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CHANGED LIVES AT WEBSTER

At our small group Bible study last week at Webster, we were discussing how the early Church in Acts had a passion for God that was contagious. I asked if anyone had seen a friend come to know Jesus simply by being around a group of Christians.

"I don't have a story about someone else, but you all have influenced *me* in this way. This is the first time I've been in a group like this. I've seen how you live out your faith and it inspires me to be like that," replied Deanna.

Mary, a freshman, followed her, "I feel the same way!"

Let's celebrate and be thankful and for students like Deanna and Mary, some of the *many* who hear the teachings of Christ, experience the fellowship of people who are living out their faith, and have their lives transformed while they are at college. It is easy know that Christ is at work when we're around students like them.



It's exciting to think about the ways God can use students to reach other students! Here is Felicity with Kate & Katherine from Webster.

Paul wrote to Timothy, "and what you have heard from me in the presence of many witnesses entrust to faithful men who will be able to teach others also."

LAUNCHING A MOVEMENT AT SLU

We are convinced that we must do more than influence the *many* if we want to see the gospel seep through every pocket of our campuses. Both Paul and Jesus were happy to teach the crowds, but the majority of their time in ministry was spent discipling a few faithful spiritual multipliers. They were looking for men who, like Timothy, would go on to teach others also.

It's easy to draw a crowd of "many witnesses" like Deanna and Mary on campus, but it's harder to find the "Timothys" who will invest their lives in younger disciples who will go on to teach others also.

We need disciples at SLU if want our vision to become reality. Tim and Veronica are two freshman at SLU who show signs of spiritual multiplication. Veronica was discouraged that none of the friends she had invited to Bible study had ever come. When Felicity asked if she thought they might come to a Bible study *she* was leading, she said yes and agreed to start leading her own small group in her dorm room the next week!

Tim told Joe, "I really think something big is going to happen here!" Pray that he's right and that the Lord would use him to multiply his faith!



Pray that God would use Tim at SLU!

THANK YOU

You are such a blessing to us. Thank you for your consistent and faithful prayers and partnership. We are humbled every month to have your support!

Joe & Felicity

PLEASE PRAY

- Ask the Lord to raise up laborers from college campuses who will love Jesus and point other students to Him.
- That the many, like Deanna and Mary, who are growing in their young faith would fall deeper in love with Jesus and become spiritual multipliers.
- For wisdom in deciding who we spend our time with on campus. Pray that we would meet and equip those who want to invest in others.
- For Tim and Veronica to be used by God to bring others at SLU to Christ.