is diversity challenging?
3. JR. said that God’s actions in Genesis 11 were to accomplish God’s creative vision for humanity in Genesis 1. What did he mean by that?
4. JR. said that Pentecost (in Acts 2) is not a reversal of Babel, but a fulfillment. What does that mean?
5. How much do your circles look like the multitude in Revelation 7:9-10?
6. How much does Catalyst look like the multitude in Revelation 7:9-10?
7. Why is diversity God’s will for humanity? Why is diversity good, even though it’s hard?