

# THE *Big 3*

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TITLE: Life in Community on Mission: The Glorious Mess

There is no such thing as a *typical* week in the rhythms of a missional community. Healthy communities follow pretty surprisingly simple patterns. And the schedules of the families are *not* crazy packed and insanely busy.

Here are three key things to believe and consider about family life in a missional community...

1. **Hopefully you're seeing how normal life can involve discipleship** and the development of others, including leaders, as long as you *choose* to include them in the things you do. This is how Jesus did discipleship! What are one or two *new* daily or weekly activities you can invite others to join you in as a part of the mission and their ongoing discipleship and development?
2. **God's love for you is not based on how busy you are.** Or how many times you have people over to your house each week. Our heavenly Dad sees us as his dearly loved sons and daughters and desires that we would live the best possible life: the life He created us to live... the life that Jesus lived! That is a life lived close to God and guided by his own Spirit, which leads us to a life on mission. A life in community with others, centered on the gospel, is the best life and an amazing, *but messy* adventure!
3. **Set aside an hour or so *this week* to create a calendar that blocks out very specifically the organized aspects of your life on mission.** This may not represent what you're currently doing but should be the goal to which you strive to get in line with. The more intentional we are about things like meals with people of peace, time with leaders, serving times, and our own development, etc., the greater momentum and consistency on mission we will experience. This small exercise will have a great impact on your life as it brings new insight.

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