

Small Group Study

Ecumenism

- I. **What is Ecumenism?** (Spend about 5 minutes explaining what this is. Then spend some time to let the class tell you what they think about this.)
 - A. How do you feel about it?
 - B. Is it right or wrong?
- II. **They Can't all be right, can they?**
 - A. Discuss the difference in what Christians believe about:
 - 1. Salvation
 - 2. Word of God
 - 3. Security of Believer
 - B. Discuss World Religions
 - 1. Muslims- Discuss difference in Allah and God
 - 2. Buddhists- Enlightenment vs Salvation
 - 3. New Age- Meditation vs Sinful nature
- III. **Discuss these Questions**
 - A. Does it compromise the Word of God?
 - B. Is God being glorified?
 - C. Will it hurt your testimony for Christ?

Time solely depends upon how much time you wish to spend on each subject. One can use these questions or come up with questions on their own. The writer of this lesson encourages each teacher to study this subject well before tackling it.