



LIFE GROUP GUIDE

CONNECT • GROW • SHARE • PRACTICE

PRE - WORK

Sermon Notes: (Observations, Questions, Reflections)

GROUP TIME

Connect (30 Mins):

Take some time to catch up after the new year, especially if this is your first meeting since.

- ❖ Review the [Life Group Commitment and Covenant](#) as a group and remember the heart of why you gather together.

Discuss (30 Mins):

- How would you like to see our group take intentional steps this year to grow?
- What stood out to you during this week's message? Look back to the observations and reflections you noted down prior.
- What do you look forward to in this series after hearing this week's message and overview?

Apply (30 Mins): Foundational Practice - Embracing the Gospel Over Time

Like Israel, we are often tempted to seek something other than God to satisfy us.

- In what ways do you, even subtly, look to something else to provide the hope or security only God can give? For further clarity, see [Expose Your Idolatry](#).

This week, pay attention to these patterns in your life. Whether it be when you feel stressed, anxious, angry, defensive, or tempted to take control, pause and remember that Jesus is the King our hearts long for. Daily turn (repent) to Him in prayer and Scripture. Let it shape your responses as you learn to trust that He is enough. Partner with one or two others this week for regular check-ins, and share with the group next week what the Lord showed you through it.

What's Happening: [The Well Stars \(T-ball\) Registration](#), [Turkey Greece & Rome Study Tour](#), [Baptism Class](#), [Men's Breakfast](#)

For Further Study:

- [Bible Charts | The Well](#)
- Read Deut 17:14-20; 1 Sam 8-10, 12
- [20 Questions to Expose Your Idolatry - Counseling One Another](#)