

# **Words from Charles Wesley**

Forth in thy name, O Lord, I go, my daily labour to pursue, thee, only thee, resolved to know in all I think, or speak, or do.

The task thy wisdom has assigned O let me cheerfully fulfil, in all my works thy presence find, and prove thy good and perfect will.

From Singing the Faith 550

# **Words from Scripture**

"Whoever serves me must follow me, and where I am, there will my servant be also. Whoever serves me, the Father will honour."

John 12:26

## **Hymn:** Day by day, dear Lord, Singing the Faith 444

# As we begin

#### To consider alone

 As God's servant, take a moment to recognise Jesus' presence with you as this meeting begins.

### To consider together

 Since the last meeting, how has the work of this group "cheerfully" fulfilled the wisdom of God in the Church and community?

## As we continue

#### To consider alone

 As this meeting progresses can I say, "thee, only thee resolved to know / in all I think or speak or do"? How might that resolve to know Jesus influence what I say and don't say as the meeting continues?

### To consider together

 Wesley says, "in all my works thy presence find". Where am I finding God's presence in the work of this meeting?

## As we finish

#### To consider alone

 As you go forth in God's name, take a moment to ask God for the help you need to "cheerfully fulfil" his will.

### To consider together

- "The task thy wisdom has assigned / O let me cheerfully fulfil." In groups of two or three, share how each person will seek to cheerfully fulfil the work assigned to them in the weeks ahead.
- Pray or sing together the words from Charles Wesley used at the beginning of the meeting.

