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# SYNERGY IN NYC It was sacred

space. 30 Manhattan and Bronx students from 8 campuses huddled in the

open living room of a generous, local, NYC ministry partner's apt. The atmosphere was intimate and jovial. Students celebrated God's work over the past semester. Lost hearing the gospel in Costa Rica, ministries started on closed BX campuses, a freshman sharing his coming to Christ at NYU, openings for spiritual convos with coworkers & friends. We left flooded with hope, praying God worked powerfully in our faith step!

Fast forward to Feb 21, 60+ students gathered at NYU for our 1st official NYC Monthly Gathering. Speaker, Rasool Berry, united an incredibly diverse audience around the power, love and truth of the gospel. Soon (Korean Cru branch) joined us. David (Gatherings coplanner) presented a spoken word (performed poetry) aiming to

inspire other talented students to share in the future. Several shared talents with David after!

The next day David spoke to the core student leadership for Soon in NYC to inspire & train them on evangelism for all their campuses. Summer, Columbia So, came up afterward, 'I was really convicted when you talked about sharing the gospel with those only we're connected to.' Her convo partner on campus, Alice, is from North Korea. She knew Alice needed to hear the gospel. 'I'm going to share with her as soon as I can,' she committed!

Thank you for your recent quick prayers. The whole week David could see God opening doors & giving insights for both events. God is continuing to create a vibrant community of faith in the city where the gospel is pouring out to more and more. Please pray for the gathering, Mar 12. We're inviting NYC campuses, & SBers around the country to join us!

#### Book

Delighting In The Trinity by Michael Reeves

#### Verse

For this purpose also I labor, striving according to His power, which mightily works within me. - Colossians 1:29

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- · Small groups to start at CCNY & Fordham BX. courage & bold faith for students inviting unbelievers
- Mar 12 Gathering to spark passion for 'all nations.' Pray for energy & His leading for David delivering a message, leading students in worship & evangelism all week
- Ashley & baby Coffey doing great! Pray for smooth delivery around end of April
- · Opportunities to get to know and love our neighbors

### NYC FAST FACT

ANCIENT ROME (WITHOUT SKYSCRAPERS) WAS 8 TIMES MORE DENSELY **POPULATED THAN** NYC

