

## **Stay Connected**

### **Luke 8:19-21**

#### **Discern—The Need**

- **Relationships Get Disconnected**
- **Happens in Church**
- **What does it mean to be “family”**

#### **Embrace—The Word**

- **Jesus Had a Natural Family (v 19)**
  - *Mother and brothers*
- **Jesus’ Family Didn’t Get Special Treatment (v20)**
  - Came to take Jesus home
  - The crowd was so big and they didn’t allow the family access to Jesus
  - Word went through the crowd
- **The New Family Relationships (v21)**
  - Jesus’ reply was stunning
  - Passage doesn’t mean Jesus disowned His natural family
  - *Hear and do the word of God*

#### **Engage—The Truth**

- **Real Family is God’s Eternal Family through Jesus Christ**
- **God’s design to be connected**